

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Partly cloudy. Low around 50.
Friday—Partly cloudy. High 70-75.
Saturday—Fair. Lows in the mid 40s to upper 50s and highs in the mid 60s to mid 70s.
Sunday—Fair. Lows 40 to 55 and highs in the low 60s to low 70s.
—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

THE BUCKNELLIAN

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Today's menu is...à la carte in Terrace Room

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
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In the tradition of their commitment to improvement, Dining Services is attempting to expand the menu options of students once again. In a plan that has been delayed due to student protest, the Terrace Room, which underwent an aesthetic renovation this summer, would now be altered to include an à la carte menu.

The idea began last semester when students expressed a desire to use their declining balance in places other than the Bison. Although declining balance accounts, as well as cash are accepted in both the Terrace Room and the Caf, many students using declining balance did not feel they were eating \$5.25 worth of food they were required to pay.

In an effort to make enhancements according to student input, Tim Tenon, dining services director, looked for possible options. "Unfortunately," said Tenon, "the space constituting the Bison didn't allow for expansion at this time. The next possible or ideal location was the Terrace Room."

According to Tenon, 93% of Bucknellians see Terrace, page 4



Bucknellian File Photo
Tim Tenon, Director of Dining Services, plans to revamp the Terrace Room's meal options.

Welcome BAC to school



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Becky Lawson '95 and Katie DeBonville '95 enjoy the cotton candy at the Welcome BAC picnic on Swartz Field last Saturday.

Taylor Hall experiences facelift

BY COLLEEN RUSH
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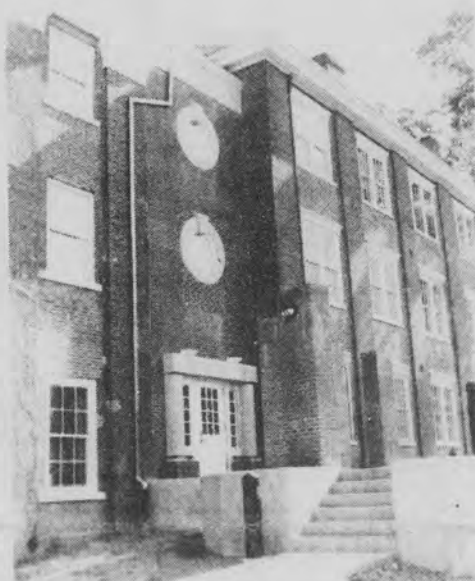
The new facelift on the oldest building on campus turns yet another page in the growing history of Taylor Hall.

Once home to facilities ranging from the library to the biology and botany departments, the 148-year old building is now occupied by the management department. The smaller organizations that also moved into Taylor Hall are the International Education office, Multicultural Affairs, and the Bucknell Press.

According to James Hostettler, physical plant manager of construction, the renovations are "substantially complete" and the only work that remains to be done is the "touch-up" paint work and other "miscellaneous odds and ends."

"I am pleased to say that we completed the renovations and stayed under budget," said Hostettler.

The building has undergone two major renovations since it was built in 1848.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
The management department and other small organizations have moved into the recently renovated Taylor Hall. It is listed with the Pa. Inventory of Historic Places.

Burner defeated; USPCI retreated Plans for industrial waste incinerator scrapped



Bucknellian File Photo
According to some people, signs and protests such as the one above, had a great deal to do with Union Pacific's decision to abandon plans for an incinerator.

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

After an almost four-year long battle with United States Pollution Control Industry (USPCI) over their proposal to build an industrial waste incinerator in Gregg Township, the residents of Union County got their way.

Drew Lewis, chairman and chief executive officer of the Union Pacific Corporation, the parent company of USPCI, announced on the morning of June 8 at a press conference at Geisinger Medical Center that they had decided to scrap their plans for the incinerator.

It seemed to the residents of Union County that all their efforts in protesting the incinerator had paid off. They had won the battle and USPCI was pulling out.

Karl Patten, professor of English, who testified in Washington D.C. last April about the problems the incinerator would cause for the prisoners in the Allenwood

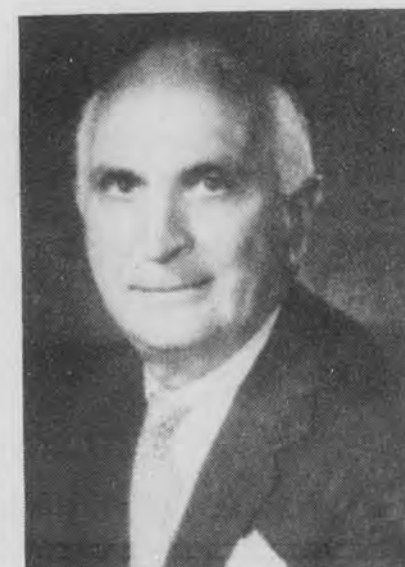


Photo courtesy of Public Relations
Ken Langone, University trustee, attended the press conference on June 8. He chastised residents for their behavior in their protests of the incinerator.

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Henesey plays pro ball

Former Bucknell running back in first season with Arizona Cardinals

BY JEFF ADAMS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Brian Henesey '92 is the all-time leading rusher in Bucknell football history.

He ran for 2,619 yards. He scored 21 touchdowns. He led the Bison in rushing every year he played. He was named to the All-Patriot League twice.

But Brian Henesey is a professional football player?

No doubt about it, Brian Henesey is a professional football player, having made his debut as an Arizona Cardinal last Sunday in the Card's 14-12 loss to the Los Angeles Rams.

Henesey, a native of Manayunk, Pa., is a back-up fullback and special-teamer on the NFC East contenders. He appeared on the Card's kick-off team and was inserted for the two-point conversion attempt that would've tied the game. In so doing, he fulfilled a dream.

Henesey runs a very impressive 40-yard dash time of 4.45 seconds and can squat-lift 700 pounds. He has bulked up his frame since his college days, and now has 215 pounds on his 5'10" body.

But he was undrafted out of Bucknell...unnoticed, really. Division I-AA football teams that go 1-10, as the Bison did in Henesey's senior season, aren't assumed to have many pro prospects. So he took a job at a pharmaceutical testing company in Philadelphia.

Most people thought that Brian Henesey's playing days were over.

Brian Henesey did not.

What those 40 times and height and weight measurements don't reveal is heart. They don't

reveal character. They don't reveal tenacity. And they don't reveal anything about a man named Buddy Ryan, who is a large part of this story.

Ryan is a big reason that Henesey traded in his lab goggles for a football helmet. Henesey hadn't played football since his final game at Bucknell, but he continued to lift weights, continued to run.

For two years he sent game tapes and faxes to every football team in the league. He especially sought the eye of the Philadelphia Eagles, his hometown team, and the New York Giants, whose general manager George Young is a fellow Bucknellian. Henesey was only seeking a look from a team, any team. He got nothing.

But then Buddy Ryan, former coach of those hometown Eagles when Henesey was still in college,

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Bucknellian File Photo
Brian Henesey '92, debuted last Sunday as a running back for the Arizona Cardinals.

Lewisburg man arrested for arson

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
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In addition to the sun, a number of fires helped to heat Lewisburg this summer.

Authorities claim that a Lewisburg man, Robert Rufer III of 115 Market Street, allegedly set the fires that occurred on several dates during the month of July.

Lewisburg police arrested Rufer, 27, on August 2, charging him with arson for four of the seven fires.

Since then, authorities have held him in Union County Jail, in lieu of \$50,000 bail.

Set in various locations around the town, the fires occurred in the trash and recycling bin at Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity on July 1 and July 24, in the hallway of the Mensch building at 416 Market Street on July 1, in the trash bin behind the state liquor store on July 24, in the hallway to the apartments above Stamm's TV and Appliance Store at 121 Market Street on July 24, in a garage on Seventh Street on July 30, and in a (where?) at the College Inn at 112 North Derr Drive on July 31.

When arrested, this Kirby vac-



Photo courtesy of The Daily Item
Police arrested Robert Rufer III, charging him with arson.

uum cleaner salesman who had lived in Lewisburg for about one year, admitted to setting four of the seven fires.

But he later recanted his admission in a letter to *The Daily Item*, saying that he was innocent. He said that he had felt obligated to admit something, as the police officers had given him soda, candy, and cigarettes.

Rufer's court-appointed attorney is Lonnie Hill of Lewisburg. The trial date has not yet been set.

Class of '98 floods school

Largest first year class in BU history

BY NICOLLE SPRAGUE
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Bucknell's class of 1998 is larger than any first-year class in recent years.

According to the Class of 1998 Profile produced by the Admissions Department, "as of July 25, the Class of 1998 includes 925 students." This figure is a 30 student increase over the class of 1997.

Also according to the profile, Bucknell experienced "a record 51,485 inquiries." Consequently, an oversubscription of students offered admission initially forced Bucknell to end a five year streak of admitting students from the waiting list.

There may have been a 30 student increase from the class of '97 to the class of '98, but the engi-

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First-years housed in Swartz dingles



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Leslie Leeman '98 lives in a Swartz 'dingle'.

BY NICOLLE SPRAGUE
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Due to the large enrollment of the class of 1998, some first year students have been placed in Swartz Hall.

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Er-Dong Hu assumes the position of asst. prof. of dance. See page 5.

The Bucknellian moves to Thursday

So that you can get the news before it gets you, *The Bucknellian* will now publish on Thursday instead of Friday. This is to ensure that you get to read the paper before you leave campus for the weekend.

OVERENROLLMENT From page 1

neering department is experiencing a much greater increase in class size. According to Trudy Cunningham, associate Dean of engineering at Bucknell, there are 256 students enrolled in EG100, the introductory engineering class geared for mostly freshmen, as compared to 210 students last year. Due to these numbers, the department has moved EG100 out of the Physics Auditorium in the Olin Science building and into the Vaughan Literature Auditorium. Despite the small inconveniences, Cunningham said that she is excited to have such a large amount of students. "The more people that get exposed to technology the better," she said.

The Arts and Sciences Department is preparing itself to adequately service the increased engi-

neering class. Because of this large class, Maureen Murphy, associate dean of Arts and Sciences, said that there was some over enrollment in math and physics classes causing some adjustments to be made.

Within the department itself, there were a few problems trying to get first year students into their first choice Foundation Seminar. "It becomes a balancing act" Murphy said about matching foundation seminars with students while also fitting them into the students' schedules.

Both Murphy and Cunningham said that the departments are already planning for the future as these first year students will be filtering into a variety of classes in the coming years.

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The rooms they have been placed in were originally designated as single rooms but converted to doubles, commonly called "dingles," to accommodate the large sophomore class.

Although there seems to be many disadvantages to living in the Swartz rooms, including being separated from classmates, the first year students there don't seem too concerned.

Jennifer Canu '98 said, "It doesn't really bother me." Canu and her roommate, Leslie Leeman '98 could only site one drawback - the size of the room. Citing the advantages, they said "We're right by our classes and we might get to know some sophomores."

Other students weren't as optimistic. Rick Lund '98 worries that he won't be able to meet other freshman as easily as he could living in the freshman quad area. He also cites a lack of space in the room for his "stuff." However,

Lund sees some positive aspects of the housing too. He said "I'm close to [my] classes" which he thought would be convenient in the winter. Lund said he also enjoys being close to fraternity parties.

Roommates David Hull '98 and Roddy Copel '98 regret being "away from all the action." "You don't hear about parties" they said. However, the two praised the material niceties of living in Swartz Hall, such as air conditioning and carpet. Being close to the library is another plus for them.

Jessica Mathieson '98 is concerned about "missing out on the freshman experience." Becky Hills '98 jokingly named her pet fish "dingle" because it lived in a small fish bowl and was "isolated and confused."

The first-year students seemed optimistic about their housing arrangement but at the same time hope for a better room pick next year.

Public Safety Alert

On Sunday morning, Sept. 4, at approximately 1:15 a.m., a female student returning to Swartz Hall, entering by the rear door of "D" wing was approached by a young white male and asked for a "light." When she responded, the male grabbed the student, punched her, and attempted to pull her towards him. The student kicked her assailant and he ran away. She returned to Swartz and reported the incident to an R.A. on Monday morning. The information report was filed anonymously with the Department of Public Safety at that time.

The assailant is described as a white male, slight build, approximately 5'9" tall, college age, light blond hair (short in front, long in the back).

Any person having information regarding this incident should notify the Department of Public Safety at 524-3333. All names and information will be kept confidential.

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Complex, said that the news came as a wonderful surprise.

"We were jubilant that morning," he said.

But Lewis said that local opposition to the burner had nothing to do with the company's decision. USPCI decided to abort plans for the incinerator simply because it had become an unprofitable venture. He blamed an unfavorable "national regulatory environment" and uncertainties in the industry, not the residents' protests.

It seems, though, that the residents' efforts, largely led by the local environmental group, Organizations United for the Environment (OUE) did affect Lewis and the company. They got angry.

As a result of the protests against the construction of the incinerator, Lewis said that USPCI

had decided almost one year ago to scrap the burner plans, but waited to announce the decision because, until recently, no one had bothered to talk to him about the situation.

Complaining about the tactics used by opponents of the incinerator, he said, "We kept it going because I didn't like the way we were being treated. We shut the thing down a year ago and coasted. People at OUE had no idea what they were talking about."

Ken Langone, a University trustee who attended the conference, whom Lewis credits as being instrumental in persuading him to withdraw plans for the incinerator, backed up Lewis in his attitudes toward the local protests against the incinerator. He said that he felt the community owed

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Monday, August 29

At 8:35 a.m., a University employee reported being the victim of a harassing telephone call. Investigation continuing.

At 1:25 p.m., a University employee reported an act of vandalism. Unknown person(s) had broken a window at the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity.

At 11:48 p.m., Public Safety officers responded to the Langone Center on the report of a male passed out in the men's room on the first floor. Upon arrival, the victim was discovered in an intoxicated state. He was transported to his residence for the evening and charges relative to underage consumption are pending.

Tuesday, August 30

At 12:04 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of an injured student. Upon arrival, it was discovered that a student had cut his hand attempting to close a window. Student was transported to the hospital for treatment by a Student Health Service driver.

At 4:40 a.m., a Public Safety student employee reported an act of vandalism. Unknown person(s) had broken a hallway mirror in Swartz Hall and fled the scene.

At 7:20 a.m., a University employee reported a broken screen in Trax Hall. Upon investigation, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had thrown a piece of a cinder block through the stairwell screen.

At 9:20 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to the Langone Center on the report of a student choking. Upon arrival, victim was located and transported to the Student Health Service for treatment.

At 11:30 a.m., a student reported that between Sunday 8/28, and this date, unknown person(s) had removed his bicycle from the Larson Hall bike rack. According to the victim, the bicycle was locked and the estimated value of loss set at \$300.

At 4:55 p.m., a Public Safety officer responded to Vedder Hall on the report of an injured student. Student was located but refused any medical treatment for a cut hand, which occurred while he was carving wood.

Wednesday, August 31

At 12:30 p.m., a minor vehicle accident was reported. A University employee had backed a van into a parked vehicle. Damage was minor and there were no injuries reported.

At 5:30 p.m., Public Safety officer(s) responded to the Tustin Gym area on the report of an act of harassment in progress. Upon arrival, perpetrators had left the scene. Victim said that a group of juveniles had followed her in a vehicle after she had made visual gestures after the vehicle had made an illegal U-turn on route 15 near the high school. Juveniles then followed her onto campus and screamed obscenities at her and drove away. Search of area conducted.

Thursday, September 1

At 2:47 a.m., a student reported the theft of her bicycle from the Delta Upsilon Fraternity House. Bike was left unsecured just inside the back door of the fraternity for approximately 3 hours.

Friday, September 2

At 3:40 a.m., Public Safety received a call from a student complaining of a possible injury to her eyes as a result of exposure to ultraviolet lights. A Student Health

Service driver was summoned and transported victim to the hospital for treatment.

At 1:15 p.m., a University employee reported that her vehicle was damaged while it was parked on Brown Street, near Malcolm Street. It appeared as though another vehicle had caused the minor damage prior to leaving the scene without reporting it.

At 11:20 p.m., Public Safety officers discovered a male carrying an open container of beer on Walker Street. Further inquiry revealed that he was a visitor, underage, and had obtained the beer at an up-hill fraternity. Investigation continuing.

Saturday, September 3

At 1:29 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Swartz Hall on a fire alarm system malfunction. Upon arrival, the origin of the problem was determined to be a room detector which was pulled down. Resident of room accepted full responsibility and will be billed for the repair/replacement of detector.

At 1:42 a.m., Public Safety officers were dispatched to the rear of the Chi Phi fraternity on the report of a possible fight in progress. Upon arrival, a group of individuals were discovered shouting at each other. After further investigation, it was discovered that a Chi Phi brother had been assaulted as he was attempting to clear the basement area of "slam dancers." Investigation continuing.

At 2:04 a.m., a Public Safety officer responded to Vedder Hall on the report of a fire alarm activation. Cause of alarm was determined to be an illegally tripped pull station.

At 2:18 a.m., while at Vedder Hall on the previous incident, a Public Safety officer was directed to a student complaining of throat discomfort. Student refused any medical treatment at that time.

At 8:20 a.m., a Public Safety officer was stopped by a student in the Farm Lot. Student reported to officer that overnight, unknown person(s) had thrown a piece of wood through the passenger side rear window of his vehicle.

Sunday, September 4

At 1:03 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had illegally activated a pull station for no reason.

At 12:30 p.m., a student residing in Trax Hall reported receiving a suspicious telephone call on Thursday, Sept. 1. Victim also reported receiving a note on her door from apparently the same individual whom she does not know, who had called earlier. Investigation continuing.

Tuesday, September 6

At 9:08 a.m., a University employee reported that a screen on a window at Bucknell Hall had been intentionally cut, in a possible attempt to gain entrance into the building. No entry was made through this window and screen is to be repaired.

At 10:10 p.m., a student reported that between Sept. 3, and Sept. 4, unknown person(s) did enter her Bucknell West apartment and remove a VCR, valued at \$150. No further information could be obtained.

At 9:21 p.m., a student reported being the victim of harassing telephone calls. Investigation continuing.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

Robert Levi Rooke, Trustee Emeritus, dies at 103

Rooke remembered for his long-standing support of the University and its activities



Photo courtesy of Public Relations

Guy Freas (left) and Robert Rooke (right), were co-donors of the Freas-Rooke Computing Center in 1961 and the Freas-Rooke swimming pool, dedicated in 1956.



Photo courtesy of University Archives

Above: Robert Rooke was first elected to the University Board of Trustees in 1930. Right: Alice and Robert Rooke at the University in 1985 for the Dinner of 1000. Below: Rooke at the 1991 dedication of the Chemistry Building in his honor. The University was recognizing him for his devotion to his alma mater.



Photo courtesy of University Archives

University friend, colleague, and benefactor Robert Levi Rooke died on Monday, June 27 at his home in Palm Beach, Fla. At the time of his death, Rooke was 103 years old, as was his wife of 72 years, Alice W. Rooke, at the time of her death in November, 1993.

Born in Winfield, PA in 1891, Rooke entered Bucknell in 1909. He graduated in 1913 with a degree in electrical engineering.

He started his career as an engineer for General Electric in Schenectady, N.Y., served with them for two-and-a-half years, then joined Public Service Electric Company in Elizabeth, NJ, serving with the firm for one-and-a-half years.

After 18 months of service with the U.S. Navy in World War I, he became associated with Merrill Lynch and Co., New York City, in 1919. He married Alice Worthington, a native of Sunbury, in 1921. The two moved to Westfield, NJ. He became a member of New York Stock Exchange in 1928, and a limited partner of the Merrill Lynch firm in 1960. He retired in 1965.

On June 9, 1930, he was elected as the youngest member ever to Bucknell's Board of Trustees. He served continuously as a Trustee for the next 64 years.

Credited with establishing the University's endowment and managing it in its early years of growth, he chaired the significant standing committees of the Board

that have guided Bucknell's growth as an institution.

The University conferred an Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree on Rooke in 1951. 1975 saw him as the recipient of the Stephen W. Taylor Medal, the University's highest honor.

In 1991, the University named its new Chemistry Building after him in recognition of his devotion to his alma mater.

According to Gary Sojka, University president, Rooke did much more for Bucknell than give, raise, and manage money. In a letter he sent to the University announcing Rooke's death, University president Gary Sojka wrote that he was "an advisor, confidant, and source of inspiration to six presidents."

"His regular attendance at Board meetings, frequent appearances at athletic contests, and his occasional visits to campus for events in the Chapel or building dedications endeared him to generations of Bucknell students."

"The jaunty figure in bow tie, in later years aided by an ever-present walking stick, became for many the embodiment of the Bucknell spirit."

Among Rooke's contributions to Bucknell were the Rooke Chapel given in honor of his parents, the Freas-Rooke Swimming Pool, and the Freas-Rooke Computer Center. On his 100th birthday, Merrill Lynch honored him by dedicating the Management Case Studies Room in the Rooke Chemistry Building.

Rooke is survived by three children: Dorothy Rooke McCulloch of Barrington, RI, Robert C. Rooke



Photo courtesy of Public Relations

Robert L. Rooke died in his Palm Beach home on June 27, 1994.

istry Building.

Both Rooke and his wife Alice are buried at the Lewisburg Cemetery.

—Compiled from President's newsletter and University Archive records.



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Alice Clement Worthington married Robert Rooke in 1921.

Rooke graduated from Bucknell in 1913 with a degree in Electrical Engineering.



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Rooke became associated with Merrill Lynch and company in 1919. He became a member of the NYSE in 1928, and a limited partner of Merrill Lynch in 1960.

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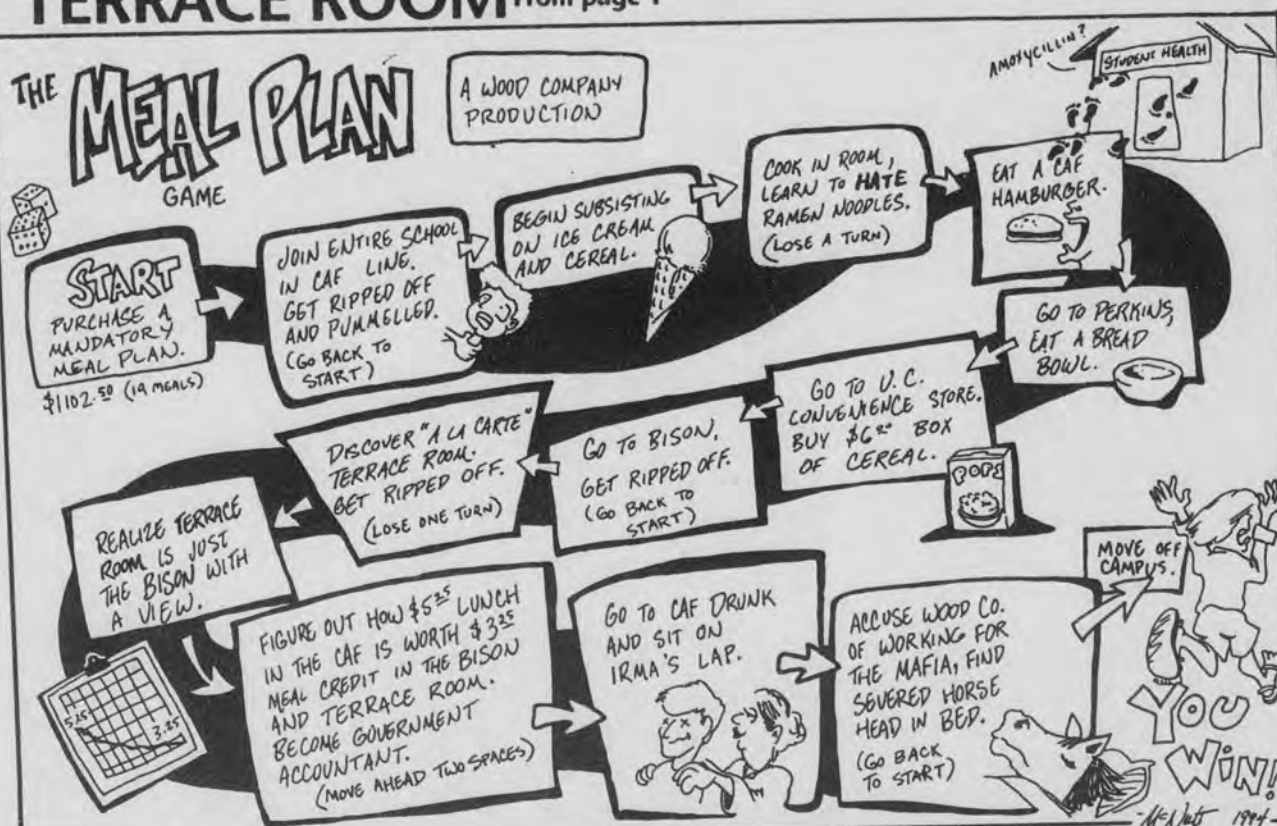
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TERRACE ROOM

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nell's student population has some form of declining balance account, a great increase from two years ago when only 1500 students had declining balances. More room had to be made for these students.

But regular patrons of the Terrace Room were discouraged when they discovered that plans had been made, without their knowledge, to alter their favorite lunch time eatery. "Some students see it as being another Bison. That couldn't be further from the truth. There's only one Bison," said Tenon.

Students purchased meal plans last spring with the specific expectation of eating lunch in the Terrace Room. "The only reason I got a meal plan was to eat lunch in the Terrace Room," said Beth Henry '96.

Many, yet to be told of the changes, believed only declining balances would be accepted at the Terrace Room and worried they would not be able to exchange their meal plan or be bound to eat in the Caf.

"The last thing we wanted to do is force people to use the Caf," said Tenon. According to Tenon, dining services wants to combine

the requests of both customers with meal plans and those with declining balance accounts.

According to Tenon, students will be able to enjoy items such as Tex-Mex food, Boboli-style pizza, rotisserie chicken, and up-scale deli food in addition to the traditional favorites on either a meal plan or declining balance account.

As it stands now, patrons will enter the Terrace Room, and in a cafeteria-like fashion, select the menu items they wish to purchase. They will then proceed to a cashier, where the items will be tallied.

If the total adds up to more than a traditional meal allows (now priced at \$5.25), the difference is supplement with either cash or declining balance, similar to meal credit in the Bison. Those students using only their declining balance will pay only for those items they want to eat, similar to regular Bison procedure.

"Ideally, said Tenon, "we'll be able to accomplish the best of both worlds."

But it seems that is not the change so much as it is the abruptness and the rumors that surround the change that upset many students.

What stopped the burner?

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
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Was USPCI's decision to withdraw its plans for the hazardous waste incinerator due to an unfavorable economic climate? Or was it a result of the vehement protests against the project that were enacted by local residents?

Charles Sackrey said that he believes Organizations United for the Environment to be at least partly responsible for USPCI's decision.

"I think that the local protests were an example of what people can do when they fight," he said. "Maybe it's a lesson in grassroots democracy."

But both Drew Lewis, chairman and chief executive officer of Union Pacific and Ken Langone, University Trustee, said that the protests said the protests had no effect on the decision other than to delay the announcement that USPCI was withdrawing its building plans.

In a phone interview, Langone said that he thought the protests were "absolutely hysterical," and that he believed the area residents acted unreasonably.

"Someone sent Drew Lewis a snake in a box. Isn't that an irrational act?" he asked.

Langone said that Lewis was a reasonable man. Had the residents also acted reasonably, he said, the decision to withdraw burner plans would have come "a helluva lot sooner."

At the press conference on June 8, Lewis credited Langone with helping him arrive at the decision to scrap the incinerator.

Langone said that Lewis had already been moving toward that decision, he simply hastened the process.

"A mutual friend introduced us several weeks before the press conference. We had lunch and I pointed out the problems with the incinerator. That's the story."

News Briefs

On Campus

Gallery hosts new exhibit

The Center gallery of Bucknell is hosting the exhibit, "Form and Function" from August 6 through Sept. 18. A reception with the artists will be held Saturday, Sept. 10, 4-6 p.m. in the Center Gallery.

The exhibit features the work of three artists, E. Sherman Hayman, Eric O'Leary and Allen Topolski. According to Cindy Peltier of the gallery, "These artists work with objects from our material culture, in some cases, objects which have had a prior existence in terms of utility."

Online services at library

Identifying and locating articles in journals and magazines in the library is getting easier.

The Bertrand Library announces two major enhancements for fall semester, and previews a third coming soon to the library and then to the campus network. Students will be able to identify the latest issue of a journal on the shelf and when the next issue is expected. The library is also offering an Expanded Academic Index by LAC online in the library, covering some 1500 general academic library journals over the last three years. In addition, later this semester, you will be able to search this index on any Bucknell computer account using the same commands you currently use to search the online catalog for Bertrand Library materials.

Trustee to speak on business

Ken Langone, who financed Texas billionaire Ross Perot and also co-founded the Home Depot retail chain, will discuss entrepreneurship and changes in Wall Street during talks at Bucknell Monday, Sept. 12.

Founder and managing director of a New York Stock Exchange member investment banking and brokerage firm, Invem Associates Inc., Langone is a member of Bucknell's Board of Trustees and a 1957 graduate of Bucknell.

His lecture, "Changes in Wall Street and Its Inhabitants" will be at 7:30 p.m. in the Weis Center. The session is free and open to the public. Earlier in the day, he will meet privately with 100 economics students for a discussion on "What it Means to be an Entrepreneur."

He is the guest of Bucknell's economics department.

Creative legacy display in library

On display this semester in the Bertrand Library is an exhibit that explores some of the forms of creative expression unique to China and Japan. Included in the exhibit are Shinto prayers, tablets and Shinto pottery, intricate sculptures carved in wood, jade and stone, dramatic masks, and calligraphy tools. On loan from the personal collection of Mary Evelyn Tucker, Associate professor of Religion and Chair of Japanese/East Asian Studies, "Creative Legacies" is available for viewing during library hours, on Lower Level one, until the end of the semester.

Off Campus

21 year old runs for Governor

Jason Jay Haring has great ambition. At 21, he is running his own business and a campaign for governor, and trying to gain the support necessary to have his name placed on the November ballot as an Independent.

Although the state Bureau of Elections says he's not circulating the proper petitions, he doesn't seem to care. "He has a bigger problem than the petitions," said Jon Harwood, spokesman for the Bureau of Elections. "You can't run for governor if you're under 30."

Haring called the requirement "age discrimination," saying that if he denied the opportunity to run, he will challenge the law in court.

—Patriot News

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An exhibit titled "Chronicles of the Pennsylvania Plain People: 18 Years of Photography by David A. Lauer and a Selection of Quilts That Color Their Homes" in the Lore Degenstein Gallery of Susquehanna University. A lecture will be presented by Rachel Pellman on Saturday, September 17, at 6 p.m. in Degenstein Center Theater. A reception will be held from 6-9 p.m. in the gallery. Gallery hours are Tuesdays through Sundays 2-4 and Wednesdays 12-4 and 7-9; closed Mondays. Open to the public, free of charge.

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Hu's on first with Bucknell Dance Co.



Photo courtesy of Er-Dong Hu

Er-Dong Hu poses with his new bride, Lu-Ping Sun. Although Hu relocated to Lewisburg this past summer, Sun remains in Dayton where she works as a computer engineer. The two wed in August.

BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When most kids are 11, they look forward to graduating from the fifth grade, with the prospect of moving on to middle school. When Er-Dong Hu was an 11-year-old in China, he graduated from the Beijing Dance Academy, the foremost institution for dance in China, and began his dancing career.

Now, 18 years later, Hu is trading in his professional dancing shoes for a grade book, joining the ranks of the Bucknell faculty as the new assistant professor of dance.

Hu replaces assistant professor of dance Shellie Cash-Muller who went on to teach at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music. Ironically, prior to accepting the position at Bucknell, Hu had been basing himself in Dayton, Ohio.

With an easy-manner and quick, intelligent eyes, Hu has integrated himself into the Bucknell community with relative ease. He has managed to win students over with both an extensive knowledge of dance and the sense of humor to keep his classes lively.

Marcie Frum '95, a student in his jazz class, said, "The class is a lot of fun. [Er-Dong] makes it very interesting while relieving the usual pressures of performing. He's extremely energetic, very excited about what he does, and most of all, he's funny."

Hu was born in Beijing, China to an artistic family. His mother is an opera singer and his father a painter and professor at the Central Arts and Crafts Institute. His brother, also trained at the Beijing Dance Academy, dances ballet and his sister, a horticulturist, designs gardens.

Hu has also received several awards, including the 1990 Outstanding Performer Achievement Award from Dance Magazine.

After graduating from the Academy, Hu remained for ten years as a teacher, student, and performer before receiving his B.A. in Chinese classical dance. One of a handful of dancers of his generation to receive a complete training in Chinese Traditional Dance, Hu won honorable mention for his performance in China's 1986 National Dance Competition.

Eventually Hu turned his sights toward Western dance. Although he had received extensive training in China, he had been taught only traditional Chinese dances. His decision to move to the West represented a whole new vocabulary of movement for him.

"I really wanted to learn about a Western culture," Hu said. "It's very tempting. You have lots of freedom. In China I was trained as a traditional dancer and folk dancer. [It was not involved] in Western culture at all."

In 1987, when Hu enrolled at the University of Iowa in pursuit of his M.F.A. in dance, he became the first People's Republic of China student to pursue such a degree in the United States since the Cultural Revolution. He completed the degree in 1990.

Hu's professional career in the United States began in 1990 when he landed the role of Puck in *Midsummer Night's Dream* with the Dayton Ballet. He danced with the company for three years in a variety of roles, and taught numerous residencies at schools such as Wright State University, The National Association of Dance Masters in Chicago, and the Dayton Ballet School.

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the 1988 American Dance Festival scholarship, and a scholarship from the American Ballet Center (Joffrey School).

In addition to making the transition from the professional world of dance, Hu also left behind another aspect of his life before coming to Lewisburg — bachelorhood. Just weeks before arriving on campus Hu wed Lu-Ping Sun, his girlfriend of one year. They met, appropriately, at a dance concert.

"I was the performer," Hu says about their first encounter. "She went to watch the performance and she thought, 'Oh, there's one Chinese dancer.' She was so excited [because] she's Chinese. So she came downstairs to the dressing room to see me and we talked at the reception." After dating for several months, the two decided to wed.

Marriage, Hu says, has been very good. The only problem so far has been distance. As a computer engineer with a double degree in mathematics and computer science, Lu-Ping has been unable to find work in Lewisburg and remains, for the time being, in Dayton. But even to this Hu just smiles pensively and admits that, "Life is always difficult."

Even at the termination of his professional dancing career, Hu displays the curiosity and excitement of a first year teacher. To him retirement is inevitable in the mentally and physically demanding world of dance. And with his experiences teaching in Beijing, it seemed the most viable way to stay connected to the profession.

"Personally I really like to teach," he said. "I like to pump up the students. I have a lot of things to share with them. Also, I think,

Born in Beijing China, Hu studied classical Chinese dance at the Beijing Dance Academy before coming to America to study Western dance. Here he performs "Swordsmen," a traditional Chinese piece.

another reason for me [to go into teaching] is that when you get older, your age limits your professional career. Even if you're a big star like Barishnikov you have to retire. You just have to accept it because you can't do it any more. You're physically and mentally drained."

To introduce himself to the Bucknell community, Hu is planning to choreograph a solo for himself for the Bucknell Dance Company's fall concert.

For the spring Hu has already planned a traditional Chinese "sleeve" dance for the Company. While on a trip to China this past summer with Danna Frangione,

professor of dance, Hu purchased the material to construct the ancient costumes in which sleeves are used as movement props by the performers.

Already Hu has proven himself a valuable asset to Frangione when she and Hu visited the International Dance Festival at the Beijing Dance Academy. "With Er-Dong I was able to meet people that I would never have had access to and have translations of conversations which never would have happened," she said. "And in many cases it is his classmates that are running the place."

The transition for the Dance Company has been an interesting

one as well. Cash-Muller had become a synonymous part of the ensemble, and her departure at the end of last year left many uncertain about her replacement. The decision to hire Hu, Frangione says, has shown to be a wise one. His training and career have been so different from Cash-Muller's that there is little comparing him to his predecessor. "I really think we made the best choice for everyone," Frangione says.

Auditions for the Bucknell Dance Company's fall concert, which will be directed by Frangione and Hu, will take place this Sunday at 4 p.m. in the Tustin Dance Studio.

Kelley involves Bucknell with music



Rick Kelley, an interactive musician, will be performing tomorrow night from 9 to 11:30 p.m. downhill in the first-year quad. In case of rain, Kelley will perform in the Bison.

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A&E Calendar

Saturday, September 10

Art Reception: 4 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center.

Hilltop Film Series: *The Criminal Life of Chivaldo de la Cruz*, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium.

Musician: Rick Kelley, 9-11:30 p.m., first-year quad (rain location, Bison).

Movie: *The Pelican Brief*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission.

Monday, September 12

Japanese Film Series: *Yojimbo*, 7 p.m., Coleman 101B.

Tuesday, September 13

Crozer Lecture: *The Power of Knowledge: An Introduction to Michael Foucault*, 8 p.m., Smith Library, Vaughan Literature Building.

Wednesday, September 14

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EDITORIAL

Trustee's remarks leave community in dumps

On June 8, the Union Pacific Corporation announced that the proposal to build a hazardous waste incinerator in Gregg Township, Union County, would be abandoned. Although not affecting Union Pacific's decision to leave their project, the parting comments of Ken Langone, trustee to Bucknell, to members of the Union County community left a bitter after taste to what could have been an otherwise affable conclusion to the debate.

Drew Lewis, chairman and chief executive officer of the Union Pacific Corp., flanked by Dr. Stuart Heydt, chief executive officer of Geisinger Medical Center, President Sojka, and Langone, announced at the press conference that the project was "economically not viable" for the corporation. Lewis added that the "fair but rigorous process for siting new waste facilities" put an end to the proposal.

During the press conference, Langone said that had opponents been "less hysterical and more reasonable" an end to the debate could have been reached a few years ago. Langone continued, saying that the community owed Lewis an apology "for the way it acted."

Even after winning a seemingly lost battle, the sting from Langone's poorly

chosen words still bite at the small community that opposed the incinerator.

As members of the Bucknell community, we are outraged that a representative of the University insinuated that the non-violent protest and organized opposition to the incinerator was an hysterical and somehow unreasonable response to USPCI's proposal.

The citizens of Union County and members of Organizations United for Ecology (OUE) joined to oppose the proposal in a manner that is both guaranteed and protected by the First Amendment. In attacking the community's protest tactics, Langone not only attacked the Constitution, but more importantly, the integrity of the community that encompasses Bucknell.

Since when does freedom of speech warrant an apology?

If an apology was appropriate, one should be made to the citizens of Union County who devoted countless hours of their spare time to fighting the proposal. Drew Lewis claimed that the proposal had been abandoned a year ago, but the community was not informed of the decision because he "didn't like the way [they] were being treated."

The incinerator debate was not an ele-

mentary school fight over a place in the sandbox. It was a real and frightening issue for those living in the area. By delaying the announcement for a year, Lewis and USPCI wasted the time and money of the community and government agencies involved in the fight, and reduced the debate to a playground shoving match.

The bottom line, however, is not who deserves an apology, or even who won or lost. In the grown-up world, heated debates and controversy are a way of life. Lewis was gracious enough to admit defeat and commend the efforts of the Department of Environmental Resources for withstanding "a great deal of pressure in steadfastly enforcing the permitting regulations."

Though the tensions between USPCI and Union County will probably never be resolved, the University should turn its focus to Langone's comments. Unfortunately, whether his statement was out of ignorance and misunderstanding (as some suggest), or simply a personal response to the community's active protest, the only purpose served by Langone's comments was to alienate the members of Union County against Bucknell, and further inflame an already sensitive and justifiably suspicious community.

OPINIONS

Not dressed up with places to go

BY DEREK POWELL
Bucknellian Columnist

There seems to be a rising fashion trend at Bucknell.

By eschewing the normal standards of quality and decency that is a large chunk of the cornerstone of a higher-level education, students and teachers of all walks of life have lowered their standards and allowed themselves to be sucked into the seemingly inescapable vortex of fashion(less) hell. What people wear on their own time is fine—it's the lack of "school clothes" that really ticks me.

This evil spirit has, first and foremost, affected the male population. Many of these people graduated from some kind of private school, where uniforms or "coat and tie" were the required dress. This made it somewhat easy, since there wasn't much thought or planning that went into choosing an outfit for class. Somehow, this trend continued as they began their college career, albeit in a twisted and altered method. Instead of uniforms or proper dress as the de facto code, the required dress suddenly morphed into a white t-shirt, olive, stone or wheat J-Crew shorts tightened by a belt that droops down to the knees, and Tevas. Of course, there is a little bit of variation, as the t-shirt may advertise either a beer ad or some resort around the country. Incoming freshmen have an even greater selection, as they have the awesome responsibility of buying massive amounts of Bucknell shirts from various fraternities. In turn, the fraternities benefit from this as well, since they can wear what they don't sell.

This "look" wouldn't be complete, of course, without the matching visage. In order to conform to this strict code, the shirts must be untucked, the face unshaven, and the person perhaps a couple of days without a shower. If your hair is unwashed, so what? That's what the required hair is for. The popular option allows this small oversight to be showed out of the way. This hat, either displaying some kind of Bucknell emblem or "Cocks" insignia, may be worn either normally or backwards, perhaps depending on the varying levels of hair hygiene. A bonus of this dress code is that it is inexpensive and requires virtually no maintenance. And it's handy for the winter, too. Those who get chilly may opt for jeans (if it isn't, heaven forbid, jeans day), but most diehards will stick to those trusty shorts (on sale for the winter) for all activities.

In a crisis such as this, it is important to look at the generally more fashion-conscious gender. With the blinding array of dresses, blouses, slacks, pantsuits, skirts, pumps, heels, and hosiery, many girls on campus block out these horrid items of clothing in favor of a much simpler attire: an outfit that resembles, but does not match, the men's strict dress code.

The alarming standouts are not found too widely, thankfully, though the amount of people wearing next to nothing doesn't have to be large to be scary. I saw one girl in a class wearing a purple bathing suit-type deal, with a large plastic ring holding it together in the middle. Covering this was a skimpy men's white dress shirt. On top of her head was a kerchief or bandanna. This outfit is either a cry for attention or a "no laundry" day. I would have just skipped class.



Photo Courtesy of University Archives

In between classes, these Bucknell students look ready to face a Dead show. What date is this photo? This attire is once again fashionable!

Cutoff jeans are the hottest buzzword in women's closets on campus today. Of course, cutting up old jeans is demanding and too close to manual labor. The simplest method is to just buy them that way. Never mind the fact that they aren't worth thirty-five to fifty dollars. They're cool. Unfortunately, what translates to "cool" isn't always what looks good. In order to wear these "cool" shorts, they need to be matched with one of several hundred Bucknell-style shirts. Though containing only two colors (orange and blue), these shirts have hundreds of different slogans. The most popular are the "Co-Ed Naked" series, and Lacrosse, never mind the fact that the people who wear these two types of shirts actually don't engage in either activity.

Topping off this ensemble is, of course, the ubiquitous hat. Latecomers who haven't had time to apply makeup (or anything else for that matter, like toothpaste) pull their hair into a ponytail through the back of the hat. As I mentioned before, this outfit closely resembles the men's "required" wear, but it has enough differences to have less of a unisex appeal.

Speaking of unisex, it is apparent that the grunge look continues to be a favorite among students. The dirty t-shirt covered by a plaid button-down acquired from a local goodwill store, accompanied by some type of denim or patched fabric pants and large army-certified combat boots round out the package. This can be viewed as an alternative to the standard dress code created by the majority of the students in an attempt to be "different" from the mainstream population. Too many people own this ensemble for it to be different, however. The unfortunate part about this attire is that the person wearing it could be mistaken for a homeless person. In a way, this could be advantageous because the small change given out to these "grungies" could pay for a wash 'n dry at the local Wash Tubs.

So who are the role models for these wondrous paradigms of clothing? Certainly not some of the professors. My first class last year consisted of the above "clothes horses," and a professor who showed up in a ratty shirt, shorts, and Birkenstocks. Could he be the progenitor of this new wave? I thought that this might be a one-time occurrence, but I was wrong. Very wrong. This year, a professor of mine has a wardrobe consisting of button-down shirts, perhaps missing a button(s), even dirtier pants, and mucky Zips purchased at the local Payless. If these are the people from whom we are supposed to learn, then my education consists of "How to Dress for Class." The "How-To" list consists of whatever is lying on the bedroom floor at any given time.

In a campus such as this, there are always the standouts. Kudos to those people with enough sense, integrity, and intelligence to take pride in what they wear to class. Even "Good Luck" John Throssel has enough sense to wear nice clothes, however worn, whenever he makes an appearance on campus. This is an example that can be followed. Countless staff and administration have heard complaints from students followed by the speech starting with "I pay \$23,000 to go to this institution..."

Maybe they should look like they're able to dress for such a place, too.



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Dressed for success. This 1950's photo showed how students were aware of their future, and knew how to dress for it, while exhibiting both pride and intelligence.

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OPINIONS

Welcome to the jungle, er, Caf

BY JEN GRADY

As a freshman here at Bucknell, I have been making many astute observations pertaining to the general manner in which things are run here. In a feeble attempt to try to familiarize myself with these new, alien surroundings, I have been frequenting such places as the intimidating Bertrand Library, as well as the infamous Langone Center: home to the bookstore, the Bison, and unfortunately, the local zoo: the Roy Grier Bostwick Memorial Cafeteria. Throughout this whole campus, nothing baffles my mind more than the asinine layout of this most essential pitstop.

I enter each day, weary, but hopeful, that perhaps on this occasion a snooty upperclassman will not knock all of my books out of my hands en route to the interminable tandem from hell—that is, of course, the lunch line. Today, however, I was herded quite against my will over to the silverware section where I stood watching on as the other cut throats went in for the kill. I was forced to ask myself, "Just when did I miss the announcement that the food supply here at Bucknell, especially at high noon, would be rationed out sparingly for fear of sudden depletion?" This notion seems to be the general consensus among the students whom I have encountered.

When, in fact, I did maintain a position at the front of the line, two pancakes swimming in artificially flavored maple something or other were flung haphazardly upon my plate. I was then quickly shooed away by the impatient upperclassmen. I retreated to a table tucked safely in the back of the dining area and forced the wretched meal down my throat.

I decided that since things had gone fairly well today, I would brave another helping and consequently wait another eon in line. "You need to bring your dirty plate back," the kindly lunch attendant instructed me. I turned from the line, embarrassed and fed up.

As I left the Roy Grier Bostwick Memorial Cafeteria today, belching up some of the unidentifiable mash I'd been served, I looked out along the panoramic scene before me. One thing came to mind as an excruciating rumble of hunger came bellying out of the innards of my belly: Why is such a poor excuse for food mandatory—three times a day, seven days a week for over a thousand dollars?

Our government can hit home runs, but only when it wants to

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

Americans should be dancing in the streets! Instead of sending tens of thousands of our young soldiers across the Pacific to die in a terrifying war, we have enjoyed a beautiful summer here at home. The Pentagon has estimated that a land war with North Korea would have taken four months to win—four months of intensive killing much like the style of the last Korean conflict. Instead we have had four months of peace. For this we should thank our government agencies for their wise negotiating and Jimmy Carter for his valiant diplomacy.

Yet the warmonger element in our country says we're misguided. They say that we must confront North Korea and fight the war for all to be right. For all their years of education in security, they have obviously had no education in peacemaking. And they purport the worst myth of all: to talk to a dictator is to lose.

Why do we have this misguided snobbery? To talk—even to negotiate—with someone doesn't mean you have to give up your ideals. Thanks to our leaders we are now talking with North Korea, but we continue to insist that the North Korean government give up its nuclear weapons. This is how it should be.

And, lo and behold, we are finding solutions to the conflict! A few weeks ago, a significant first step was taken. The North Korean government agreed to resume foreign inspection of its nuclear facilities and to stop using a laboratory where plutonium can be created. The United States agreed to "move towards full normalization of political and economic relations," and to help finance North Korea's energy-producing nuclear reactors.

There are still many things to be worked out between the two governments. But the beauty of this agreement is easy to see. We are reaching our goal of stopping the North Korean nuclear weapons program. And in exchange for talking, trading, and generally being more friendly towards North Korea, we saved the lives of thousands of American and Korean soldiers and civilians. If you don't think this was a good deal, ask the mother or father of someone in the military.

Unfortunately, the wisdom of our government doesn't extend very far. The administration still re-



fuses to talk to the de facto rulers of Haiti or the government of Cuba. I can understand the reluctance to speak with Haiti's General Cedras—the overthrow of a popularly elected president is a most odious crime. But I cannot see how this crisis will be ended without some communication. Cedras is a proud man who will not just give up his power. Apparently, the United States has its pride too—its snobbery. It would rather see a Haitian civil war than find a peaceful solution.

Fidel Castro has been president of Cuba for 35 years. In all that time, our policy of isolating and ignoring him hasn't worked too well. There has not been a revolution to overthrow him, most likely because most Cubans don't want him to be overthrown! (Most Cuban-Americans in Florida do, but that's why they left in the first place, of course. Those Cubans that left cannot be taken as representative of the Cubans that stayed.)

Our government says it wants to see Castro out of power, yet it won't take the steps that could cause this to happen peacefully. On the contrary, with the Bay of Pigs invasion, we actually tried to start a war so we wouldn't have to sit down and work things out in a civilized manner. Under our current policy, Cuba's only alternative to Castro is a chaotic internal struggle for power. Obviously this is what the United States government wants. Chances, however, will not improve the living conditions of Cubans (just look at Bosnia). And until they can get enough food at home, Cubans will never slow their exodus to Florida. The path we are taking will impoverish the Cuban people for generations.

On June 19, ex-President Carter returned from the Koreans and declared the frightening crisis to be over. If, rather than peaceful talks, a four-month war had started on that date, we would be fighting until October 19. Let's use our four months of peace wisely. On October 19, let us begin dialogues with Cedras and Castro. We have nothing to lose and peace to gain.

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LETTERS

"Don't Ask, Don't Tell"—here at Bucknell?

TO THE EDITOR:

As first year students anticipating a liberal environment, we are surprised at the narrowmindedness of some of our classmates. During our first few days of Orientation, Bucknell provided its first year students with an assembly entitled "Strange Like Me," which emphasized harmony within our class and the entire campus. It covered topics such as racism and sexuality. The presenters urged audience participation, and fortunately, the students responded enthusiastically; the overwhelming opinions forced the presenters to cut this period short.

The narrowmindedness seemed to be displayed during the short skit concerning sexuality. This disturbing emotion was most prevalent when two of the three actors, one male and one female, portrayed characters that were homosexuals. The skit included an intolerant roommate who found out about his roommate's sexual preference from an acquaintance in the lunch room. The roommate was surprised that the person with whom he was living had kept his sexuality concealed. At first, he was in denial and then

felt betrayed that his roommate did not share this shocking secret with him.

We were astounded by the reaction that some students had at the end of the skit as the actors asked for opinions and questions. A large portion of the audience agreed with the closed-minded roommate who felt that one's sexuality should be disclosed when roommates are paired. They felt it was wrong to put two people together who engaged in different sexual activities. Does everyone come to college planning to have sex in their room or even share every detail of their sex with a person they have never met?

We have always believed that sexual choice is a personal preference. Whoever our roommates date is their business. We are in no position to interrogate them about their sexual choice. Apparently it seems some of the students here feel that homosexuals should be branded. Our question is: why?

JENI WATKINS '98
CATHY BARTCH '98
SEPTEMBER 7, 1994

Graduate laments teacher retirement

TO THE EDITOR:

It is with great chagrin that I note the retirement of David Lu. Back in '92, I was in Prof. Lu's JS250 - Business with Japan class. I must admit, that as a graduating senior, I chose the class to fill one of my many requirements. However, I soon found the class to be very interesting. There is no doubt in my mind that this was due mostly to Prof. Lu's teaching style. He is a vibrant person, and I am sorry to see him go - I feel sorry for the many Bucknellians who will miss his teaching. I would greatly appreciate it if there were some way to let him know that some of us who've made it out of the "Bucknell Bubble" wish him luck!

ADAM RESNICK '92
JULY 26, 1994
VIA E-MAIL

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FEATURES

Freshman fears and senior tears link students' first and last years

KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The month of September is an extraordinary month for two groups of people on the campus of Bucknell University. It is during this month that both first year students and seniors embark upon a year of change, chance, excitement, fears, and novelties.

Arlene Hoyt, director of psychological services here on campus, pointed out that while this is a year for specific transitions for both seniors and first year students, it is at different points in the school year that specific issues will become more relevant.

Right now, incoming students are dealing with the friendship issue. Seniors most likely are not as critically aware at this point of leaving the Bucknell community behind, but are more concerned with getting a grasp on what their futures will hold.

For first year students, the issue is relatively obvious. They are leaving their homes and everything that was common and comfortable to them and coming to a place with new faces, new policies, and new freedoms.

Change is not so obvious in the case of the class of 1995. They are returning to a haven of familiarity. Seniors know their way to class and they know how to avoid packed laundry rooms. What is new to them that will cause their anxiety is the closeness of their graduation date and the realization that they must deal with the uncertainties that lie beyond that spring day.

"I have questions about where I'll be going to graduate school and financial questions surrounding that move. I'm not sure what I'll be able to do with my degree, things are up in the air. I'm not sure what I'm going

to do with my life," said Brian '95.

According to Hoyt, "Both classes are feeling anxieties, some of which are the same, but for different reasons. Separation anxiety may affect both classes. For seniors it is separation from their class and friends, while for first year students it is separation from family as well as friends."

Both classes experience a sort of "fear of the unknown." Hoyt mentioned that thought the whole year is a transition period, first year students probably feel the brunt of the emotional turmoil in the first half of the year. Seniors more likely will feel it during the spring semester.

In reference to the class of 1995, Hoyt says, "Up until now they knew what they were doing next. Even with a career picked, there are still many unknowns, such as where to live."

First year students in general, often have no idea what to expect. There are all the issues, such as classes, professors, and roommates with which to deal. All seem trivial in terms of choosing a career, yet at the same time are so important. These are the small things that shape each person into who they are.

Ashley Elder '98 shared her philosophy "The thing I was most nervous about was the work load, but I was more at ease once I got to my classes. As far as roommates go, I'm very happy. I was prepared (for college) because I spent the summer telling myself how I would be homesick and nervous, but also that everyone is in the same situation. I kept telling myself that when I got there I needed to take a deep breath, and I'd get through, just like everyone else."

For seniors, it is not as comforting as it is for first year stu-

dents who have a whole staff of orientation personnel to accommodate and ease them into their new environments. The assistance seemed to be helpful for

an adult to adult relationship. For members of the class of 1995, it is a different sense of independence. The family is still there but the pattern has changed in

"I am scared about the work," Kunal Grover '98 said bluntly. "An adjustment is the larger classes, its kind of intimidating," added Rachel Doebber '98. Hoyt pointed out that seniors are wondering "how their academics are going to translate into the real world. Some know they weren't great in school but they know they will be good at a job and the reverse is the same."

Shawn Barger '95 commented, "Right now I have so many mixed emotions. I'm happy that it's finally my last year because, being an engineer, the work load was stressful. I'll be glad to get into the working world."

According to Hoyt, "With classes, capstone experiences, résumés, interviews, and networking, seniors are wondering, 'How do I keep all the balls in the air at the same time?'"

Senior Jenny Kissinger reiterated this concern, "It is anxiety because I don't know what I want to do with my life. I have my major but I'm not sure what my exact career goal is. I have a résumé, and I went to the career development center meeting for bachelor of arts majors. I'm planning to take the GRE's because I'm considering graduate school at a later date."

Tracy LaPorte '95 is unsure as to her specific career goals as well as "I'm really stressed because I'm a biology major and there's so much I could do with it, but I'm not sure what I want to do at this point. I'm in the process of writing my résumé, and it's difficult to write because I don't have a specific career goal. It's early on in the process so I'm trying to relax. I have to take into consideration many factors some of which are salary, location, personal expenses, and in the future, graduate schools."

Relationships on campus are a primary concern for both groups as well. "For first year students, making friends can be an anxious time. Contrarily, seniors might start distancing themselves from their friends either consciously or unconsciously with the idea of not wanting to get too close," said Hoyt.

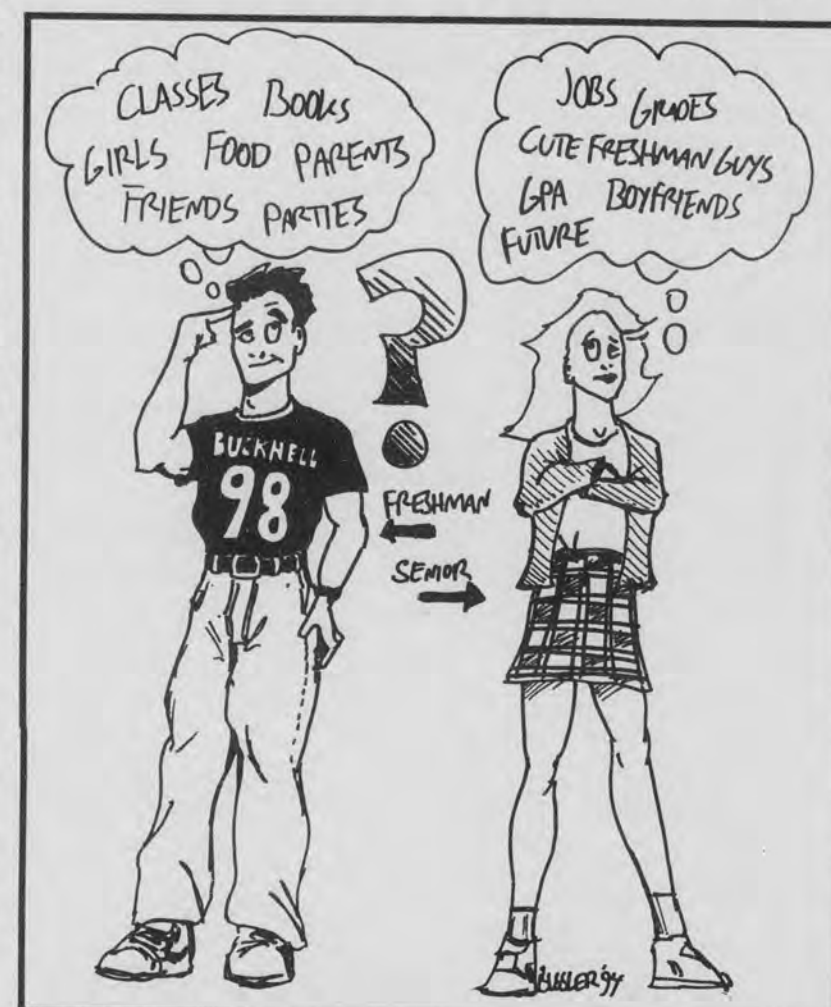
Kevin Arps '98 verified this as a part of what he was feeling. "I was nervous about getting adjusted because there are a lot of new people here — nervous but excited to start a new life." Barger disagreed saying, "I'll miss the people I've interacted with over the past couple years."

Hoyt said that many first year students come to college with a "hometown" and later reach a decision of how to handle the relationship. "First year students are also faced with their sexuality and how they want to be," said Hoyt. Many seniors are confronted with the question of where their relationships are going.

"The last year in college is the time that issues need to be decided, whether or not they'll stay together or go separate ways. Seniors are asking themselves 'Is this the person I want to spend my life with?' In addition, untimely relationships sometimes develop, meeting someone in April perhaps," said Hoyt.

Hoyt's overall message was that all of these points are developmental issues. "Any transition is going to produce anxiety and eventually maturity," she explained, adding that it is "very healthy, and growth producing though frightening while going through it."

According to Hoyt, for both first year students and seniors this year is a "time for soul searching and finding out what I am about."



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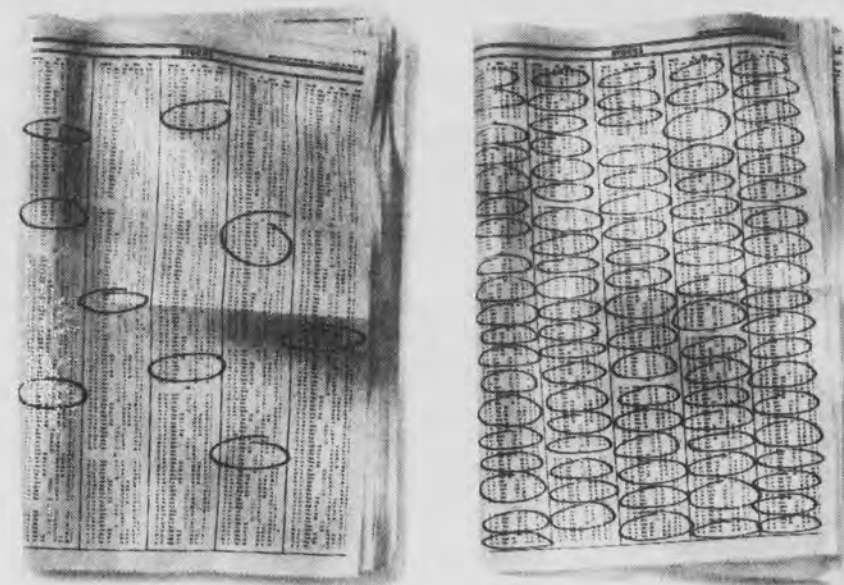
first year student Rachel Doebber. "People say it's a big deal, a big jump, but so far it's been really easy. Bucknell makes it an easy adjustment, they get you involved really quickly, there's so much to do," she explained.

Independence is one aspect that both classes share, yet in different ways, pointed out Hoyt. "For first year students it is independence from family, moving to more of an interdependence with relations which is more of

that spending extended holidays at home and living at home during the summer may no longer be possible. Seniors will be learning about the total responsibility of everyday living."

The concern most often expressed by both years was the academic career side of the story. First year students are wondering if they will be able to handle the workload, the professors, and the decisions involving future career plans.

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If I knew then what I know now...

"Don't get intimidated by your professors."
Suren Sivrajah '97

"Don't stress over work just consistently keep up."
Curt Crane graduate student

"Don't be afraid to go to your professors to ask questions."
Tammy '97

"Always feel free to talk to your professors."
Gretchen '97

"Transferring is not the answer."
Adele '97

"Have confidence in yourself because everyone is in the same boat."
Amanda Parker '97

"Get involved in activities."
Kristen '97

"Volunteer in causes that interest you because it's a rewarding experience."
Tracy LaPorte '95

"Look around the Bucknell campus for the various options that are available socially. Don't look to the fraternities as the only option."
Victor '96

"Don't travel in packs."
Paul Hagopian '97

"Learn how to use the library."
Sharon Sauder '96

"Find what you want and spend your time doing that."
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FEATURES

What every student needs to know

MIKE D'AGOSTINO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

While it may be shockingly politically incorrect, this article is unabashedly dedicated to the first year students here at Bucknell. This is a handy, "clip-n-save" guide to the stuff you need and where to find it in the metropolis of Lewisburg, PA and surrounding towns.

First, the basics. For these items, there is a "catch-all" depository with everything from laundry soap to cheese graters. It is called Wal-Mart; located on Rt. 15.

Next, the necessary services we all use actually can be accommodated in teensy-weensy Lewisburg. Haircuts. If you want a budget "do", there is Ernst on Market Street for the male population.

Dining out may be a worthwhile pursuit when the novelty of the Bison wears off. Downtown, there is the Bull Run Tavern for burgers and wings, and Rusty's in back for slightly more upscale fare. Vennari's Pizza is across Market Street for pizza and pasta.

If you're willing to do a bit of driving, Front Street Station in Northumberland prepares good food for the hungry Bucknellian.

Not shy about shelling out a few dollars, "Front Street is my favorite place to eat because of the atmosphere and the fettuccine Alfredo," said Ken Prothero '96.

Around the corner is the sleeper among the local dining establishments. Abrana Marie's Mexican Restaurant, a tiny eatery tucked away in a house in Northumberland, has one waitress, lovely ambiance, and fantastic authentic Mexican Cuisine.

For those of you who feel the need to exercise after all that food, Donehower's Sport Shop can put you in a new pair of sneakers, set you up with some inline skates for cruising around campus, or suit you up with sportswear for working out. For real clothes, P.S. Zoo on Market Street carries some trendy duds for men and women.

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You can find what you need here, and may have to go no further. "They even have bolts of fabric to make curtains for your room" said Allison Baker '97.

In terms of good old American value, the late Sam Walton, founder of the cheap stuff superstore did pretty well. "I highly recommend the generic line of munchies" said Mike Pyne '96.

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Atwood takes on the World

New editor named to Bucknell World, started job August 1



Sally Atwood, who formerly worked at Penn State University in marketing communication for continuing and distance education, is the new editor of Bucknell World.

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Until the Friday before the applications were due, Sally Atwood really didn't think that she would apply for the job.

She changed her mind at the last minute. At the behest of some friends, she sent her résumé to Public Relations and applied for the job.

Since August 1, Atwood has ensconced herself in the sunny corner office on the second floor of Cooley Hall. The office and the position have been vacant for one year, following the sudden death of the last editor, Marsha Scott Gori.

Having arrived at the beginning of a production cycle for the upcoming issue of Bucknell World, Atwood spent most of August doing hard-core editing. She has also spent a great deal of time meeting people on campus and familiarizing herself with her new surroundings.

She feels the weight of her new responsibilities but regards the new job as a challenge.

"I'm following a woman who was extremely talented, and I'm editing a publication that is very highly regarded around the country," said Atwood. "It's my responsibility to keep it at that level or perhaps make it even better."

Realizing that people's expectations of both her and the publication are very high, she says that she wouldn't want to perform at any other level. And she feels confident in her abilities as an editor.

"I am a writer by training," she said. "Being a good, sound writer is the most important thing that an editor can be. All this feeds into helping me in this job."

IDEAS FOR THE FUTURE

Because the issues of Bucknell World are planned far in advance of the publication dates, it will be at least March before Atwood's presence strongly impacts the publication. She, nevertheless, does have some ideas that she would like to implement.

So that she and the other creators of Bucknell World can get a better sense of what the readership would like to see, Atwood's first enterprise will be a reader poll that

will appear in an upcoming issue of the publication.

"All of my ideas will be tempered by what the readers want," she says.

She also says that she hopes to continue the kinds of cover stories that have a sense of social consciousness. She would, however, like to connect such stories more strongly with the University.

Atwood thinks that the publication would improve with profiles of faculty "stars" and prominent alumni. "Not people who are just successful in their careers," she says, "but people who are really making a difference in contributing to their communities or to their area of expertise."

Atwood states that since she has taken the position, many people have wanted her to know their opinions. And she's open to hearing all of them.

"As I get to know the University and the readership, there will be changes. That doesn't mean, however, that the new issue of Bucknell World will look different from the last one. When it changes, it will do so to better serve the University and its constituents."



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FOOTBALL

September		
Sat. 10	HOFSTRA	1:00pm
Sat. 17	SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT	1:00pm
Sat. 24	at Harvard	1:00pm
October		
Sat. 1	at Princeton	1:00pm
Sat. 8	TOWSON STATE	1:00pm
Sat. 15	CORNELL	1:00pm
Sat. 22	at Lehigh	1:00pm
Sat. 29	LAFAYETTE	1:00pm
November		
Sat. 5	at Holy Cross	1:00pm
Sat. 12	COLGATE	1:00pm
Sat. 19	FORDHAM	1:00pm
Head Coach:	Lou Maranzana	

CREW

October		
Sat. 1	Head of the Ohio at Pittsburgh, PA on the Ohio & Allegheny Rivers	
Sun. 9	Head of the Connecticut at Middletown, CT on the Connecticut River	
Sat. 15	CLASS DAY RACES at Shamokin Dam, PA on the Susquehanna River	
Sun. 23	Head of the Charles at Boston, MA on the Charles River	
November		
Sat. 5	Head of the Occoquan at Fairfax, VA on the Occoquan Reservoir	
Sat. 12	Philadelphia Frostdite at Philadelphia, PA on the Schuylkill River	
Head Coach:	Jimmy King	

FIELD HOCKEY

September		
Wed. 7	DREXEL	4:00pm
Sat. 10	at C.W. Post	1:00pm
Sun. 11	at Hofstra	noon
Sat. 17	at Holy Cross	1:00pm
Sun. 18	at Springfield	1:00pm
Sat. 24	at Lafayette	noon
Tues. 27	URSINUS	4:00pm
October		
Sat. 1	LEHIGH	1:00pm
Sun. 2	LASALLE	2:00pm
Sat. 8	at Cornell	2:00pm
Mon. 11	at Towson State	3:30pm
Sat. 15	SIENA	11:00am
Wed. 19	COLGATE	3:30pm
Sat. 22	at American	1:00pm
Sun. 23	at Georgetown	1:00pm
Tues. 25	at Lock Haven	5:00pm
Sat. 29	FAIRFIELD	2:00pm
Head Coach:	Heather Lewis	

WOMEN'S SOCCER

September		
Sat. 3	ST. FRANCIS (PA)	1:00pm
Sat. 10	LEHIGH	11:00am
Tues. 13	at Mt. St. Mary's	4:00pm
Sat. 17	HOLY CROSS	11:00am
Sun. 18	FAIRFIELD	11:00am
Tues. 20	at Pennsylvania	7:30pm
Sat. 24	at Colgate	1:00pm
Tues. 27	at Penn State	7:00pm
Fri. 30	at Army	7:00pm
October		
Thurs. 6	LAFAYETTE	7:30pm
Sat. 8	at Florida Atlantic	2:00pm
Sun. 9	at Florida vs. Stetson	11:00am
Sat. 15	FORDHAM	11:00am
Wed. 19	SCRANTON	4:00pm
Sat. 22	at Navy	10:00am
Thurs. 27	LYCOMING	7:00pm
Sat. 29	ROBERT MORRIS	11:00am
Sun. 30	GEORGETOWN	noon
November		
Sat-Sun 5-6	Patriot League Championships	
Head Coach:	Toby Lovechio	

MEN'S SOCCER

September		
Sun. 4	at Pittsburgh	1:00pm
Wed. 7	KUTZTOWN	7:15pm
Sat. 10	at Lehigh	11:30am
Tues. 13	ST. PETER'S	7:15pm
Sat. 17	at Holy Cross	1:00pm
Wed. 21	at St. Joseph's	4:00pm
Sat. 24	COLGATE	1:00pm
Wed. 28	at Delaware	3:30pm
October		
Sat. 1	ARMY	1:00pm
Tues. 4	MILLERSVILLE	7:15pm
Sat. 8	at Lafayette	3:30pm
Sat. 15	FORDHAM	4:00pm
Tues. 18	at Penn State	7:00pm
Sat. 22	FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON	2:00pm
Tues. 25	at Mt. St. Mary's	3:45pm
Sun. 30	NAVY	2:00pm
November		
Wed. 2	PHILADELPHIA TEXTILE	7:15pm
Sat-Sun 5-6	Patriot League Championships	
Head Coach:	Craig Reynolds	

WOMEN'S TENNIS

September		
Thurs. 8	at Lehigh	3:00pm
Sat. 10	at LaSalle	1:00pm
Sun. 11	at St. Joseph's	1:00pm
Wed. 14	at Lafayette	3:30pm
Sat. 17	Holy Cross	11:00am
Sun. 18	COLGATE	1:00pm
Tues. 20	ST. FRANCIS (PA)	4:15pm
Sat. 24	DELAWARE	1:00pm
Wed. 28	at Mt. St. Mary's	3:00pm
October		
Sat. 1	Army	11:00am
Sun. 2	FORDHAM	11:00am
Tues. 4	at Shippensburg	3:30pm
Sat-Sun 8-9	PATRIOT LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS	
November		
Tues. 11	at Seton Hall	3:00pm
Sat. 15	at Pittsburgh	1:00pm
Sun. 16	at Duquesne	10:00am
Fri-Sat 21-22	at Towson Invitational	
Head Coach:	Rose Evans	

VOLLEYBALL

September		
Fri-Sat 2	at Seton Hall vs. LaSalle	8:00pm
	vs. Wagner	9:00am
Tues. 6	Consolation and Championship at Delaware	7:00pm
Fri-Sat 9	BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
	vs. Youngstown State	8:30pm
	vs. St. Peter's	9:00am
	vs. St. Bonaventure	11:00am
	LAFAYETTE	7:00pm
	MARYLAND-Eastern Shore	
Tues. 13	DARTMOUTH	3:00pm
Sat. 17	at Lehigh	7:00pm
Tues. 20	at Temple vs. LaSalle	11:00am
Fri. 24	vs. Temple	2:00pm
October		
Sat. 1	NAVY	10:00am
Sat. 8	ST. FRANCIS (NY)	1:00pm
	at Winthrop	TBA
Mon. 10	vs. North Carolina-Asheville	TBA
Fri-Sat 14	at Campbell	7:00pm
Sat. 15	at Colgate	7:00pm
Sat. 22	vs. Holy Cross	noon
	at St. Francis (PA)	4:00pm
	vs. Niagara	7:00pm
Fri-Sat 28	at Navy vs. Fordham	7:00pm
Sat. 29	vs. Army	noon
November		
Sat. 5	ROBERT MORRIS	10:00am
	COLUMBIA	1:00pm
	SIENA	4:00pm
Sat-Sun 12-13	Patriot League Championships	
Head Coach:	Cindy Opalski	

JV FOOTBALL

September		
Mon. 12	SUSQUEHANNA	7:00pm
October		
Sun. 2	LACKAWANNA JR. COLLEGE	1:30pm
Sun. 23	LAFAYETTE	3:00pm
November		
Mon. 7	FORK UNION MILT. ACAD.	3:00pm

WATER POLO

September		
Sat-Sun 3-4	Tournament at Rockville, MD	
Sat-Sun 10-11	BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
Sat-Sun 17-18	Eastern League Tournament at Villanova	
Sat-Sun 24-25	at Navy Invitational	
October		
Sat-Sun 1-2	Eastern League Tournament at Richmond	
Sat-Sun 15-16	Eastern League Tournament at Princeton	
Sat-Sun 22-23	at Chapman University Tournament	
Sat-Sun 29-30	EASTERN LEAGUE SOUTHERN CHAMPIONSHIPS at Bucknell	
November		
Sat-Sun 5-6	Easterns at Harvard	
Fri-Sat 25-27	NCAA Championships at Belmont Plaza	
Head Coach:	Alan Huckins	

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

September		
Sat. 10	RUTGERS, MANHATTAN, JMU	
Sat. 17	at Delaware Invitational	
Sat. 24	at Mt. West Cross Country Classic	
October		
Sat. 1	BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
Sat. 15	at Pittsburgh	3:00pm
Sat. 29	PATRIOT LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS	
November		
Sat. 12	ICAA Championships at Boston, MA	
Mon. 21	NCAA Championships at Fayetteville, AR	
Head Coach:	Art Gulden	

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

September		
Sat. 10	GEORGE MASON, MANHATTAN, JMU & CONNECTICUT	
	at Delaware Invitational	
Sat. 17		
October		
Sat. 1	BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
Sat. 15	at Pittsburgh	3:00pm
Sat. 29	PATRIOT LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS	
November		
Sat. 12	ECAC Championships at Boston, MA	
Mon. 21	NCAA Championships at Fayetteville, AR	
Head Coach:	Art Gulden	

GOLF

September		
Sat-Sun 10-11	at Colgate-Cornell Invitational	
Fri. 16	at St. Bonaventure	
Fri-Sat 23-24	BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
Fri. 28	at Franklin & Marshall	
October		
Sat-Sun 1-2	Patriot League Championship at Colgate	
Thurs. 6	at ECAC Southern Qualifier	
Sat-Sun 15-16	ECAC Championships	
Head Coach:	Tommy Thompson	

Next Week:

Results from the Bucknell-Hofstra game

SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:
"We have the chance to be the best Bucknell football team in a long time."
—Football coach Lou Maranzana

Bison open with strong Hofstra team

BY JEFF ADAMS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Fourth down and a goal to go, the Bison needed only to go a few yards to make their dreams come true. Rebounding from a 1-5 start, and having won three straight league games, Bucknell had a chance to claim a share of the Patriot League Football Championship. But their last chance ended in an incomplete pass, and they fell to Colgate 13-8. Lehigh, a team the Bison had downed 32-27 during their three game run, became the champion.

Bucknell opens this season Saturday, at home at 1 p.m., against a strong Hofstra team. Hofstra is coming off a 41-0 rout of Butler, in which their run-and-shoot offense scored on their first seven possessions. Also, Hofstra has defeated the Bison by a combined score of 71-7 in the last two seasons. But the Bison's hopes are undiminished.

Although that ill-fated pass at Colgate ended Bucknell's season, it did not end their momentum or their confidence. The football team returns most of their skill position players, as well as four All-Patriot League selections. The leader of them is Russ Strohecker '95, who this year will become Bucknell's first two-year captain since 1901. Strohecker led the team in tackles with 117, 68 of which were solo stops. He also had a sack and an interception, and he needs only 99 tackles to become the school's all-time leader in that category. For his efforts, Strohecker, a starter since the middle of his freshman year, was named to the All-Patriot League Second Team and honorable mention All-America. He is a preseason All-America candidate and was selected as the preseason Patriot League Defensive Player of the Year.

Quarterback Rob Glus '95, who won the starting job in midseason from fellow senior Travis Kopp, led the Bison on their championship hunt and was named to the All-Patriot League Second Team. In his first start, against conference rival Holy



Tailback Rich Lemon '97, who established new Bucknell freshmen running marks, breaks through a big hole in the Bison line.

Cross, Glus connected on 19 of his 34 passes for 220 yards in a 33-23 win. He was named the Patriot League Co-Player of the Week following his 246 yard, three touchdown performance against Lehigh. For the season, Glus was 96 for 185, compiling 1,260 yards with five TDs and nine interceptions. Glus is also a standout student, and has been a GTE Academic All-District II selection the past two years.

Mark Miller '96 returns as one of the best cornerbacks in the league, having been a Second-Team All-Patriot League selection last year. Miller's six interceptions tied him for the conference lead and placed him fourteenth in the nation in interceptions per game. An excellent man on man defender, his nine pass deflections led the team. Of Miller's 50 tackles (which was the fifth-most by a Bison), 42 were unassisted. Miller was one of only four sophomores to be named All-Patriot League, and he will be expected to anchor an experienced Bucknell secondary.

But unquestionably the most heralded of the Bison last season was freshman sensation Rich Lemon '97. Lemon, a 5-8

tailback, was fifth on the depth chart at the running back entering last season's campaign. But a rash of injuries thrust Lemon into a starting role, and his explosive debut made the job his. He gained 210 yards on 32 carries in his first collegiate game, the third-most yards in a single game in Bucknell history. After a mid-season slump, Lemon gained over 100 yards in five of the last six games, and his four straight games over the century mark established a Bison record. For the season, Lemon rushed for 1,151 yards (second in the conference) on 212 carries and scored seven touchdowns. He was 25th in the country in rushing last season, and ranked second among all freshmen nationally. He was awarded the Patriot League's Rookie of the Year and was named to the Patriot League Second Team.

Joining Strohecker as captains are Ed Frattarelli '95, an offensive tackle who will be one of the best linemen in the league this year. He has not missed a start in the

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Cycling team competes over break

BY CHRIS NEUMANN
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The Bucknell Cycling Team has been

very active this summer, making podium appearances at races throughout the Northeast, as well as a trip to the Collegiate National Championships last May.



Photo by Eric Yajko

Nikki Yajko '95 competes in the College National Championships.

Women's soccer blasts Saint Francis

BY SCOTT GRISIN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When you take 54 shots on goal in 90 minutes, some of them are bound to find their way into the back of the net. The Bucknell women's soccer team did just that in their season opener as they tickled the nylon nine times in a 9-0 thrashing of Saint Francis (PA) (0-1) last Saturday afternoon.

The 54 shots set a new school record for the Bison (1-0) as they scored six goals in the first half, including three within one minute of each other. The game was highlighted by three goals off the foot of tri-captain Kerry McDonnell '96, includ-

ing two of the three scored in the 16th minute of play. This was the second straight season that McDonnell has had a hat-trick on opening day—she did the same last year against Saint Francis.

It took Bucknell a few minutes to get going, but Amy Riviere '98 broke the ice 12 minutes in with her first career goal off a pass from Joanne Crane '95. From there, the barrage began. Maura Diorio '97 added another at 15:00, and three more shots found the back of the net only one minute later. Two of McDonnell's scores sandwiched a goal from Liz Woodrow '98, who also assisted one of the junior's goals. Tri-captain Lisa Gibbons '95 added one more to put the Bison up 6-0 at halftime.

McDonnell opened up the scoring in the second half with her third goal of the day off a pass from Riviere. Suzie Barrett '98 and Leigh Raymond '98 put the icing on the cake with goals number eight and number nine, assisted by Diorio and Jody Ravets '98.

The Red Flash could only muster eight shots that afternoon, with Becky Snover '97 and Kristen Coates '98 sharing the goalkeeping duties brilliantly for the shutout.

Bucknell had the week off, but the team continues its season at home on Saturday, Sept. 10, at 11 a.m. with a Patriot League game against Lehigh University.

of the 120 original riders were still together.

The final stage, a 1.25 mile circuit criterium, was on Sunday in downtown Christiana. The women's race was first, and Yajko missed the crucial breakaway group, and spent the remainder of the race in the group chasing the leaders. At the finish, she easily sprinted past her companions to place 7th. Her three places for the weekend put her in second overall for the series. "Considering this was my first year, I was really pleased with how I did against some of the more experienced riders this weekend," Yajko said following the awards ceremony. Neumann the race, "I feel pretty confident about the criterium, especially since I won last week's race in Altoona."

Now that school has started, the team has been recruiting new riders for the team, with a degree of success. They will be participating in the Harvest Festival race in Milton on Saturday, and the Bugtown race in Mifflinburg the following day. The last race of the season will be in Binghamton, NY on September 18th.

Cross country teams running on Saturday

BY JEFF ADAMS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bucknell men's and women's cross country teams both open their seasons this weekend at home.

The men will be competing against Rutgers, Manhattan, and James Madison Universities. The women will be taking on James Madison and Manhattan as well, in addition to George Mason and Connecticut. Both races will be at the University Golf Course.

Saturday's meets will be the only home meets for both the men and the women until the Bucknell Invitational on Saturday, Oct. 1. Next weekend, both teams are away at the Delaware Invitational.

Aside from the Patriot League Championships on October 29, the other big competition for the men's team will be the Fifth Annual Mountain West Classic. Teams competing include Arizona, BYU, DePaul, Idaho, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Oregon, and Stanford.



Craig Svendsen '95 leads the ground attack for the Bison this fall.

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last year enabled the Orange and Blue to defeat a tough Kutztown team 3-2.

Coach Reynolds was hesitant to make any predictions this year, but offered the fact that every team is solid and improving in the Patriot League. The Bison will host their first Patriot League game on Sept. 24.

An important change occurs in the postseason tournament this year. The winner of the Patriot League will play the winner of the Northeast League for an NCAA bid. The players realize this change and are hungry to bring that title home to their respective schools.



Bucknellian file photo
The golf team tees off this weekend, traveling to the Colgate-Cornell Invitational. The golfers are home Sept. 23.



The men's soccer team lost to Pittsburgh for the first time in the last six meetings.

Bucknellian file photo

BUCKNELLIAN SPORTS TRIVIA QUIZ—WEEK ONE

1. Who are the only two players in National Basketball Association history to win the MVP Award and the Rookie of the Year in the same season?
2. Who was the last player to win the triple crown in professional baseball?
3. What running back holds the best average yards-per-carry average in National Football League history?
4. Who is the only remaining player in the National Basketball Association who also played in the American Basketball Association?
5. Who has the highest scoring average in National Collegiate Athletic Association basketball history, and what school did he attend?

Bonus: Who is Bucknell's all-time leading football rusher?

Nationally ranked water polo team splits at Navy Invite

BY JEFF ADAMS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bucknell water polo team started this season with very high hopes. In fact, they were ranked nationally in the top ten in the preseason polls. The fact that the Bison went 2-2 at their first invitational of the year could be seen as a disappointment.

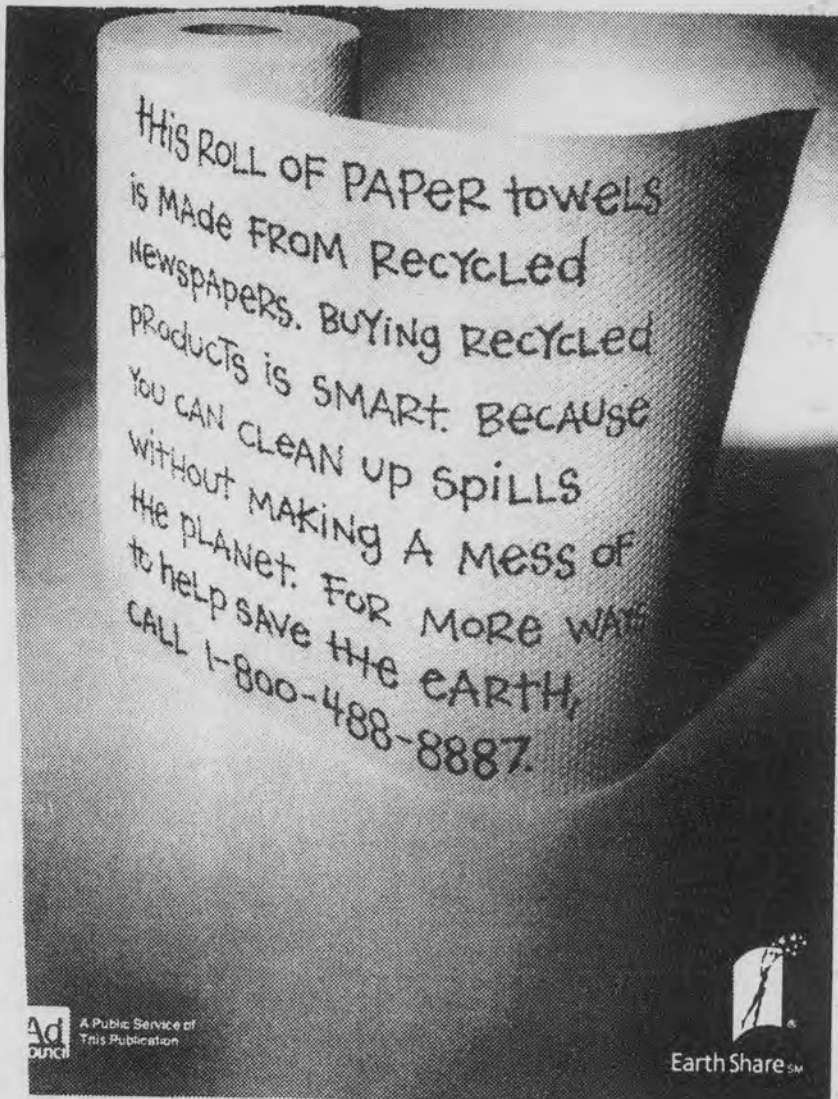
But was it really? A closer look at the field at the Navy Labor Day Invitational Tournament shows just how stiff the competition was. The Orange and Blue received a tough draw from the start, facing third-ranked California in their opening game of the season. They battled to the end, but could not stay with the powerful Bears team. They succumbed by a 14-4 margin.

Later in the day, the Bison had to tackle the host team of Navy. The Midshipmen were also ranked nationally, holding the number thirteen spot in the polls. The contest was close most of the way and Bucknell pulled to within 12-11 with only two minutes in the game. But Navy responded with two two-point goals and a one-

pointer to close the book on the Orange and Blue. Sean Tierney '95 was an especially bright spot for Bucknell, tallying six goals.

The following day was much kinder to the water polo team. In Sunday's first game the Bison defeated Villanova 13-10. Tim Nesvig '96 contributed three goals in the effort. Then the Bison showed that their national ranking wasn't so overinflated after all. Bucknell faced off against eleventh-ranked Massachusetts, the team that defeated them at last season's Eastern Championship. So it was not only a final chance for the water polo team to strut their stuff on a national level, it was also an opportunity at revenge.

The game did not disappoint. Bucknell's Sloan Broderick '96 scored the game winning goal with a mere one second remaining on the clock. The final score was Bucknell 15, Massachusetts 14. Through four games, Tierney has 12 goals, Jamie Blaine has 10, and Nesvig has seven. The latest national poll has Bucknell ranked in a tie for nineteenth.



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Bucknell great flies to the Cardinals

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he was tabbed the new head man in Arizona. So Henesey, (and here the story goes from a nice, amusing tale to one of inspiration and triumph), asked for a leave from the pharmaceutical company. He used a friend's frequent-flyer miles to go to Arizona. He rented a hotel room and a car. He called the Cardinals' front office in Tempe and

pretended to be a Federal Express employee so he could obtain the address. When he got to their office, he kept up the Federal Express gig, saying he had a package for Buddy Ryan. What he really had were Bucknell game tapes.

Henesey talked to the defensive coordinator of the Cardinals, Ronnie Jones, but Ryan wasn't there. He was told that Ryan would be there the next morning.

So Henesey returned at 6:30 the next morning, waited in the parking lot until the offices opened at 8:30, and was finally ushered into the office of Buddy Ryan, the coach of the NFL Arizona Cardinals. Saying that he wanted to play pro football and was looking for a shot, Henesey was taken straight from the office to the practice field. He was given a workout, which is what he wanted all along. Then came the quote, the one that made it into *Sports Illustrated* in a story about Ryan, "I would gladly run down the field on kick-offs," Henesey told the coach, "and rip off heads in your honor." The quote pretty much sums up both men—Henesey would love to do it, Ryan would love to have it done for him. Ryan smiled, and players don't often make football coaches like Ryan smile. Within the hour, Brian Henesey signed a pro contract with the Arizona Cardinals.

But the story doesn't end there, for Henesey still had to make the team. When he got to camp, the other players started calling him Rudy after the small but courageous lineman who made the Notre Dame team in the 1970's and recently was the subject of a movie. But there is a difference: Henesey can really play football. He didn't make it on heart alone. He didn't make it just because of the professional salary cap and the fact that he makes the league minimum (although, at \$108,000 a year, he nearly tripled his previous salary). He didn't make it because the Cardinals had a rash of injuries.

As Ryan told the Philadelphia-



Bucknellian File Photo

Henesey shows the determination that brought him to the pros.

based paper *The Tribune*, "It had nothing to do with that. All you can do is evaluate people who are here. Rudy has played well."

On the eve of the final preseason game, he still didn't know if he had made it. So the president of the aforementioned pharmaceutical company flew Henesey's parents and his fiancée, Caroline Shantz (herself a Bucknell grad), to Arizona. If he was cut, at least they would have seen his last game and would be there to support him. If he made it, they could celebrate.

On his second carry that game, he burst free for a fifteen yard gain. Although he later fumbled,

"Brian's a very driven guy who really wanted to play. We're all very pleased and more than a little surprised."

—Bucknell Football
Coach Lou Maranzana

he had shown the coaches enough. The next day he was informed that the Cardinals had cut one more player. It was not Brian Henesey, and celebrate they did.

As if all of this weren't amazing enough, Henesey lost a brother several months ago, when Richard Henesey died in an accident, adding emotional turmoil to the long odds against him. Brian has said that he dedicated his summer efforts to him.

Brad Tufts, Associate Director of Athletics at Bucknell, said, "Brian is a wonderful kid and he was a good student here. This is just a great story."



Bucknellian File Photo

Henesey, Bucknell's all-time leading rusher, sweeps around left end against Villanova.

Patriot League announces format

The Patriot League's Men's and Women's Basketball Championships will be held at the U.S. Military Academy in West Point, New York.

The Patriot League Committee on Administration decided to retain the current tournament format which awards one institution the quarter- and semifinal rounds, with the championship game being played at the home site of the highest remaining seed. The tournament will rotate annually between four sites. Those institutions who will act as hosts are the U.S. Military Academy, Holy Cross, Lehigh University, and the U.S. Naval Academy.

The women's quarterfinals games will be played on Friday, March 3, 1995. The men's quarterfinals will be played the next day, Sunday, March 5, will 1994-95 Preseason Men's Coaches Poll

Institution	Points	'93-'94 Record
1. Colgate	46	17-12, 9-5
2. Navy	41	17-13, 9-5
3. Holy Cross	40	14-14, 9-5
4. Fordham	31	12-15, 9-5
5. Bucknell	22	10-17, 6-8
6. Lehigh	19	10-17, 6-8
7. Lafayette	18	9-19, 4-10
8. Army	7	7-20, 4-10

Institution	Points	'93-'94 Record
1. Fordham	46	21-9, 11-3
Holy Cross	46	15-14, 10-4
3. Army	34	17-11, 8-6
4. Colgate	32	7-20, 6-8
5. Navy	20	10-18, 5-9
6. Lehigh	19	6-21, 4-10
7. Lafayette	15	18-9, 9-5
8. Bucknell	12	6-21, 3-11

This format proved quite successful for the Patriot League last season. The finals, as well as the earlier rounds, were held at the home of the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland. A final round attendance record was set last year, and the men's final received a larger television audience. The Patriot League also announced their preseason basketball predictions:

The Patriot League also announced the preseason All-League teams. The following were voted on by the coaches:



Women's team	Men's team
*Lisa Russell	*Rob Feaster
Kelly Fitzpatrick	Brian Anderson
Denise Hammersley	Adonal Foyles
Lauren Maney	T.J. Hall
Jen Smith	Tucker Neale
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Commentary

Mow the grass,
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You saw them earlier this summer—the circular mowing patterns around the mound; the checkerboard infields. Do they continue to do that during the strike, or do they simply mow in straight lines since nobody will see them? Do they even cut the grass at all?

The upkeep of the Kentucky bluegrass is not at the top of the list as players and owners engage in what has become the new American Pastime—bickering over money. The major issue is simple—the owners demand a salary cap, and the players refuse to have one. Don't get me wrong—both sides have animatedly stated that they are willing to compromise on anything. Oh, yeah...except the salary cap.

The owners claim that a cap is needed to slow the explosive growth of player salaries, since small market teams cannot continue to dish out the same cash as the clubs with higher revenues. If a team cannot afford to pay what the great players demand, and another team can, there will obviously be an uneven distribution of talent throughout the league.

But what makes a "small market" team, anyway? (All ballclubs are located in or near some of the largest cities in North America, which certainly do not appear to be small markets.) If the problem is that they do not bring in as much money as other teams, these clubs should move to a city where there is more interest and eliminate the small market teams all together. Montreal was leading the NL East at the onset of the strike, and they were still playing in a half-filled stadium.

The owners also claim that the small market teams cannot compete in the league today. Well, if that's the case, then why are Cleveland, Texas, and Montreal leading their divisions when they ranked 13th, 19th, and 25th (out of 26 teams) in profits for the 1991 season? It looks like they are putting up a pretty good fight without carrying an astronomical payroll.

Are the players really that overpaid, anyway? An economics professor in Florida claims that professional baseball players are the most exploited workers in the country when you look at the estimated revenue (based on performance) they each bring in for the club. For example, Barry Bonds is paid \$4 million per year while he brings in approximately \$9 million for the Giants—he's paid less than half of his worth.

So who's right, and what needs to be done? The owners can justifiably want to control their costs by limiting player salaries, as long as there is a need to do so—I think they are already making enough as it is. It is also understandable that the players don't want to see a drop in pay, and the fans can keep complaining about ticket prices.

What the game of baseball really needs is a neutral commissioner, someone who can make decisions alone (that are, as always, "in the best interest of baseball").

So do it for all the guys who trace those intricate patterns with their tractors. Do it for those of us who like the way it looks. Mow the infield and play some baseball.

Scott Grisin

Scott Grisin, Staff Writer

Bison, 3-2, return from tough road trip;
host volleyball invitational tomorrow

BY JEFF ADAMS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bucknell women's volleyball team traveled to a tournament at Seton Hall for the beginning of their season, tackling a number of tough teams in the process.

The Seton Hall Spikefest presented the Bison with LaSalle as their opening opponent on September 2. The Orange and Blue got off on the right foot with a 15-6,

15-9, 15-12 straight sweep win. The women followed that up with another relatively easy win over Wagner. Bucknell won in three games again, 15-6, 15-5, and 15-9. Next came a challenge, in the form of a tough team from Manhattan.

What followed was an intense, bitterly fought battle with Manhattan. After getting trounced in the first two games by scores of 15-10 and 15-3, the Bison didn't give

up. They took the next two games by the counts of 15-10 and 15-13, before bowing out in a courageous fifth set, 15-13. Bucknell showed their mental toughness in their next contest. They didn't allow a tough loss to get them down, and they took care of business in a rematch against LaSalle. This time the score was 15-4, 8-15, 15-6, 15-13.

The Bison then traveled to Delaware, a team they had never beaten in eighteen previous meetings. That did not change. The Blue Hens jumped out to a big 6-1 lead in the first game, and the Orange and Blue never really recovered. They dropped the first game 15-7. The score was deadlocked at seven in the second game until Delaware reeled off five straight points en route to a 15-10 win. Bucknell fell way behind again in the third game, trailing 14-5. The Bison reeled off five straight points of their own, but the rally was not enough. They dropped the final game 15-10 and that was the match. The loss left the women with a 3-2 record.

Bucknell enters their home schedule tomorrow with the Bucknell Invitational. Youngstown, St. Peter's, and St. Bonaventure will be coming to town. Bucknell does not play a Patriot League game until September 20 when they travel to Lehigh.

Katie Steele '96 leads the team in kills. She has 31 kills for a two-per-game average. Susie Teitsworth '97 and Heather Rendle '97 have recorded 27 kills each. Heather Montaperto '97 has contributed 25 kills. Brenda Hayduk '96 and Annalise Meidman '97 each have 40 assists, a 2.67 per-game average. Karen Horisny '97 has added 11 assists.

This season Coach Cindy Opalski's team is quite young. The squad has only one senior, Joanne Lewis '95, and only two juniors, Steele and Hauduk. The rest of the team is populated by seven sophomores and three freshmen.



Bucknellian file photo
The volleyball team scored victories over LaSalle and Wagner, and dropped decisions to Manhattan and the University of Delaware.

Mifflinburg to host
criterium bicycle race

The Mifflinburg Buggytown Criterium Bicycle Race will be held Sunday, September 11, beginning at 12:30 pm. Local entrants will battle the best Olympic-caliber athletes for over \$1500 in cash and prizes.

Racers licensed by the United States Cycling Federation will compete in four separate divisions: Category I, II, and III; Category IV; Category V; and the Masters (age 35 and over). The numbers denote the individual rider's ranking by the USCF. The miles raced will range from 10 to 35, depending on the ranking. Race day registration fees for USCF-ranked riders will range from \$17 to \$19. All racers may register on race day from 9:30am until race time.

The race will also include a Citizen's division for novices and unlicensed racers. Race day registration for the Citizen's division will be \$17. Citizens will race 10 laps for a total of ten miles.

In addition, there will be a Children's division of the race. Children ages three to five will compete in one division; those ages six to ten in another; and those from eleven to thirteen in a third division. The registration fee for the Children's division will be \$2. All children must register on the race day, and be available to receive safety instructions from race officials. All children will be required to wear helmets.

—Compiled by Bucknellian
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last two years, playing his sophomore season at center before switching to tackle. The other captain is Andrew Welty '95, an outside linebacker who was named to *The Sporting News* preseason All-Patriot League Team. Welty finished fourth on the squad in tackles with 56, and he recorded a career-high ten stops against Colgate.

Other important parts of the Bison are returning as well. Jon Castiglia '95 is the lone returnee on the defensive line, which could be a vulnerable spot. Castiglia racked up 22 stops and a sack last season. Joining Welty on the outside will be linebacker Dave Strickland '96, who saw time as a starter last year and recorded 40 tackles. In the secondary, Miller is joined by cornerback Charles Crudup '96, who also made 40 tackles. John Henry '95 returns at strong safety, where he made 63 tackles, good for third on the team. The defensive backfield will be perhaps the strength of the team.

On the offensive side of the ball, Kopp will be ready if Glus falters. Kopp started the first five games of the season last year, and he threw for 678 yards, with four TDs and ten picks. Kopp had a tremendous sophomore year, with a 66% completion rating to go with

1067 yards, 11 scores, and only five interceptions. Craig Svendsen '95 returns at running back to give the Bison a dynamic backfield. Slowed early by injuries, Svendsen still carried the ball 100 times for 420 yards and five TDs. He had a 105-yard game against Brown. Mark Gentile '95, a 6-6 tight end, had 30 catches for 505 yards, and should again be a good target for Glus.

The offense's two biggest question marks are at the wide receiver spot and the kicking game. The two starting wide outs are both gone to graduation, with Troy White '95 returning with the most experience. Rich Miller '97 struggled last season, converting only one of seven field goal attempts. Reports are that Miller is back to the form of his stellar high-school career, however.

Coach Lou Maranzana said, "The team can potentially be very good. We have the best balance we've had in awhile. We're also very deep at the skill positions. What will determine how good we are will just be a week to week thing. If the effort is there and things fall into place, we can be what these kids want: the best Bucknell football team around here in a long time. I really think we can do that."



Bucknellian file photo
Travis Kopp '95 gets good protection from his line while looking for a receiver. Kopp will start the season as a backup to Rob Glus.

Experienced field hockey
team returns eight starters

BY SCOTT GRISIN

Bucknellian Staff Writer

For the field hockey team, it is the classic case of good news, bad news.

First, the bad news: Tricia Way '94 and Almira Baldwin '94 are gone. The recently graduated pair constituted the heart of the Bison offense. Indeed, Baldwin and Way scored more than half of the goals (13 out of 24) the Orange and Blue tallied last season. Between them, they garnered six All-Patriot League selections and two regional All-American nominations.

Now, the good news: eight starters from last year's team do return. Joining them is one transfer and a talented crop of incoming freshmen.

The lone seniors on the team are the squad's captains. Kelly Seed '95 appeared in thirteen games last season and made six starts. Primarily a midfielder, the versatile Seed has played almost every position for the Bison at one point in her four years. The other captain is Tracy Laporte '95. Laporte played in seven games last season, splitting time at goalkeeper and recording 49 saves. She enters the season with the most experience, and is the leading candidate to start in goal.

Pushing LaPorte, however, may be Alice Hanson '96. Hanson is a transfer from Middlebury College, and may see action as a net-minder.

Defense will be the field hockey team's strength this season. Every defensive starter from last season's squad returns. Tracy Bass '96, who played predominantly at sweeper last season will be counted on again. Kate McIlvain '97 re-

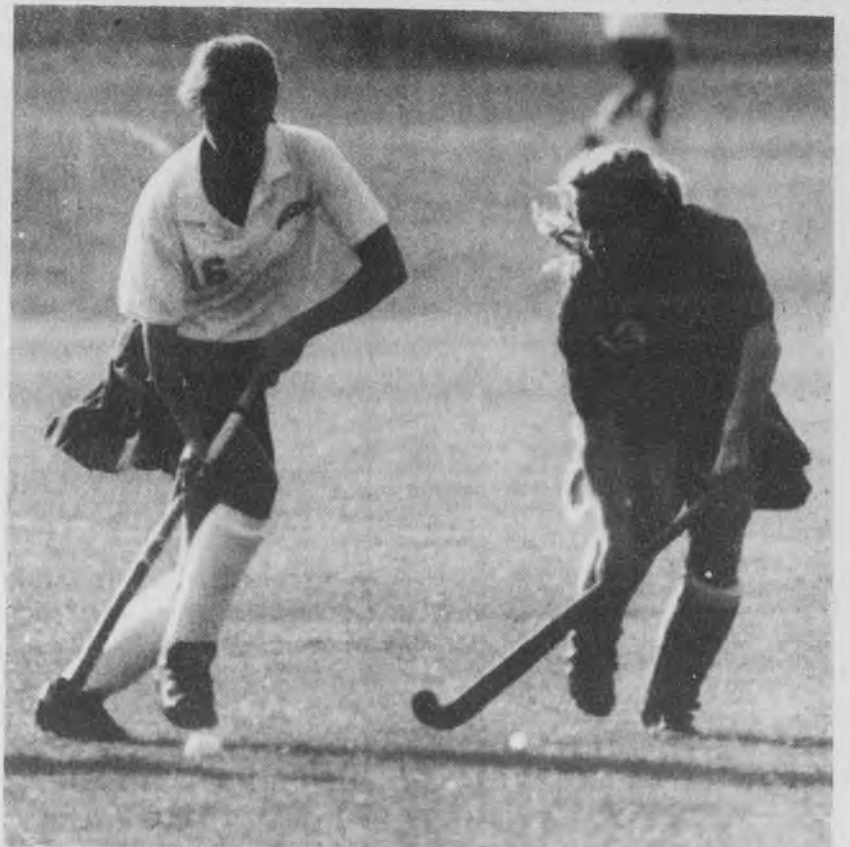
ally stood out in her freshman year. She started all eighteen games and was named the Patriot League Co-Rookie of the Year. Carolyn Zesk '96 will again be a dependable part of the Bison attack. She has started every game since her career began. Dani Johnston '97 is another member of last season's impressive freshmen class. Johnston was a starter in thirteen of Bucknell's games last season.

Sally Keith '96 and Megan Bossuyt '97 are back as the starters in the midfield. Keith, like Zesk, has started every game she has played, and last year she notched two goals and three assists.

Bossuyt played on the first team in all eighteen contests. This group will also be bolstered by the return of Jennifer Ball '97. One of the most talented players on the team, Ball sat out all of last season with a leg injury.

Attempting to replace the high-scoring duo of Baldwin and Way will be Liz Goodall '96 and Missy Hauck '97. Each scored four goals last season and have shown the potential to carry the Bison offense this year.

Carolyn Buck '97 will be counted on to contribute more offensively this season. In limited time, she had one goal last year.



Bucknellian file photo
The Bison field hockey team returns with eight of its starters, including the entire defensive unit. The Orange and Blue began the season last night by hosting Drexel.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers. Lows in the upper 50s.
 Friday—Partly cloudy. Highs near 80.
 Saturday—Partly cloudy. Lows in the 60s. Highs in the upper 70s to low 80s.
 Sunday—Mostly cloudy with a chance of showers. Lows in the 60s. Highs 75-80.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

Liability concerns ends Bucknell Buddies

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

When Missy Bellavia '96 and Laura Madden '95 began an independent study for the English department last fall, neither one could have predicted the confusion that was to follow.

The two volunteered their time with the local Head Start program and thought it would be a terrific idea to begin a program in which Bucknell student could spend approximately two hours a week with the Head Start children, helping to ease the rough transition many have from the program to kindergarten.

But in a memo dated Sept. 6, 1994, the two students were informed that the group, Bucknell Buddies, could no longer "operate under or use the name Bucknell." The letter came from the offices of Elias Abelson, University general counsel and Barbara Shailor, Vice-President of Student Services.

The letter informed them that due to liability reasons and the fact that there are other programs through which students can volunteer, the Bucknell Buddies program could no longer exist.

According to Bellavia, although the program was similar to Big Brother/Big Sister, it was not Big Brother/Big Sister. The program was designed to carry through the volunteer's four years at Bucknell. Each student was assigned a Head Start child which they would spend time with through their senior year. The original response overwhelmed the girls. According to Bellavia "over 70 people signed up." Bellavia and Madden realized early however that Bucknell vehicles were needed to transport the buddies.

The program continued through the fall of last year with students using their own modes of transportation, and receiving funding through Catholic Campus Ministries.

When the two returned in February, they were notified by their advisor, Father Jack Kelly, that the Catholic Church in Harrisburg removed funding, citing liability issues. No longer were Bucknell students to spend any one on one time with their buddies.

Within that same week, again informed through Father Kelly, the program was told by Elias Abelson that Bucknell Buddies "could have no affiliation with the university," said Bellavia.

Bellavia also added that because of the confusion, "I had not spoken to [Abelson] since the fall," she was never really clear on the diocese's removal of funds and Abelson's concern.

The two then sat in limbo, with their program lacking the funding it needed. Bellavia claims, "I was never given a direct answer." Both she and Madden attempted a few times to reach Abelson, as well as Richard Chapman, Dean of Students.

The week that the two received notice, they telephoned the parents of the Head Start children to explain the situation and inform them that if they still wished for students to spend time with the children, that the students would still be willing to do so. Said Bellavia, "That's just not fair to do to kids."

In late March a meeting took place
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Turtle nabbed from pet store Bucknell students suspected of committing theft

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Jo Reitz, manager of Pet Pourri on Market Street, is taking the case of the missing Sulcata tortoise very seriously.

She said that she believes that a Bucknell student took it.

When she checked the turtle between 2 and 3 p.m. on the afternoon of Tuesday, Sept. 6, it was in its tank. But by 5 p.m. that evening, the turtle was missing.

Because she identified the only customers in the store during the hours in between as a group of about ten young people whom she believed to be Bucknell students, she places the blame on them. And although the group of people did not identify themselves as students, Reitz is sure that they were.

"Bucknell students usually come in

groups. I deal with them all the time. I'm sure they go to Bucknell."

Although Reitz said that it would have been difficult for a short person to reach the tank where the turtle was contained, the three and one-half inch diameter of the turtle made it easy to steal.

Pet Pourri does not plan to press charges against the individual who stole the turtle—the store is offering a \$50 reward for the safe return of the \$229 turtle. Reitz just wants the turtle returned safely to the store.

"She's a desert turtle," Reitz said. She said that she is afraid that someone might put it in water.

A Lewisburg Police Officer said that he knew of no leads on the case.

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Someone took a Sulcata tortoise from Pet Pourri, the pet store on Market Street on Thursday, Sept. 6. The store values the turtle at \$229 and is offering

Computer network upgraded Improvements include a new Coral platform

BY SARA ALLEN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

After a hectic summer of upgrading the University computer systems and services, the Computer and Communications Services staff is still implementing more changes in the system.

A major addition that took place this summer was the institution of a new Coral platform in the campus wide network. Although the old Coral platform was the source of much grief in the past by some students and faculty, the purchase of a new, faster Digital Equipment Company (DEC) computer will hopefully ease much of the frustration.

The conversion has been anything but smooth, as technical glitches have crashed the new Coral almost daily, and have frustrated CCS staff members and users alike.

Although the new Coral was installed before classes began in August, Gene Spencer, CO-director of CCS, conceded to the problem, saying that "there are still a few bugs in the system that need to be worked out. Coral has had some growing pains but it's getting a lot better and will continue to do so."

Despite the early problems, the gener-

al reactions from users seem to be positive.

"It used to take me so long to login on my e-mail or use the other services that the 'old' Coral offered," said Lauren Wehl '96. "The whole system seemed so overwhelmed."

As always, e-mail can be accessed through Coral, a service that has, for the first time, become automatically accessible to all students through the new policy of assigning each student with his or her own login password at the beginning of the semester. This is another attempt by CCS to extend the use of computer resources to the entire campus. Other new additions instituted to Coral are a new World Wide Web server and additional gopher servers.

In addition to the new Coral platform, CCS is still in the midst of many projects. It is still searching for a software package to help solve many of the needs in departments such as Admissions, Personnel, Financial Aid, and the Registrar's Office. For University Relations, a new software package created by Datatel entitled "Benefactor," will be installed next month. It is hoped that Benefactor will be successful in meeting all of the processing needs in

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Langone advises students Trustee tells students how to succeed in life

BY ANDY SANTILLO

Speaking to a group of economics students in the Bertrand Library Traditional Reading Room last Monday, Ken Langone, University trustee, said that it is our generation that has the true power.

In a speech that went off on many different tangents, Langone said that this group still has yet to take advantage of that power.

"If you did what those pigs (American Association of Retired Persons) did, you would be the strongest force in Washington," he said to the students.

Langone is famous for his success in the world of business, but he said that he feels money is not the most important thing in life. "Money can't buy you happiness," he said, "but it is a lot more fun than being poor."

An entrepreneur himself, Langone referred to entrepreneurs as "risk takers," "eternal optimists," and "outright nuts."

Encouraging them to take risks, he said "Never say die. Entrepreneurs see opportunity when others don't, and make chicken manure into chicken salad."

Although he feels that being an entrepreneur is a great way of life, Langone warns that, "if you can't take failure, don't do what I do." A true entrepreneur sees failure as a great opportunity, and "has more fun giving away money than making it."

Langone said that he is not, however, a "self-made man."

"No one in this world has accomplished anything without the help of someone else."

Langone graduated from Bucknell during the 1950s. He admits to having a great deal of trouble here.

Even though a professor once called him into his office to tell him that he was failing every subject, and people bet that he would not be returning after Christmas break, Langone stuck it out. "The best advice ever given to me," Langone said of the professor, "was to believe that I was smart enough to make it through here and not to let anyone make me think dif-

ferent." Langone also said that part of his Bucknell education was learning how to get along with people.

Langone, a self-proclaimed "outspeak-kenist," said that there is one ideal that his father told him he has lived his life by it, "Whenever I am about to do something, I ask myself if I am I prepared to, or would be bothered by it if I see it in the newspaper the next day."

Langone concluded the discussion by saying that, "opportunity today is better than ever." The future is in the youth, he said. But Langone emphasized that failure is needed to be successful in future endeavors. "Being ranked second in Fortune magazine was my greatest success, but it did not come without many failures."

Langone then departed to give a speech in the Weis Center. While leaving, he gave his definition of success. "At first I thought success depended on dollars and cents," he said. "But now I see it more on the availability of helping others in the way of creating jobs."



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian
 After talking to a group of economic students, Ken Langone gave a speech to an audience in the Weis Center.

Former employee files suit against Rick Hartzell and University

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

A former University employee has filed a civil lawsuit against both Rick Hartzell, director of athletics, and the University.

Carl Shingara, a resident of Sunbury, who worked for the University from January 1971 to April 1991 as equipment director/manager, alleged in a formal complaint filed on July 26, 1994 that Hartzell had directed him on an "or else" basis to do illegal things that Shingara refused to do.

In addition to Shingara's claims that Hartzell directed him to falsify workmen's compensation insurance records, he alleges that Hartzell knowingly allowed the use of "peep holes" in the women's locker room in the Fieldhouse and hidden video cameras in the men's locker room.

Two years after the University terminated Shingara's employment, Shingara filed a civil action against Hartzell and the

University in April 1993. More than one year later, he filed a formal complaint.

Shingara claims that he lost his job because he refused to follow Hartzell's orders to perform or maintain the illegal activities. According to the claim, because of "Hartzell's desire to retaliate against Shingara for refusing to perform illegal activities and because of his desire to lead more wrong-doings in the department, he conspired and was instrumental in having Shingara fired on false grounds."

Also, Shingara claims that Hartzell blamed him for advising the local news media of a negative situation involving Hartzell the Bucknell Women's Basketball team in Boston in March 1991. According to the complaint, Hartzell knew that Shingara didn't notify the media, but rather it was the three female players on the team—including one with whom Shingara claims Hartzell had relations.

Claiming that Hartzell also improperly

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If you're on-campus, go to any public Macintosh computer and you will find MacWeb and Mosaic in the 'Internet Tools' folder which is in the 'Applications' folder. Double-click either with the mouse. You will be presented with a list of campus resources. Anything that is highlighted (usually in blue) you can click and it will take you somewhere else. Scroll down until you find The Bucknellian. Click once, and you've reached us! Simply click on any highlighted item

that you are interested in.

Off-campus, you will need a WWW 'browser' such as Mosaic, MacWeb, WinWeb, Cello, or Lynx. Once in one of these programs, enter the Bucknellian Universal Resource Locator (URL):

<http://www.bucknell.edu/bucknellian>

This will bring you right to our main page and you can follow the instructions from above.

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Brian McAllister—The Bucknellian
 Women's Volleyball finished fourth in the Bucknell Invitational last Saturday.

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ly fired other individuals in addition to himself, Shingara alleges that Hartzell's actions were attempts to "cover-up and conceal wrongdoing and illegal activities in the athletic department."

Shingara implicates the University in the lawsuit because, according to the complaint, "People at Bucknell University were aware of Hartzell's relationship with the female athlete, as well as other problems and illegal activities in the athletic department."

His attorney, Jon Havis of Harrisburg, charged the University with breach of contract. Havis charged both Hartzell, and the University, with intentional and unlawful interference with a contractual relationship, fraud and deceit, outrageous conduct, intentional infliction of emotional and

physical distress, and tortious wrongful discharge.

Because of a University policy not to comment on pending litigations, Hartzell said that he was unable to comment on the case.

Mark A. Fontana of Harrisburg, the attorney representing both Hartzell and the University said the same. He added, however, that the University "intends to vigilantly defend itself against the allegations."

Neither Shingara nor his attorney could be reached for comment.

Because both parties filed a joint motion for continuance on the case, it will not be tried until the third term of 1995. Jury selection will occur in August 1995.

Wayne A. Bromfield of Union County is the presiding judge.

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The following is a copy of the letter received by the Bucknellian from Pet Pourri

To the Tortoise Thief,
Although the baby tortoise was shoplifted from Pet Pourri by a student on Sept. 6, we don't want it to die.

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Tuesday, September 6
At 9:21 p.m., a student reported being the victim of harassing telephone calls. Investigation continuing.

Thursday, September 8
At 10:50 a.m., a student reported being the victim of harassing telephone calls. Investigation continuing.

Friday, September 9
At 9:00 a.m., a University employee reported that a dog had chased him while riding his bicycle on Fraternity Road. Description of dog obtained and was located at the TKE fraternity. Due to a continual ongoing problem with above dog, the animal control officer for Union County was contacted and responded. Owner was cited in accordance with animal control laws.

At 1:05 p.m., Public Safety officers, as well as East Buffalo and Lewisburg Police, responded to an accident near the intersection of Snake Road and River Road. Two University employees riding in a utility cart were struck by a passing vehicle as it attempted to make a turn into the Physical Plant Shed area. Both employees were treated for minor injuries at the Evangelical Community Hospital.

At 3 p.m., a student reported the possible theft of her purse from her room in Harris Hall. Victim said that there were times prior to her discovering the theft that her room was left unsecured and unattended. Investigation ongoing.

At 3:30 p.m., a University employee reported that the rear view mirror on the Media Services van had been vandalized. Incident occurred during the evening hours of Sept. 8.

At 4:41 p.m., students residing in Bucknell West reported that unknown person(s) had just broken a window in their apartment. There were no witnesses and a carpenter was notified and responded to repair.

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Saturday, September 10
At 3:40 a.m., a Public Safety officer responded to the Langone Center on the report of an unresponsive male. Upon arrival, it was ascertained that the male was an intoxicated student. An ambulance was requested and transported victim to the hospital for treatment. Charges relative to public drunkenness and possession of a fake ID pending with East Buffalo PD.

At 3:59 a.m., a Public Safety officer responded to Swartz Hall on the report of a student carrying a street sign. A student was stopped and questioned, and admitted carrying the sign, as well as consuming alcohol while under 21 years of age. Charges pending.

At 2:30 p.m., a Public Safety officer responded to Leiser House on the report of a theft that occurred overnight. Victim advised that three flags were removed from the living room area. Flags were of the following countries: Russia, Bulgaria, and Palestine.

At 6:02 p.m., a student requested medical transportation from the Brown Conference Center in Cowan for a knee injury. A Student Medical Service Driver responded and transported victim to the Evangelical Hospital for treatment.

Sunday, September 11
At 3:15 a.m., Public Safety officer responded to Vedder Hall on the report of an act of vandalism. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had thrown a liquor bottle through a window.

At 1:46 p.m., student residing in Bucknell West reported that a window to his apartment had been broken overnight. Work order to repair window completed.

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Monday, September 12
At 1 p.m., a University employee reported that painters in the Brown Street area informed him of a man exposing himself on numerous occasions in that area. Investigation continuing by the Department of Public Safety, and the Lewisburg Police Department.

At 4:30 p.m., Public Safety officer responded to the Langone Center on the report of an ill student. Ill student was transported to the Student Health Service for treatment.

Tuesday, September 13
At 3:10 p.m., a University employee reported the theft of approximately 115 feet of fabric fencing from the Bucknell West soccer field. Investigation continuing.

Wednesday, September 14
At 10:46 p.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had intentionally discharged a fire extinguisher.

Thursday, September 15
At 3:34 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Smith Hall on the report of an intoxicated male. Upon arrival, it was discovered that the perpetrator was a student, who entered the room of another student, urinated, and passed out. Charges pending.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of The Bucknellian has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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between Madden and Bellavia and the leaders of Big Brother and Big Sister, hoping that the two groups could mesh. But it was unsuccessful. "We were just too big for them," claims Bellavia, "there were no resources to take us under. Realistically it just wasn't an option."

They called the offices of both Shailor and Abelson, hoping to rejuvenate their program. The offices cited academic credit (since it had originally been an independent study) as a reason why the decision would take so long. "We don't care about credit," said Bellavia, "we didn't care about vehicles, we care that our program was cancelled."

The two are upset that Shailor and Abelson's offices handed down the decision without "giving them a fair chance to discuss this," said Bellavia. Madden said that she called Shailor's office explaining that she had new liability information and said that she would get it to them by the end of the week. She said, "Unfortunately they shut it down before I could get the information to them."

Shailor, however, said she "has yet to receive that material. I couldn't respond to the material, because it never arrived."

Shailor stands by the letter denying funds to Bucknell Buddies. "I think the fact that the diocese of Harrisburg was unwilling to support [it] suggests the seriousness of the issue."

Shailor said she was under the impression that the issue was resolved last spring and that the only reason for sending the

memo was to "put in writing and further explain" why funds were removed.

Shailor said, "There are going to be some inevitable circumstances where risk factors are just too high, this happens to be one of them." Although Abelson was unavailable for comment, Shailor said that both she and Abelson agreed that it would be best for Bucknell Buddies to work with the other volunteer groups on campus.

In an issue where communication had severe effects on the outcome, Madden is upset with how the situation was handled so poorly. "It's funny that the university promotes leadership and community service and here we were, demonstrating leadership and community service and we received no support."

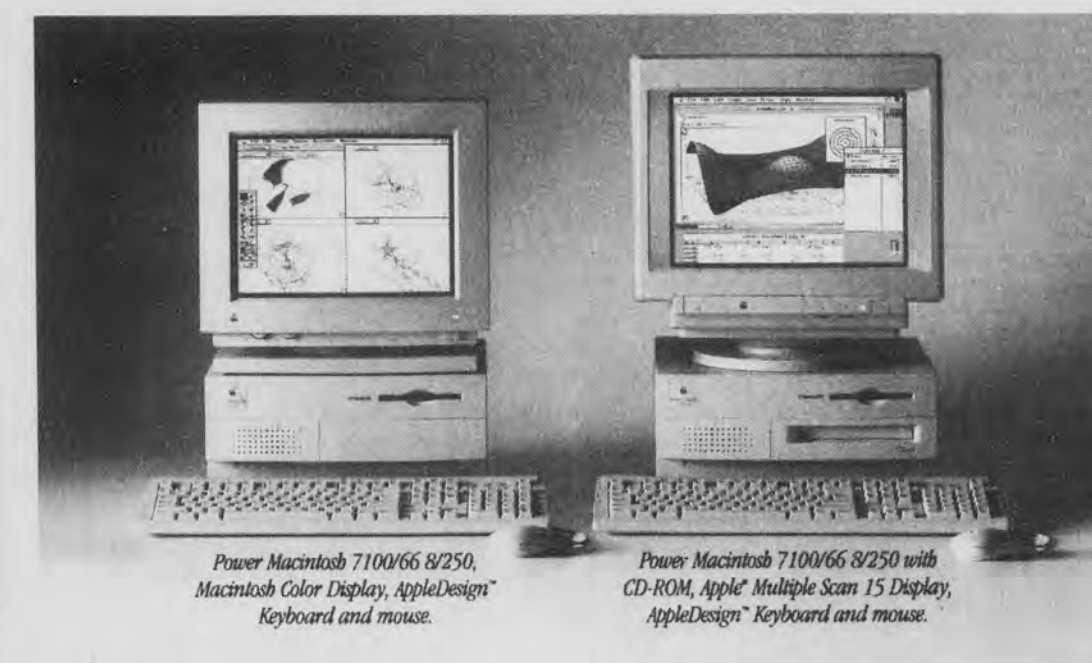
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Subway opens on Market



Joel Wainwright '95 and Amanda Swarr '95 sample the fare in the new Subway on Market Street.

BY KATE ARDINGER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Yet another option to satisfy hungry Bucknellian's needs, Subway opened on August 17 at 434 Market Street in Lewisburg.

Some students said they thought that it hadn't come soon enough.

"It's about time," said Rose Maguire '96.

Subway seats 40 people—almost twice the size of most other Subways. Offering a variety of subs (served hot & cold), sandwiches and salads, everything is made while you wait. Some of their more unique subs are The Subway Club, Veggies & Cheese, Spicy Italian, and Seafood & Crab. They also serve the more traditional subs like turkey, roast beef and ham.

Subway offers several condiments including: cheese, olives, pickles, lettuce, and various other choices. The chain's motto is "Where Freshness is the taste." Bread is baked on site at least every four

hours every day. A choice of Italian or wheat is offered in either a 6 inch or foot-long roll, in addition to the four-inch round roll.

Subway's hours cater to the college student's schedule. "It's terrific. They are open seven days a week, 10 am to 12 p.m.," Tammy Guld '97 commented. When asked Sharon Kalinowski was that impact Subway would have on other sub shops in the area she said, "I think every sub shop has their own unique offerings. And with the college crowd, I think there's certainly enough business to go around."

Kalinowski pointed out that Subway only offers subs and salads, having a more limited line than some other places may. But Subway's long hours offer something to the community that may be beneficial for some students.

Chris Patton '97 said, "I like it. I think it's nice to have something in walking distance that's affordable."

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mer. These computers, mainly

Macintosh Quadras and IBM

486's, were added around campus,

bringing the total of campus-wide

computers to up over 1,000. The

computers in the Coleman B2 lab

were replaced by the new Quadras,

which are also available in the

newest lab in the Rooke Chemistry

building.

Although CCS "still needs to

finish the projects in place before

looking too far into the future,"

said Spencer, "we are in the process

of studying the possibility of

networking the residence dorms."

A rumor of this possibility has

been circulating around the cam-

pus, which has many students like

Rebecca Korb '97 excited.

"I think a network connection

in every room would definitely be

a bonus. Right now, I have my own

modem in my room, but it would

be much more convenient if the

University provided us with a

service like that."

Julie Diaz '95 agrees. "You can

tell that CCS has done a lot of

work over the summer, from the

new Coral network to the new lab

in Rooke. With everything already

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computers to up over 1,000. The

computers in the Coleman B2 lab

were replaced by the new Quadras,

which are also available in the

newest lab in the Rooke Chemistry

building.

Although CCS "still needs to

finish the projects in place before

looking too far into the future,"

said Spencer, "we are in the process

of studying the possibility of

networking the residence dorms."

A rumor of this possibility has

been circulating around the cam-

pus, which has many students like

Rebecca Korb '97 excited.

"I think a network connection

in every room would definitely be

a bonus. Right now, I have my own

modem in my room, but it would

be much more convenient if the

University provided us with a

service like that."

Julie Diaz '95 agrees. "You can

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News Briefs World & National

Barry for Mayor

Former Washington D.C. Mayor Marion Barry has a small lead in his race to regain his old job.

Barry has pulled slightly ahead of councilman John Ray in the latest Democratic Primary election results. The winner is heavily favored to win the November election in the heavily democratic city.

With 74 of 140 precincts reporting, Barry has 43 percent of ballots counted, while Ray has 40 percent. Incumbent Mayor Sharon Pratt Kelly trails at 14 percent.

Barry, a city council member, served two terms as mayor, but he left office after his 1990 arrest for smoking crack cocaine. He served six months in prison.

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which organs they wish to donate.

The council's opinion appears in tomorrow's issue of The Journal of the American Medical Association.

The report details how the organ supply has not kept up with demand. Transplant waiting lists grew more than 75 percent from 1987 to 1991 to 23,000 people, but the number of donors remained the same—4,000 a year.

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Independents discuss Greeks

BY MIKE D'AGOSTINO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The social life at Bucknell is dominated by the multitudes of fraternities and sororities. There are those who feel that the Greek system is not for them, however. The independent student chooses not to become affiliated with the Greek system. This choice is made by a large portion of the student body; 48% of men and 38% of women each year.

While the system is selective, and thus, not all students who wish to participate may, many students make a conscious choice not to rush.

Suzie O'Neill '95 spoke fondly of rush, but said that the process allowed her to abstain from the Greek life. "Rushing was a great experience, and I met many people and had fun, but if I had it to do all over again I would still remain independent. Everyone should go through rush so that they don't regret not having done so, but joining a sorority or fraternity is a very personal decision which each person must decide for themselves."

At Bucknell, the exclusive nature of the bid process does not extend to participation in social events. Those that remain independent still take advantage of the social opportunities.

Brian Melkowitz '96 said of his independent status, "I haven't felt that by not being in a house I have missed out on anything. I can still go to all the parties and have as much fun as anyone else."

O'Neill echoed the sentiment, saying, "I think it is more important for guys [to join fraternities] since they live in houses together, but it is still not for everyone."

A lone woman sits in her room crying while across the room across the hall is decorated with posters and streamers bearing the letters and logo of the sorority she desperately wanted to join. This is an unfortunate side effect of Greek life.

By its exclusive nature the process does create some enemies. One man said, "I went through rush and then made it to 'preps', but then didn't get a bid. I was really angry, but then convinced myself that it was



Graphic by Steve McNutt

just another club to join, and I have other activities to be involved in."

Tara Calloway '95 said, "I don't like the way rush is run. Other than that I don't have any problems with the Greek system, except that there are a few fraternities which are out of control concerning alcohol and the way they treat women, so I avoid them."

While some independents have problems with various aspects of the Greek system, most feel that it is a positive experience, and advised sophomores to take part in it, if only to know that the system is not for them.

Reactions were mixed regarding the course of friendships throughout independents and those who choose to join a Greek organization. Jen Kane '95 spoke of a change in some friendships as some

chose to go Greek. "My really close friendships did not change, but at least one acquaintance completely separated herself from me after she became a sister in a sorority."

Calloway added that, "About half of my friends rushed and half did not. My friendships basically stayed the same, but I'm not as close to friends in sororities."

While individual friendships are as different as the people who forge them, this experience may not be uncommon, as those who join fraternities and sororities spend more time with their brothers and sisters, and independents befriend others not participating in Greek life.

Though there is some friction between independents and Greeks, many independents feel as O'Neill does. "It's a great system, it's just not my system," she said.

Survivors supported

Help group offered for sexual assault victims

KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"Bill, after all these years of silence, I've decided to break our secret. Do you remember the little girl who you took into the barn to play games with? Do you remember the secret game that you made me promise not to tell?" This is the beginning of a very important letter written by the survivor of child sexual abuse. In this letter, the anonymous author is finally confronting the one who has caused her so much pain and agony throughout the years.

Janice Butler, director of the Women's Resource Center, and Dr. Gabriel, the associate director of Psychological Services, are leading a workshop on Sept. 22 for survivors of sexual abuse and assault.

Research and criminal records have shown:

—A rape occurs every 6 minutes in the US.

—The average age of a rape victim is 18.5 years old.

—Women ages 16-24 have 4 times higher risk of rape than other women.

Source—Bucknell Guide about Sexual Assault



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Survivors of rape often feel fear, shame, and guilt. Support groups provide a comfortable atmosphere for supportive interaction.

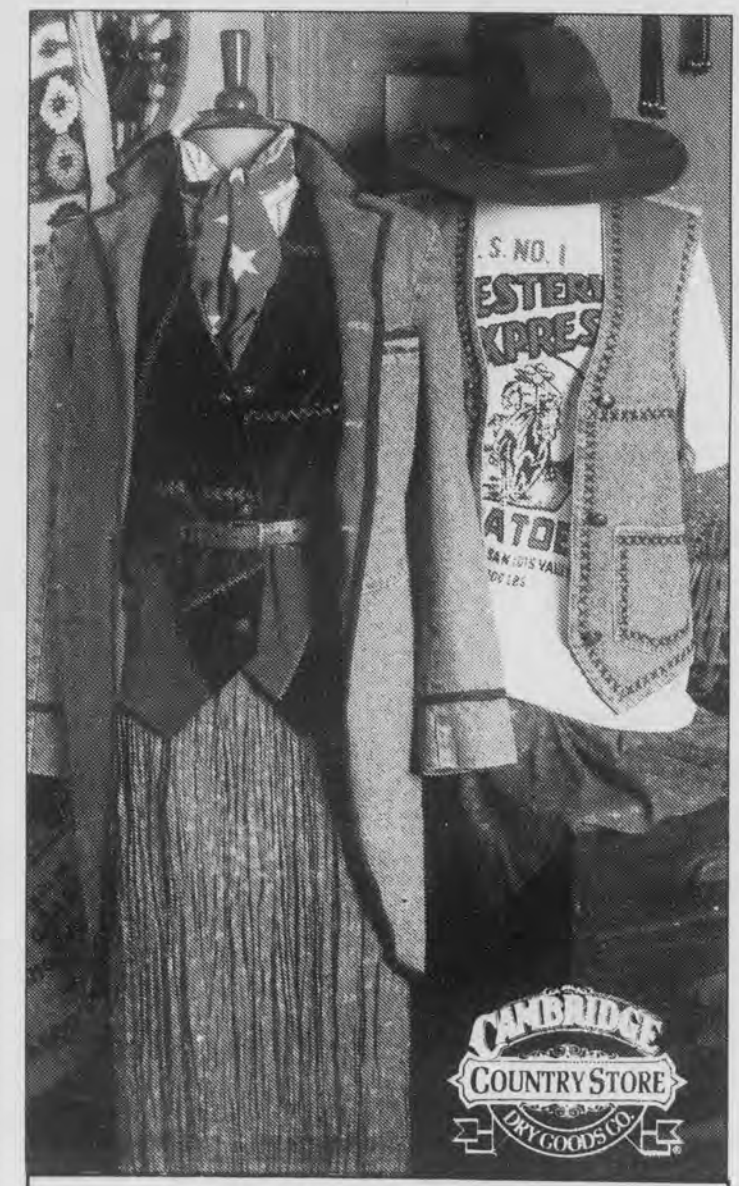
friends of survivors, and those interested in becoming peer educators on the subject matter. Butler explained, "One of the things we hope to do in this workshop is to help people understand that there are normal reactions to an abnormal event." Butler described a common reaction pattern of those who have been raped. First, many people experience a period of crisis followed by a disorganized time period. Afterwards, they struggle through a time of reorganization in which many women try to change things in their lives such as phone numbers or locks. Often flashbacks accompany this stage. Butler emphasized that these are all common reactions and part of the recovery process.

Through the open session Butler and Gabriel hope to introduce, in a non-threatening way, what help is available for survivors that may be struggling through their ordeals by themselves. Butler and Gabriel plan to hold weekly sessions over six weeks for survivors, where common issues such as fear, guilt, shame, and self-esteem can be discussed. The group hopefully will be a place where survivors can feel more comfortable expressing themselves. "I think most often women fear they are going to be judged by telling someone," said Butler. She expanded by saying, "People who have experienced this often keep it a secret. They feel like they have to deal with it alone." Butler says that is one of the reasons why a support group consisting of survivors is therapeutic; no one is going to place the blame on the survivor.

Butler explained that often the victim is seen as weak so he or she will "bottle it up." As a result, the pain often comes out in different ways such as through alcohol abuse, eating disorders, and irritable behaviors. Butler described it as a "pressure cooker." If the steam can't be released a little at a time, one day the pressure will build up and explode. One of the goals of the support group is to help survivors sort through their emotions and be able to release some of the pressure. "Women who have attended support groups in the past find it very healing," said Butler.

In regards to the support group, survivors speak their minds. "We laughed together. It feels so good to share good joy with people who understand the hell we go through to heal," said one anonymous survivor. Another reported, "The respect we had for one another was amazing. It was the one time every week where freedom of speech was encouraged and listened to with concern." Yet another member of a previous support group testified, "I liked the openness in the group. The survivors really care for each other and that creates a sense of community. It also helped to break the isolation; I knew that I wasn't alone."

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EDITORIAL

Stereotypes plague student-resident relationship

A theft at a Lewisburg shop has heightened the tension between students and local residents

When a turtle was stolen from Pet Pourri on Market Street last week, Bucknell students unknowingly took the blame for the incident.

The turtle mysteriously disappeared after a group of kids who looked like Bucknell students (because they were traveling in a group) were in the store. And the store blamed Bucknellians for the theft.

Our first reaction to the accusation was one of contemptuous disgust. Why do Bucknellians get blamed for 95% of the incidents that vaguely smell of college pranks? And more importantly, how can someone classify a group of kids in a pet store as Bucknellians when they never identified themselves? Even if such strong suspicions point to Bucknell students, is it proper, or even advisable to make such a circumstantial accusation public?

The lack of real proof and the quick assumption on the part of the pet store manager angered us, though we were not surprised by the statement. We chalked it up as just another example of locals blaming students for a little mayhem.

Without even realizing it, the discussion degraded into an 'Us' versus 'Them'

debate, as we aired our frustrations about how unfairly we are treated and how little respect we get, just because we are college students.

And when there were no more stones to be thrown, no more gripes to be heard, we realized that, as students, we have, and frequently verbalize, the same assumptions and misperceptions that we were so indignant about.

In such a small community, the stereotypes about students and local residents are bound to surface. But the inevitable misperceptions are no less inexcusable. It is those assumptions and stereotypes that create the veiled atmosphere of tension that characterizes the volatile relationship between the Bucknell and Lewisburg communities.

Somehow, those silly little stereotypes have turned into nit-picking complaints, and have determined how we interact with 'the other.' Usually tolerant residents complain about students behavior, and students, in retaliation, disrespect and antagonize residents.

These isolated incidents become the rule of thumb in how we interact with each other, and the seemingly endless ten-

sion has self-evolved into being the norm. And the rift between students and residents grows larger.

Students and residents alike have learned to accept the traditional stereotypes about each other.

Stuck in a cycle of assumptions, both 'sides' are unwilling to concede and admit guilt or wrongdoing, and no one, at this point, is winning.

Is there an end to the inherent, almost inbred system of pettiness? Unfortunately, bad traditions seem to outlive good ones by a long shot. Short of canceling classes and having a student-resident love fest in town, nothing will permanently put an end to the name-calling and finger-pointing.

The key to the never-ending tensions is understanding. As long as we can isolate the stereotypes and false assumptions, and understand that they are a meaningless, usually harmless method of venting frustrations, neither 'side' has much to lose. Eventually, the real problems that exist between Bucknell students and Lewisburg residents might be better solved with less residual tension clouding the real issues.

OPINIONS

Can Bucknell administration and students be buddies?

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

Move over baseball! Americans' true favorite pastime is suing the pants off each other. Being sued should be an honorable way of rectifying injustice, but all too often it's a game of trying to get more than one deserves. After all, who needs to earn an honest wage when you can steal \$2.6 million from McDonald's for burning yourself with coffee?

Most of us will never be in a liability suit. But the fear of being sued affects us all the time. Liability laws should remind us to be careful and safe when working with and helping other people. But the present liability climate often prevents us from doing even reasonable activities.

The following situation is just one example of how stifling liability laws limit our activities here at Bucknell. It's the story of how 70 Lewisburg-area kindergartners lost a friend.

Last fall students Missy Bellavia and Laura Madden started Bucknell Buddies, which paired Bucknell students as friends for children at local Head Start chapters. Some local teachers had noticed that children who went through Head Start were having some trouble adjusting to kindergarten, where they could not be given as much personal attention. These kids needed some extra friendship for these few years to help them make a smooth transition into grade school. Several dozen Bucknell students were happy to be those friends.

The program ran smoothly, to the delight of the Head Start teachers and children, until last February. Many more Bucknell students wanted to join the program but did not have transportation, so Bucknell Buddies applied to use Bucknell vehicles for the activity. Soon a response came from Elias Abelson, the University general counsel. Not only could students not drive local children in Bucknell vehicles (due to the regulations of Bucknell's insurance coverage), but Bucknell Buddies would have to stop its activities so that the administration could consider relevant liability issues.

Laura Madden and Missy Bellavia were discouraged, but hoped for a quick resolution of the problem so that the program could somehow continue. But the fear of being sued had taken over, and the processes of Bucknell administration, according to Laura, were anything but quick. Despite their many phone calls and a meeting with Richard Chapman, dean of students, Laura and Missy waited for two months until a meeting of administrators and faculty was held to discuss the

Bucknell Buddies situation and liability issues in general. Laura and Missy were not invited to and not permitted to attend this meeting about their own group.

So Bucknell Buddies waited some more—until the end of the spring semester and right through the summer, in fact. Laura did some research and found that a very similar program exists at Gettysburg College and is supported by that college's administration. She also amassed material on legal issues concerning service-learning programs, hoping to present it to Mr. Abelson, who, Laura claims, has refused to meet with her throughout this process.

Finally, a memo dated Sept. 6 from Mr. Abelson and Barbara Shailor, vice president for student services, made the closing of Bucknell Buddies as a Bucknell group final. It explained that although students are free to do in-town volunteer work on their own, Bucknell simply does not have the liability insurance to cover this type of activity.

The final decision was, technically, a correct one. Bucknell Buddies organized a system where Bucknell students spent one-on-one time with local children, often outside of their homes. The students were given little training and there was no system to check their backgrounds for disqualifying activities, such as any cases of abusing children.

But these questions are being addressed at other colleges and on the national level. The recently passed national "crime bill" requires criminal background checks for employees and volunteers who work with children. Has the Bucknell administration explored a system whereby students could receive these background checks? Could this simple, fairly inexpensive procedure enable Bucknell Buddies and other important service work to continue? Is the administration being safe (yet creative), or is community service really at the bottom of its priority list?

The worst part of the experience for Laura Madden was her loss of respect for Bucknell as "one big, happy family." Perhaps Bucknell is a bit dysfunctional at times—in being shut out of the decision-making process, Laura said, "I felt like a child."

The best lesson to be learned from this is that Bucknell needs a clear system of dealing with these situations in a timely manner, one which involves both administrators and concerned students. Unfortunately, it seems these liability pressures will only get worse. The administration must recognize the importance of serving the Lewisburg area and find creative solutions to these challenges.

The most prestigious job on campus has openings

BY DEREK POWELL
Bucknellian Columnist

Fellow job hunters—look no further! Are you tired of not finding a job that meets your specifications? Sick of all the résumés that you've sent out to no avail? Well, look no further. I have your job. I hold the coveted position that you've been searching for. The job that I have combines excitement, fun, dedication, and the surroundings of a family. I don't have to commute very far, I have use of the company car, get a raise each year, and my friends come to visit me all the time! I work in the Bison.

Did I burst anyone's Bucknell bubble? Sorry. I know what a letdown it could be if this "job" isn't right for you. And I do have to make a few confessions. First, the "excitement" is at its peak when meal credit comes around and I'm up to my eyeballs in bagels, Bison burgers and breakfasts, and the ever-present yet unopenable pita. Have you ever tried slicing a knife through the absolute middle of a pita? It's kind of like parting a large body of water to impress your friends at a party—it would be really neat to do it, but, unfortunately, that kind of talent is reserved for full-timers (the people wearing the funky turquoise shirts) and certain babies that float along a river in a basket unharmed. Of course, the fun is real. I get to deliver pizzas around campus. For these delivery shifts, I get to drive around a decimated Ford (the awesome company car I spoke of) with killer motorized seatbelts. This is where the fun comes in. One day, as I was delivering a pizza, the seatbelt decided to stop in its track at the same time as I was getting out of the car, pizza in hand. In a split second, pizza was no longer in hand, but rather, on the blacktop. I guess that's the truest definition of "road pizza" possible.

You'll find no better dedication than the one shared at the Bison. In fact, an example of this hard-core work motif was recently exhibited last week. As I was sleeping peacefully at 8:30 a.m., one of the Bison managers called me. A worker had bagged their shift, they said, and was there any way I could come-in-to-work? "Sure," I said. "Nothing like getting up early on a Sunday morning to prove my dedication to you guys." And you know, I really meant it. I think. Our extended family is just like the Waltons. We all know each other and share everything. Whenever I have a problem, I ask advice from one of the full-timers. That is, if they're not on break. Okay—scratch that. If I have a problem, I go find them on break and ask for advice.

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For what it's worth, you can't beat it. Where else can you do all of the above fun activities, and still see your friends and get paid for it? Dining Services doesn't have a television. The Bison has three. You may be able to watch one, especially if the juice bar ever opens. So throw away those résumés. Lead a productive life. I'll see you in the Bison, perhaps. Maybe you can show me how to slice a pita.



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OPINIONS

College 101: A first-year guide

BY RANDY FAUST

As a first-year student at Bucknell, it is easy to be overwhelmed by the multitude of daily decisions with which one is faced. Considering the vast opportunities, challenges, and freedoms college life presents, an impromptu analysis is required of what the "collegiate experience" actually entails. Prior to arrival at orientation, most students are certain only that they are subject to an unknown fate. Activities, classes, and friendships will be coordinated according to one's own preferences, values, and beliefs. Time moves fleetingly the first week, and for those not adept socially, it is all too easy to become ensnared in the meek-like quality of Playfaresque activities. The overwhelming task of memorizing names and recognizing faces that go with them can be ultimately frustrating. The prospect of four courses, all with rigorous work loads, can be extremely demanding. The social pressure to interact (often on an intense level) can be terribly distracting. How, then, does one survive college?

After the initial shock and anxiety, a student begins to map out his/her life. That map is a guide to living that each of us will live by for the next semester or two. It is a conglomeration of class schedules, eating habits, social habits, study habits, sleep habits, and living habits. We develop a Bucknell habit for ourselves within which lies the essence of our personality and character. Within that environment we allow entrance to certain individuals that fit our criteria of that often overused word: friend. If we are overly hasty in our judgment, we risk commitment to unfavorable scenarios. On the other hand, we may be slightly overcautious and risk alienating ourselves from the Bucknell community. When, then, does one consider to be "accepted?"

The question "How do I survive, then?" is unflitting, though, because most of us want to conquer college—not just merely survive in the flotsam it may present. This dilemma has obviously been pondered countless times by a multitude of students (seniors and frosh alike). So then, I humbly offer this simple formula for disconcerted freshmen like myself: 1. Vow not to view your potential habitat through a mental squint; 2. Do not succumb to social patterns ill-befitting of your personal lifestyle; 3. Do not take too many pit-stops or "safety breaks" on the road to academic achievement; and above all; 4. Always remember to be oneself. This formula, although offered only by a collegiate layman, promises to be instrumental in conducting a successful college existence.

Before driving through the entrance off of Route 15, Bucknell was no more than a pretty informational pamphlet. I did the research and made all the decisions, but college on the large scale was still in my ambiguous future. The decisions were yet to come. But today I am here, and my formula must be put to the test. College 101—to date, the hardest class I have ever taken. I hope I pass.

The air out there: Prejudice in Lewisburg

BY CATHIE ANDREASEN

Everybody craves acceptance. It's a part of our very being. We travel from class to caf, searching for the familiar. When we walk across the quad and hear our name, it practically makes our day. Unless of course it's the dean telling us that we can't switch out of that class we so desperately need to be out of. Acceptance. Finally, we're finding this necessity within our little Bucknell community. But what about the community that lies beyond this "bubble"? Is it possible to make friends out there?

In order to acquaint myself with this town of Lewisburg, I first subscribed to, and then began to read their local paper, *The Lewisburg Daily Journal*. It was between these pages that I first encountered the prejudice that exists towards me because I happen to be a Bucknellian. This past week I ran across two articles which not only offended me, but also caused me to seriously question a person's motives when they sign on with the media. The first was an editorial written on Sept. 7 by Mike Glazer entitled, "The dangerous sex." It contained the warning, "The following is not Politically Correct." With that statement the columnist then felt justified in writing whatever he felt. Here is a taste of the flavor of Mr. Glazer: "The Bucknell Babes are back and they are creating a traffic hazard in downtown Lewisburg." The problem is, the weather is still warm and the girls are dressed as though they are going to the beach. I personally find this distracting and dangerous. I'm having trouble driving down Market Street. I propose the guys start school at the normal time, but the girls should not start until after the first frost.

How degrading! I was absolutely fuming over this injustice until I picked up the Sept. 8 edition of this paper. I found that this same "ACE" reporter had zapped us again!

In an article on the front page with the headline "Market St. pet mystery continues," Mr. Glazer wrote on the incident concerning the missing tortoise from Pet Pourri. I was appalled when I saw how slanted the article was against Bucknell students. Not only were we accused of taking the tortoise, but also making off with a fake monkey from Matrey's Foodtown, and tramping away with a trademark "trooper" hat belonging to Lewisburg's police chief Donald Heiter. It was relieving to read that the police chief wasn't entirely convinced that these incidents were committed by Bucknellians. Chief Heiter's comment to this "pet reporter" was, "If you see a monkey riding a tortoise down Market Street and the monkey is wearing my hat...then you'll know who took them."

It infuriates me to think that a professional reporter would utilize their power of the pen (or in today's lingo, the PC), to negatively influence the minds of their readers towards a group of people. This creates prejudice. Our job as journalists is to inform without bias. Perhaps Mr. Mike "ACE" Glazer, pet reporter, would benefit by sitting in on the next Metamorphosis production of "Strange Like Me."

We as Bucknellians need to break out of this bubble and clean the "air out there" of its misconceptions. This is not "just another college town!" Bucknell is rated within the top 10 in universities of the United States. Let's show this town of Lewisburg who we really are.

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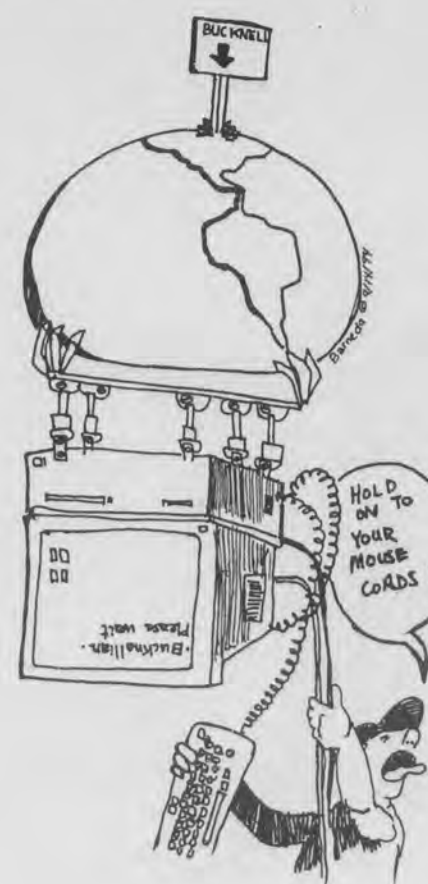
TO THE EDITOR:

I am a Bucknell professor on sabbatical in the Pacific Northwest and I want to thank you for putting the Bucknellian out on the internet. I was able to read the Sept. 8 issue and get the lowdown on Lewisburg and the campus using a local internet account here in Bellingham, Wash. (90 miles north of Seattle) which allows me to connect to my Bucknell account.

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TOM SLOANE
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
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Sophomore rush inhibits Greek system

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSEN

"I heard this fraternity is for dorks."

"Yeah, but at least they're not stuck-up like the guys in that fraternity last night."

This typical conversation between two freshmen at a fraternity party is exactly what institutionalizes stereotypes within our Greek community here at Bucknell. As a first year student, I am completely ignorant of the perceived social classifications of the University. I don't understand the vocabulary, nor am I completely knowledgeable of the Greek alphabet, but I have managed to already ascertain the different reputations of the respective fraternities and sororities. They are among the first things I learned upon my arrival. It is because of these stereotypes that I feel freshman rush should never have been eliminated. Sophomores rush only encourages stereotypes because it allows too much time before rush for students to allow their opinions to set in concrete.

In my opinion, rush should take place during the fall of freshman year before these stereotypes can develop. Without these preconceived notions, students will not be averse to joining certain fraternities or sororities because of their reputations. Through a series of non-alcoholic events, the rushes will meet the members and decisions will be made solely on the personalities of the brothers or sisters and not on the social ranking ascribed to them by others. By eliminating the stereotypes, it won't be as difficult for the fraternities and sororities to generate members.

The sense of brother/sisterhood is a beneficial experience for freshmen. It is good to know your older brothers/sisters early on as they can provide valuable guidance. They can help you with adjusting to this new experience of living on your own as well as with your studies. Thus making the whole transition much easier.

As much as freshman rush is beneficial to the freshmen, it is just as favorable to the older members and to the houses themselves. With three classes paying dues, social dues as well as the individual fraternity/sorority fees would be lowered. This allows the Greek life to be more accessible to everyone, including students who come from lower-income families. Fraternities have been having a hard time filling their houses. The predominant amount of juniors studying abroad and seniors wanting to live in apartments leaves plenty of room for sophomores to call home. Sophomore men living in the fraternity houses would free up valuable living space in the dorms where the recent overcrowding is a problem. This is just one example of an aspect of the Greek life which can benefit both the fraternities and the University through a spirit of cooperation.

Unless the University's goal when implementing sophomore year rush was to do away with the Greek system entirely, this type of cooperative relationship can only serve to enhance campus life to the benefit of all students.

"Dressed" doesn't suit alumnus

Comfort, not image, is the issue behind clothing choices

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to the article in last Thursday's *Bucknellian* entitled "Not dressed up with places to go." As a Bucknell alumnus, I was embarrassed to be associated with the author of this opinion article, Derek Powell. My friends and I were disgusted with his superficial, immature, not to mention entirely irrelevant analysis of Bucknellian's choice of clothing.

Derek's rationale centered around a need to dress appropriately for this place of higher education; after all, "he" does pay \$23,000 to go to this institution.... Well, perhaps I was mistaken in thinking that I spent four years at Bucknell in order to receive a quality education, not to impress people like Derek with a talent for choosing sophisticated clothing. Derek went so far as to state that he "would have just skipped class" rather than wear something inappropriate. This statement summarizes Derek's disturbing mind-set. Aren't there more important things to worry about than what students and professors are wearing to class?

I suppose while we're on the subject of judging people by their clothes we should blame a rape survivor for dressing in an "inviting" way. Or maybe we could require all women to wear dresses, and of course, MAKE-UP! Forget wanting to be comfortable in your clothing while sitting in a classroom or at the library. Have you ever worn a skirt, nylons, and heels for twelve hours? God forbid a woman wanting to wear cut-off jeans one day, or a man not tucking in his shirt. Sorry, Derek, but I have always been taught to respect people for who they are, not what they wear. If I choose to enter the business world, I'll deal with dressing professionally, but until then I will not have some underclassman criticize my perfectly decent wardrobe.

And what of that professor who had the guts to sport "Zips purchased at the local Payless" to class? Fire him immediately. How could you stand even one minute in his class? Well, here's a novel concept, Mr. J. Crew. Why don't you try concentrating on the words that come out of the professor's mouth rather than the brand of shoes he wears on his feet? You just might learn something valuable. Respectfully yours (in cut-offs, a T-shirt, and yes, Tevas).

JODY L. STEVENSON '94
SEPTEMBER 13, 1994

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Professors of past and present meet at piano

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The past and present of piano music will come together at 8 p.m. on Saturday night in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts.

Genevieve Lee, former visiting assistant professor of music, and Lois Svard, associate professor of music, will present an evening of Romantic and contemporary music for one and two pianos.

Lee, who currently teaches at Pomona College in Claremont, California, taught at Bucknell from 1991 to 1993. During those

two years, she performed frequently in recitals and as a member and founder of the Aurelian Trio.

Lee will open Saturday night's concert with Schubert's *Sonata in C Minor, D. 958*. The sonata, composed rather quickly in the late summer of 1828 shortly before Schubert's death, is considered among the best of the composer's sonata compositions.

Following the intermission, Lee and Svard will perform *Three Quarter Tone Pieces for Two Pianos* by American composer Charles Ives. This three movement piece

was written during two different decades. The third movement was composed from 1913 to 1914 for a string ensemble. When this composition didn't work, Ives abandoned it until 1923-1924. In those years, he wrote the first two movements for piano and then revised the string ensemble version for piano, adding it as the third movement.

Ives, who lived from 1874-1954, was an extremely innovative composer whose compositional techniques included using unusual tuning systems. This particular piece was written for two

pianos tuned a quarter tone apart. Ives' system allows for a greater range of pitches to be played and creates a sound that, while tonal, sounds somewhat "jarring" at first, according to Svard. "Ives believed that music in quarter tones would catch on, but it never really did," Svard explained.

The final piece on Saturday night's program is *Three Movements from Petruska*, a ballet composed in 1911 by Igor Stravinsky. Stravinsky originally wrote the sketches for his ballets in four-hand piano arrangements; this enabled the dancers to rehearse while Stravinsky worked on his orchestral versions. "Due to hand overlapping, Stravinsky's piano arrangements are virtually unplayable on one instrument," Svard said.

The two-piano version that Lee and Svard will play on Saturday was arranged by the performers. Three movements from *Petrushka*—*Russian Dance*, *Petrushka's Room*, and *Shrovetide Fair* were arranged by Stravinsky as piano solos. "We took the same three sections in the piano solo and, using Stravinsky's four-hand arrangement, added in parts from the orchestral version that aren't in the solo," Svard stated. Saturday night will be the first time that the performers' arrangement of this work is performed.

Lee and Svard have also been busy with their solo careers. In June, Lee performed in Ottawa, Canada at the Polish Embassy. For two weeks in July, she was in residence at Bard College in Annandale, New York.

Svard released the compact disc *With and Without Memory* in



Bucknellian File Photo

Lois Svard, associate professor of music, will be performing on the piano Saturday night at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center.

April. In December, Svard will perform Beethoven's *Fourth Piano Concerto* with the Bucknell University Orchestra, and in February she will perform with composer Tom Johnson, who will be in residence

at Bucknell. In addition to Saturday night's performance, Lee and Svard will address the Arts Residential College tonight, and Lee will conduct a piano class tomorrow afternoon.



Bucknellian File Photo

A former visiting assistant professor of music from 1991 to 1993, Genevieve Lee will begin Saturday night's performance by playing Schubert's *Sonata in C Minor, D. 958*. In addition to the concert, Lee will also be conducting a master piano class tomorrow afternoon.

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Weekly Crossword
"Jukebox Selections" By Gerry Frey

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Answers will appear in next week's issue.

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...and so I was feeling lonely because no one called me, and bored because nothing was going on, so I started flipping through *The Bucknellian*, and when I got to the A&E section all my problems just disappeared somehow, and I called Laura at x4128 and began writing for A&E right away....

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Dancers look to a 'Wynn'ing residency

During his residency, Kevin Wynn will conduct classes and create original work

BY LAINA WILK
Bucknellian Staff Writer

For someone whose dance style has been described as "dangerous" and "always unpredictable," it is hardly surprising that Kevin Wynn has no initial conception of the dance piece he will set during his week-long residency beginning on Sept. 17.

However, the dancers and the audience can rest assured that the movement will be "rhythmic, athletic and physical," as Danna Frangione, professor of dance, defines it. Frangione also feels the students will enjoy his teaching style and personality because he is an off-the-wall "nut; a real crazy man."

In addition to the creation of an original work for 13 members of the Bucknell Dance Company (to be performed in their fall dance concert), Wynn will conduct master classes in DN 230, DN 310, DN 262 and FN 189.

Frangione seemed especially excited about his workshops with FN 189, a Foundation Seminar entitled "An Artist's Guide to the Body" for first-year students. In this course, Wynn will concentrate mostly on Pilates matwork, a physically demanding, strength-building technique primarily for injury therapy and prevention.

Frangione described its focus as "integrating the mind and body" and, she feels that Wynn's work in Pilates will highlight the



Photo by Frank Cortes

Christian Canciani and James Charles Nganou perform in *Guerilla Love Song Dances*, choreographed by Kevin Wynn. Wynn will begin a residency at Bucknell beginning on Sept. 17.

idea of "body sculpture" and "the human body as a creation."

Frangione said that the piece for the Dance Company and its evolution is "going to be an adventure" but she quickly added that the "dancers will love it."

With the new presence of ballet-concentrated Er-Dong Hu, Frangione decided this season's

dance residencies would concentrate on jazz and modern-oriented dance. While Wynn fits this bill, his training and credentials are not as exclusive.

Wynn began his formal training in Washington, D.C. at the Duke Ellington School of the Arts. He studied at the California Institute of the Arts and received a BFA

in Dance from SUNY Purchase. He has worked with Vernon Reid and Living Colour, Laurie Carlos, the Jose Limon Dance Company, Mel Wong and Dianne McIntyre's Sounds in Motion Dance Company.

Furthermore, he has received international acclaim from the International Festival for Dance in Taipei, the International Dance Festival in Hong Kong, and the Holland Dance and Theater Festival. Alvin Ailey Repertory Ensemble, EBA Dance Company, The Navarro Dance Theater in Italy, The Open End Dance Company in Rome, the Bat-Dor Dance School Ensemble in Tel Aviv, New York University and UCLA have all commissioned works by Wynn.

Since 1982, Wynn has presented his own original work concerts performed by the Kevin Wynn Collection in New York City as well as at Lincoln Center Out-of-Doors, Dance Theater Workshop and the 14th Street Y. Wynn is currently a faculty member of the SUNY Purchase's Dance Division.

Wynn's past dance concerts have been enthusiastically described as "a high-voltage, maelstrom of movement" (*The Village Voice*), "thrilling and hypnotic" (*Gannett Westchester News*) and "an absolute knockout" (*The New York Times*). *The Village Voice* proclaims, "Clearly, Wynn is able to inspire his performers."

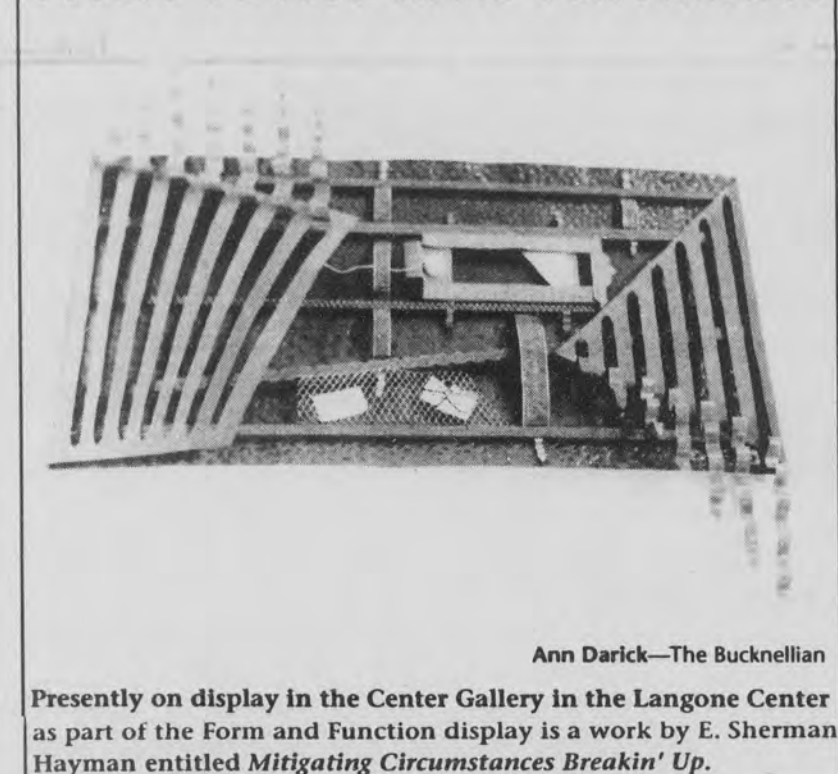
Gallery Series begins with Jon Gibson



Photo by Tom Caravaglia

For the first Gallery Series event of the year, Jon Gibson, a composer, woodwind specialist, and visual artist, will perform Tuesday night at 8 p.m. in the Center Gallery of the Langone Center. The works that Gibson will present will cover a three-decade span. Gibson will also perform *Gradus*, a work written for him by Philip Glass that is on his new CD, *Jon Gibson/In Good Company*. This concert is free and open to the public.

Center Gallery filled with form and function



Ann Darick—The Bucknellian

Presently on display in the Center Gallery in the Langone Center as part of the Form and Function display is a work by E. Sherman Hayman entitled *Mitigating Circumstances Breakin' Up*.

Fears to disappear with band's concert



Photo by Charles Freeman

After appearing at Woodstock II and recording songs with the Indigo girls, disappear fear will be performing Saturday night at 9 p.m. in the first-year quad.

disappear fear

A&E Calendar

Friday, September 16
Hilltop Film Series: *Cruel Story of Youth*, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Comedian: Tom Snyder, 9 p.m., Bison

Saturday, September 17
Faculty Recital: Lois Svard, piano, and Genevieve Lee, piano, 8 p.m., Weis Center for the Performing Arts
Band: disappear fear, 9 p.m., first-year quad
Movie: *The Man Without a Face*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre

Sunday, September 18
Workshop: Betsy David, Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, 5 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre

Monday, September 19
Japanese Film Series: *Zatoichi Meets Yojimbo*, 7 p.m., Room 101B, Coleman Hall
Lafayette Butler Lecture: "Was Huck Black? On the Trail of African-American Voices," 8 p.m., Traditional Reading Room, Level Two, Bertrand Library

Tuesday, September 20
Focus Semester Lecture: "The Joy Luck Club, Yo Yo Ma, Connie Chung...Emerging Asian America and the New Multiculturalism," 7:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center
Gallery Series: "In Good Company," Jon Gibson, woodwind instrumentalist and composer, 8 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center

Poetry for the Prize

Competing for the Julia Fonville Smithson Memorial Prizes at the end of last semester, writers submitted their works in hopes of the prize. Out from the rest stood Angelique L. Hawkes '94 for her prose entitled *A Simple Goodbye and...*

Bleeding Hearts
by Stacey M. Campbell '97

I think sometimes that you are lonely, loving the pink flowers on the terrace. Your thin arms are freckled and your deep glossy eyes speckled by a straw hat's shade. Soft moss grows in the cracks of perspiring old bricks as you rip weeds from your garden. They are your worst enemy.

I think sometimes that you are useless. The neighbors are snickering from their cars. You wave from the driveway. The wine from lunch throwing off your balance. You tumble on the lawn. I watch from the picture window as you fumble around in the pockets of your patched overalls for the pack of Camels that you threw away six years ago when you quit. You're angry now. The sprinkler is dancing, spitting vile spirits in your face.

I think sometimes that you are dead. You cannot hurt yourself dusted in the arched stems of wilted bleeding hearts. I pay the keeper extra to drown the weeds like bad memories and gag the tangled roots chaining your egress. Fuzzy mildew swells in the cracks shaded by infernal backs of the same laughing neighbors.

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SPORTS

Commentary

America's
pastime on the
Disabled List

Picture, if you will, a world without baseball. *Field of Dreams* would have been a farming movie, and a Blue Jay would be just another bird. Kids would have nothing to do in the summer and one less thing to want to be when they grow up. Williamsport would be just another small town in Pennsylvania, and people in Cleveland would have nothing to be happy about.

I hate to keep harping on the baseball issue, but consider this part two of a two-part series, and let me do it just this once. Yesterday afternoon acting commissioner Bud Selig ended the 34-day Major League Baseball strike by cancelling the 1994 season, the playoffs, and the World Series. The last time there was not a World Champion was 90 years ago when the Giants refused to play the Red Sox in the 1904 Series.

While this came as no surprise, it did dash that tiny glimmer of hope that maybe the owners and players could reach some type of agreement. However, the cancellation of the season indefinitely may, in some twisted way, be a blessing in disguise. Baseball is injured—and like an injured player having a great season, you have several options to bring it back to health.

A compromise on the issues at hand would have been like icing a shoulder which needs surgery. Everything would be fine for a couple of years—the fans would come back to the stadiums in record numbers, and the players and owners would each get their money—but three years down the road, the game will be in the same position yet again.

The 1994 season was on its way to being one of the greatest in recent history. Pennant fever struck in Cleveland for the first time in 40 years, the Yankees had the best record in baseball, and several players were on pace to break records dating back to the golden days of baseball. Yes, that will all be lost, and it is a shame it has to happen, but America's Pass-time needs to spend some time on the disabled list.

Unfortunately, the game cannot go back in time to when it was a *game*—back when the players and owners provided the fans with an enjoyable afternoon at the ballpark. It has developed into an over-commercialized business run by 28 wealthy businessmen, and herein lies the problem.

Most of the owners out there earned their money in another business atop the corporate ladder, and decided to spend their millions on a baseball club. Let's face it, they are in it for the money. Most owners know very little about running a baseball team, but they do know how to make money, and it logically follows that they will do that which they do best. That is why the game needs a commissioner—to make *baseball* decisions.

Alright, enough about baseball. Let's just hope that they can fix it for good this time. Now I suppose we can all follow Deion Sanders through the early transition to football season and fill our Sundays and Mondays. Then the O.J. Simpson trial should give us something to watch the other five days of the week.

Scott Grisin

Scott Grisin, Staff Writer

Bison overmatched by Hofstra

Unable to end their turnover streak and a 24-7 halftime deficit, the Bison go down with a final of 45-21

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run. Fourteen seconds later, a fumble on the ensuing kickoff gave the ball back to Hofstra. The next play was a 33-yard touchdown bomb, and Hofstra was off and running on a 24-7 halftime lead.

Early in the third quarter, TB Rich Lemon '97 broke free of the Flying Dutchmen defense and galloped 47 yards for a TD, bringing Bucknell within 10 points. Three times in his young career Lemon has run for touchdowns of greater than 40 yards.

On Hofstra's next possession, the constant pounding of the Dutchmen running attack began to show on the Bison defense. An 18-yard TD run by QB Garay capped off Hofstra's long drive. The Hofstra duo of QB Garay and TB Cromartie would go on to combine for 220 rushing yards and 2 TD's by the end of the game.

With the score 31-14, Hofstra was able to put the game out of reach by capitalizing, once again, on a Bucknell turnover. The Flying Dutchmen picked a Bison fumble out of the air, and returned it 13 yards for a TD.

Each team scored one touchdown in the fourth quarter, Hofstra's coming on a 9-yard touchdown pass. Bucknell's final score came on junior Mike Phillips' 30-yard touchdown grab from backup quarterback Travis Kopp '95. The touchdown pass was the 21st of Kopp's career, which ties him for fourth on Bucknell's all-time list.

Coach Lou Maranzana expressed his feelings on the game,

"We played hard, and I'm disappointed we didn't get the win. We made several mental mistakes, but I was encouraged by many other things we did, such as the offensive line's performance, and the kicking game."

Tailback Rich Lemon '97 picked up where he left off last season, carrying the ball 16 times for 103 yards and a TD. This was Lemon's seventh career 100-yard rushing performance and his fifth in a row. That ties the school record set in 1952 by Brad Myers. If Lemon gains 100 or more yards against Southern Connecticut next week, he will break the all-time Bucknell record for consecutive 100-yard games.

TE Mark Gentile '95 and WR Mike Phillips '96 contributed 67 and 60 receiving yards, respectively, to lead Bucknell's air attack. SS John Henry '95 led the defense with 12 tackles, and DE Ed Burman '96 registered Bucknell's only sack. Cornerback Charlie Crudup '96 grabbed his first career interception.

Turnovers killed the Bison last week, and the players realize that in order to be a successful team, they must not allow that to happen. Special teams performer extraordinaire John Caldwell commented, "We played a good team, and we, too, are a good team. But we made more mistakes than they did, and they were able to capitalize on them. They're not a better team than us."

Bucknell faces Southern Connecticut this Saturday at Christy Mathewson Memorial Stadium at 1 p.m.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Wide receiver John Sakowski '96 hauls in his first career touchdown reception, a 32-yarder from Rob Glus '95 in the first quarter to give the Bison the lead. Troy White (#1) '95 celebrates the score. The Bison, however, were unable to keep the momentum going against a strong Hofstra defense, succumbing to their opponents by a score of 45-21.

Bison Calendar

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

Golf at St. Bonaventure

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

VOLLEYBALL vs. MARYLAND-E.S. 10 AM

VOLLEYBALL vs. DARTMOUTH 3 PM

WOMEN'S SOCCER vs. HOLY CROSS 11 AM

WOMEN'S TENNIS vs. HOLY CROSS 11 AM

FOOTBALL vs. SO. CONNECTICUT 1 PM

Water Polo—Eastern League Tournament

Men's Soccer at Holy Cross 1 PM

Field hockey at Holy Cross 1 PM

Men's Cross Country—
Delaware Invitational

Women's Cross Country—
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

WOMEN'S SOCCER vs. FAIRFIELD 11 AM

WOMEN'S TENNIS vs. COLGATE 1 PM

Water Polo—Eastern League Tournament

Field Hockey at Springfield 1 PM

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Golf at Clarion Invitational

JV FOOTBALL vs. FORK UNION 3 PM

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

WOMEN'S TENNIS vs. ST. FRANCIS 4 PM

Volleyball at Lehigh 7 PM

Women's Soccer at Pennsylvania 7:30 PM

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Men's Soccer at St. Joseph's 4 PM

Home contests appear in capital letters.

Soccer team collects first wins

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's soccer team started strong this week with a 6-0 win against Kutztown. With an impressive crowd on hand, the Bison displayed how the team is beginning to play as a unit. Corey Harbold '97 started and played 69 minutes in net, while Ken Prothro '96 and Eric LaFlamme '97 preserved the shutout. Freshman Wright Ramsey scored once and beautifully assisted on two more. Senior Greg Beatty also collected a goal and an assist in the winning effort.

The team's second goal was scored by Baird McIlvain '95, and displayed the strong chemistry that existed on the field. Striker Beatty commented, "This play was a total team effort and showed how we can play as a unit." The team was able to sustain their play for the entire 90 minutes. The onslaught started with a great deal of verbal communication in the backfield (which was true for the entire game) and ended with the ball in the upper left corner. Greg Beatty's perfect cross to McIlvain displayed the aggressiveness that the Bison need to take on opposing defenses.

The Orange and Blue continued to produce opportunities and score goals by winning loose balls and forcing Kutztown further and further back into their own zone. Goals by Bruce Mackenzie '95 and Rich Shaheen '96 opened the gap in the second period.

Bucknell's backfield remained solid, anchored by Brian Buck '95 and Pete Radano '95. Kutztown was forced to take weak shots from poor angles, and really did not test the goalkeepers. In order for success to continue this season, players like freshman backs Brendan Whitworth and Doug Sweet will have to follow the lead of their senior counterparts and protect the net.

Coach Reynolds was not completely happy with his team's performance, but added that the team

played "well." He noticed that "our forwards hold the ball too long" and "we need to get the change over from offense to defense quicker, with quality passing."

Reynolds' advice helped the team travel to Bethlehem, PA, and beat the Engineers of Lehigh, 3-2, on Saturday. In this hard-fought contest the Orange and Blue were led by two Ramsey-Whitworth corner kick connections. Ramsey also assisted on Brian Breslin's first goal of the season.

Having won twice within the week, the Bucknell team was ready to take on (0-4) St. Peter's. This scrappy bunch from Jersey City surprised the Bucknell crowd Tuesday night, eventually tying the Bison 2-2 in double overtime. Again, the Orange and Blue created many opportunities with aggressive rushes, but only capitalized on Tom Roller's '96 goal. The

first half ended 1-0 in favor of Bucknell.

Midway through the second half, James Wandling of St. Peter's tied the matchup by finding a hole in the Bucknell defense. Since Roller's goal in the first half, the team remained stagnant. The Bison fired up their offense after Wandling's goal and nearly scored on several occasions. After 90 minutes, the scoreboard read 1-1 and the game went into OT.

Greg Beatty collected his 26th career goal on an assist from Ramsey with 1:00 left in the first OT. Bucknellians cheered and dashed off to their respective dwellings, thinking that their team had won. But James Wandling scored again with just 2:00 left in the second overtime. (Patriot League rules are similar to the World Cup's mandatory two overtimes.) Bucknell had to settle for a tie on this warm September night.



Paul Distakweig—The Bucknellian

Brian Buck '95 attempts to clear the ball against St. Peter's.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Cloudy. A 30 percent chance of rain toward morning. Low in the mid 50s.
 Friday—Cloudy. A 50 percent chance of rain. High in the low 60s.
 Saturday—Cloudy with a chance of rain. Lows from the mid 50s to around 60. Highs from the mid 60s to mid 70s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

New plans for Lewisburg Hotel initiated in community

Investors trying to revive community landmark

BY ANDY SANTILLO

Although the doors of the Lewisburg Hotel have not been opened since they closed in early 1993, it may not be too long before this historic location is back in business.

Two weeks ago Mike Moleseovich, mayor of Lewisburg, announced that he and about 14 other investors had formed the Committee to Restore the Lewisburg Hotel to bring this landmark of the community back to life.

A recent issue of *The Daily Item* quoted Moleseovich as saying, "We've raised enough money to keep it off the (auction) block and make us the main players right now."

The plan of the committee is to buy the Market Street hotel and then try to find some buyers who would restore it to the meeting place that it was during its prime years. If the committee members would be able to purchase the hotel (they have so far raised \$15,000 towards the purchase) they would then hire a professional to run the hotel's lounge and restaurant which used to bring many visitors to the downtown Lewisburg area.

The Lewisburg Hotel was originally opened in the 1940s as the "Lewisburg-er." For decades it continued as a popular meeting place for the town's people and the visitors who came through it. "The hotel was the ideal drop-off and pick-up point for the busloads of people coming to town. It served as a waiting room for those exploring the community," said Borough Manager and committee member Nada Gray in a *The Daily Item* article.

Robin Meredith-Golder, the head of the Union County Chamber of Commerce said, "It really was the anchor for the downtown economy."

In October 1984, Roger Fetter, the



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian

Fifteen community members have formed a committee to restore and reopen the Lewisburg Hotel for business.

current owner of the hotel, bought the hotel and honored all prior commitments until 1985. In July 1985 the Lewisburg Hotel was closed down for renovations but was re-opened a few months later. In February 1993 the hotel closed again but this time it was because of financial difficulties.

Court documents, filed from September 1991 to January 1993, show that the business, which Fetter's stepdaughter ran, failed to pay about \$132,000 in taxes. The taxes covered business, income, sales, and employee paycheck withholdings. The Pennsylvania State Department of Revenue and the Federal Internal Revenue Service filed liens in court after reportedly trying to obtain tax payments.

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Bucknell rates 25th in US News and World Report's annual college edition

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
 Bucknellian staff writer

The latest *U.S. News and World Report America's Best Colleges* edition ranked Bucknell 25th among the nation's best national liberal arts colleges.

The edition, which hit newsstands on Monday, polled officials at approximately 1,400 four-year colleges and universities requesting the schools to be placed in ranked order according to reputation. Each school was placed in five categories: national universities, regional colleges and universities, regional liberal arts colleges, specialized institutions, and Bucknell's category of national liberal arts colleges.

The schools were then evaluated on five separate educational statistics including student selectivity, faculty resources, financial resources, graduate rate, and alumni satisfaction. Bucknell's statistics and rankings were then combined to achieve the 25th standing.

In past years, Bucknell held positions in the top 35-40 schools, improving this year to just make the top 25 liberal arts colleges.

In a news release, Barbara Shailor, vice president for student services said, "Bucknell has long provided its students academic rigor, the skills, the global perspective, and the broad base of knowledge to succeed in today's complex world. We are pleased that Bucknell is receiving recognition as one of the nation's premier educational institutions."

Mark Davies, director of admissions, said that he was pleased by the rating. "Any time a national magazine places you among the nation's best institutions its tough not to be excited and intrigued" he said.

Although Davies said that he is hopeful that [25th ranking] could help, he stressed that it is just one of many criteria that a student should look at when applying to schools.

Calculating the Colleges

Selected National Liberal Arts Colleges rated in the *U.S. News & World Report* Survey

Rank	School	Percentage Points	Avg. SAT/ACT	Student/Faculty Ratio
1.	Amherst College (Mass.)	100%	1335	8/1
2.	Williams College (Mass.)	99.4%	1350	9/1
3.	Swarthmore College (Pa.)	98.1%	1310	9/1
4.	Wellesley College (Mass.)	97.1%	1240	11/1
5.	Pomona College (Calif.)	94.7%	1330	9/1
9.	Wesleyan University (Conn.)	91.5%	1280	12/1
11.	Middlebury College (Vermt.)	91.2%	1260	11/1
14.	Bryn Mawr College (Pa.)	89.3%	1250	12/1
16.	Vassar College (NY)	87.7%	1235	10/1
19.	Oberlin College (Ohio)	84.3%	1225	10/1
21.	Bates College (Maine)	83.4%	1225	10/1
22.	Trinity College (Conn.)	83.0%	1180	10/1
23.	Colby College (Maine)	82.0%	1175	10/1
24.	College of the Holy Cross (Mass.)	81.2%	1225	11/1
25.	Bucknell University (Pa.)	80.4%	1180	14/1

Source: *U.S. News & World Report*

"Students should be pleased, faculty are excited, trustees are excited and alumni are excited" said Davies, "In past years we've been close to being 25th and now that we're in the top 25, its exciting."

Available at newsstands on Sept. 26 as a part of their financing college issue, *U.S. News and World Report* will publish their ranking for "most efficient" national liberal arts colleges. Bucknell ranked fifth in this category.

The ranking was based on the previous rating in this week's "best college" rankings, dividing it by the institution's spending on educational programs per student.

Also in the financing college issue, Bucknell ranked among the top 40 of "best value" in national liberal arts colleges.

In a press release, President Gary Sojka said "The rankings confirm what we have known for many years: Bucknell is an outstanding educational investment for our students. Bucknell strives to do everything in its power to help keep the university affordable for its students and their families without compromising the quality of education we offer."

Peace Corps visit attracts Bucknellians

BY KAREN WATERS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Matt Losak and Beth Lewis visited Bucknell's campus to inform students and promote participation in the U.S. Peace Corps.

Interested students listened as Losak and Lewis discussed the application procedures and described their own personal experiences as Peace Corps volunteers.

The Peace Corps is a federal government agency that was established in 1961 under President Kennedy. Losak said that the official purpose of the Peace Corps is to "assist interested countries with trained manpower, increase understanding of Americans on the part of the people served, and increase understanding of people served on the part of Americans."

In order to incorporate these goals, the Peace Corps is looking for individuals who are "ambitious, want to solve problems,

have a good sense of humor and are flexible" said Losak.

Participation within the Peace Corps is definitely a "serious commitment" said Losak.

According to Rachael McClennen '95, "acceptance into the Peace Corps would be an honor." Rachael, like many other students returning from a semester abroad is reminded daily of her cultural exchange experience.

"I live with Spain and Ecuador every day," said McClennen. Memories of such an experience have prompted McClennen to apply to the Peace Corps, and fulfill her purpose in life which she feels is "helping Hispanic people in the U.S. and abroad."

Students like McClennen who are interested in applying to the Peace Corps must meet the following qualifications: "An individual must be an American citizen of at

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Graduation in four years or less for Bucknellians

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

According to statistics cited in a Sept. 13 *New York Times* article, only 31.1% of undergraduates across the nation are completing their bachelor degrees in four or less years. In the same amount of time, 85-86% of Bucknellians receive their diplomas.

According to numbers from the office of the registrar, approximately 85% of Bucknell students graduate in four years, about 9% in five years or under, and 3% in three and a half years.

The *Times* article noted that a vast majority of students are taking five and six years to graduate, extending the time and money going into the college process.

Reasons for this point to an inability of students to get into degree programs and, once in a degree program, take the classes necessary to fulfill the requirements of their major.

According to the office of the registrar, most of the currently enrolled students have 4.25 or more course credits. Few have 3-3.75 course credits. And no students have problems getting the average four course credits per semester.

Many students are even able, especially during their senior year, to take only three courses during any one particular semester. These students typically have taken AP courses, summer school or have transfer credits.

Engineering students on the other hand, must take 4.5 course credits four out of their eight semesters in order to satisfy their 34 course credit-requirement needed for graduation.

"We used to tell students to come to the University and find yourselves," Dr. John V. Lombar-

di, president of University of Florida at Gainesville told *The Times*, "now we tell them, come to the University and pick a major."

This is a different encouragement than found at Bucknell where students are invited to experiment in the liberal arts.

A primary reason for Bucknellians graduating in four years, as opposed to their larger state school counterparts, is that students are not allowed to continue their education without passing a certain number of courses each semester.

As stated in the 1994-95 course catalogue, "to qualify for a bachelor's degree, a candidate must earn a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0." They can only remain for a ninth semester with the permission of a Dean.

A few students remain after four years either because they are in a five year engineering program or they have changed a major and must now satisfy new requirements.

College administrators at larger, less expensive colleges find it more and more difficult to get students out of undergraduate programs.

The *Times* reported, for instance, that one-third of the University of Texas's 48,000 students are seniors. Bucknell seniors comprise approximately one quarter of the student body.

The *Times* article reflected that many colleges' demographics are changing. More and more so-called non-traditional students are entering degree programs. Part-time students are taking longer to graduate.

With a few exceptions, most Bucknell students are full-time students.

Negotiations over SPE house continue



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian

According to Barry Maxwell, vice president for the administration, arrangements for the former Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity house will hopefully be made later this fall.

BY KAREN WATERS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Negotiations over plans for the former Sigma Phi Epsilon

(SPE) house continue between the university and members of the Alumni Association of SPE.

Although Barry Maxwell, Vice

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Bucknellian coverage garners awards

The Society of Professional Journalists recently awarded three Bucknellians its Mark of Excellence award for college journalism. The contest was open to all colleges across America, and covered stories written the 1993-94 academic year.

Nicole Cobban '95, senior editor of the *Bucknellian*, won first place in the features category for her story "Oh captain, my captain." The story covered the memorial service held for Harvey Powers, professor of English, emeritus.

Tara Gilligan '94 and David Barry '94 both won third place in the spot news coverage category for their article which covered the Liquor Control Enforcement Agency raids last year. Gilligan and Barry are both former editors-in-chief for *The Bucknellian*.

Cobban also won third place in spot news coverage for her secondary story on the student reaction to the LCE raids.

These stories were winners in the Region I category, which included all schools in Pennsylvania, of the SPJ's contest.

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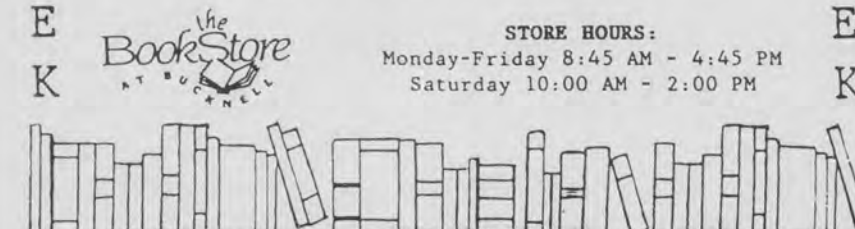
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If what happened on your inside happened on your outside, would you still smoke?



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SPE

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president for the administration said that "no final decisions have been made," there is hope that an agreement will be reached early in the fall semester.

Last Spring, University representatives met, and have continued to meet with a board of three to four SPE alumni, to discuss plans to make the former SPE residential building home to a substance-free theme hall. Such a plan entails the Alumni Association of SPE to allow the University permission to use the former local chapter's house. Although no final agreement has been reached between the two parties involved, an agreement in "draft form" has been made through a "cordial, productive set of discussions," said Maxwell.

If the negotiations are successful, plans for renovations of the

SPE house will begin in hopes for occupancy in the 1995 Fall semester. As a residential theme hall, the building will be able to house approximately 23 occupants.

According to Maxwell, the brothers representing the Alumni Association of SPE have very much wanted to work with the university, "as older alumni, they have a strong sense of the role Sig Ep should play on campus, and were very disappointed and appalled by the behavior of the former brothers." However, according to Maxwell, "the brothers of the Sigma Phi Epsilon will have an opportunity to recolonize as soon as 1997 if they successfully agree to terms determined by the University patterned similarly to the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity's recolonization."

HOTEL

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Since that time, several individuals have attempted, without success, to make plans to revive the hotel.

"Ultimately the buyer chose not to honor their commitment," said Fetter when asked why the hotel was closed down. "For a long time after we would get people asking about the place," he

added.

Meredith-Golder said that visitors still call and try to make reservations.

Now, the main concerns of the citizens of Lewisburg are to get the hotel open and running again. "We want it to re-open it in the style that it was before it closed down," said Fetter.



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News Briefs

World News

Clinton wrestles with defense

The Clinton Administration is wrestling with a defense spending shortfall amounting to about \$40 billion.

That is how much a top Pentagon official says is needed to cover the administration's long-term defense plans. Deputy Defense Secretary John Deutch says a plan to close the gap for fiscal years 1996-2001 hasn't been worked out.

Deutch told the Senate armed services committee about \$11 billion in the budget gap represents higher military pay raises for the next five years than President Clinton had planned to approve. Other expenses include military retirees.

—Associated Press

Shuttle creates huge noise

The space shuttle rattled windows and a lot of nerves as it descended just west of Los Angeles Tuesday afternoon.

Discovery and its six crew members landed smoothly in the southern California desert after an 11 day flight, but the orbiter caused some anxious moments as it blasted rapid-fire twin sonic booms across the same general area struck by January's big Northridge earthquake.

Researchers have reported that sonic booms from previous shuttle descents have been detected on the L.A. seismographs.

—Associated Press

Campaigning for women

First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton has taken her campaign for health care reform to Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Clinton spoke Tuesday night at a Democratic Congressional fundraiser in Philadelphia.

Pushing elements of her failed plan, she said women and children are the ones most frequently left out of the equation.

She said women frequently fail to get mammograms and adequate prenatal care because they can't afford it, they're working too hard to get to the doctor, or because they're intimidated by the system.

—Associated Press

Hill receives split verdict

Anti-abortion activist and accused killer Paul Hill has gotten a split verdict on lesser charges against him.

The Pensacola jury found Hill guilty of making too much noise, in one case, shouting so loudly outside the clinic that people inside jumped, but the jury found him innocent of disorderly conduct.

The judge sentenced Hill to 45 days in jail immediately after the verdict was announced.

His federal trial is set for October, with the state murder trial beginning early next year.

—Associated Press

Pilot recounts crash experience

A pilot on the U.S. air flight that crashed in North Carolina in July tells a frightening tale.

First Officer James Hayes testified in Charlotte before a federal safety panel looking into the crash at Charlotte-Douglas International airport, where 37 out of the 57 people aboard the D-C9 died.

Hayes had been warned about the wind shear, but he says he had no idea he was so close to the sudden shift in wind speed and direction.

Hayes says flight captain Michael Greenlee tried to help him with the controls, but the couldn't bring the nose up to avoid a crash.

—Associated Press

On Campus

University receives grant

Bucknell received a \$500,000 grant from the James S. McDonnell Foundation. The grant, which covers a five-year period, will support the Teaching and Curricular Innovation Fund.

"The grant will provide Bucknell with resources to strengthen and expand the University's curriculum," said Jim Rice, assistant vice president for academic affairs and development.

The endowed Teaching and Curricular Innovation Fund will make possible support such as travel to teaching conferences, on campus workshops, and released time for faculty mentors.

Junior class scholarship

Bucknell University juniors interested in a career in government service at the federal, state, or local level are invited to apply for a 1995 Harry S. Truman Scholarship.

To be eligible, a student must be a full-time junior working toward a baccalaureate degree, stand in the upper fourth of the class (i.e., 3.4 at Bucknell) and be a United States citizen or United States national heading towards a career in government.

Interested students should contact Dean Robert M. Midkiff, Truman Scholarship faculty Representative, 113 Marts Hall by Oct. 7.

News Briefs compiled by Karen Waters

Presidential search continues

Committee interviewing select number of potential candidates

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Since last spring, the Presidential Search Committee convened several times in order to narrow down the search for viable candidates.

After the April 27 and 28 campus visit by John Chandler and Stanley Paulson, consultants from the Academic Search Consultation Service, to meet with members of the Bucknell community to hear their concerns and hopes for Bucknell, the committee met to discuss the results of that meeting.

The committee developed in May a statement of criteria for selecting the president that was to serve as a guideline to the Committee throughout the conduct of the search.

Committee members Teresa Ammot, Peggy Conner, Samuel Posner, Barbara Shailor, and Christine Toto formed a screening committee to read and rate applications for the position and make recommendations to the search committee. The group also discussed a system to be used in order to rate applications.

Meeting in August, the group identified candidates whose strengths best match Bucknell's



Photo courtesy of Public Relations

Samuel Posner, University Trustee, is the current spokesperson for the Presidential Search Committee.

current needs. At that time, the committee was in the process of seeking additional information about these candidates. Samuel Posner, member of the Board of Trustees and chairman of the presidential search committee, said that he anticipated the committee holding extended interviews with several of the candidates some time before the end of October.

At the time of this article,

Samuel Posner could not be reached for an interview, although he supplied the following statement: "We are talking to a select number of candidates this month. Following those conversations, we will develop a short list for more intensive interviews. Campus visits with the finalists will follow as soon as they can be scheduled."

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EDITORIAL

The nature of the press: freedom and responsibility

The nature of the free press and the tremendous responsibilities attached to those rights are staggering. Unfortunately, the pressure of such responsibility is such that sometimes the price for free press is paid in mistakes.

Several articles in last week's *Bucknellian* are under fire (justifiably in some cases) for being misleading, inadequate, inappropriate, and in one case, outright wrong. As a staff, we take full responsibility for the errors, and regret any misunderstanding or misrepresentation caused by the inexcusable mistakes.

Fortunately, some good does come about when these errors happen. We are forced to not only reevaluate our methods and practice as journalists, but we also have a chance to rethink our role as a student newspaper and our responsibility to the free press.

As a student newspaper, we are in the middle of what would seem to be the best of two worlds. The University offers the newspaper modest support and protection. The First Amendment guarantees our right and freedom to publish the newspaper. In return, *The Bucknellian* is committed to serving the Bucknell community as a source of reliable and complete information, and as a forum for opinions and the exchange of ideas.

However, the best of both worlds has its pitfalls, and we do not always achieve the

standards we set.

Under the University, certain topics and issues sometimes clash between the public's right to know and serving a purpose for the good of the community. Under the First Amendment, we are guaranteed the right to a free press. With this freedom comes responsibility; we are as susceptible to libel claims and paying for our mistakes as any other professional newspaper.

In providing a necessary service for the Bucknell community, our staff stands firm that our readers have a right to know what goes on at Bucknell, even behind the scenes. Our efforts as journalists are channeled toward informing the community of all news, not toward tempering the good and bad news.

One might ask 'what good is served?' in reporting incidents that seem irrelevant or unrelated to the community we represent. But our place is not to judge what is or is not relevant. Our duty is to report the facts, to the best of our ability, and let the public decide its value.

And when we have failed in our responsibilities by making careless mistakes, we lose the credibility and respect given to us by our readers, and risk the legal implications of a lawsuit.

As with any professional newspaper fac-

ing the daily pressures and responsibilities of serving the public, mistakes are an inevitable and vital part of the job. The nature of a newspaper means that editors and journalists are constantly striving to beat deadlines. Their stories and information are synthesized in a matter of hours and days, not weeks. Given these pressures, mistakes are always a likely occurrence.

The responsibility we undertake, then, as journalists, has a two-fold purpose. We understand that our work is rarely a polished work of art. Although we edit and re-edit as much as possible, these mistakes will slip through. And we, as journalists, are willing to accept them as our mistakes and bear the consequences that they bring.

For the most part, the Bucknell community has showed us the patience and understanding that we deserve as a student newspaper and as a representative of the free press.

As with any other voluntary group committed to serving Bucknell, we are faced with inexperience and apathy every semester when our staff positions change hands. Our deficiencies do not excuse our mistakes, they are merely obstacles we must deal with.

Nietzsche always said, "That which does not kill me makes me stronger."

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OPINIONS

"Good" Gossip—
a new idea?

BY RICH VINNACOMBE

"The report of my death was an exaggeration." Maybe everyone hasn't heard this obituary, but Mark Twain's humorous observation of the human spirit seems to provide a deeper insight into what we have all been a part of—gossip and rumors. Should these be called lies? Perhaps. How about *talk*? That's a more pleasant euphemism. None of us is really immune to the disease, and as Will Rogers said, "The only time people dislike gossip is when you gossip about them."

Right there lies the problem—the people that gossip to you will undoubtedly gossip about you. So then, where's the cure? Perhaps the answer lies in our childhood theology: "If you have nothing nice to say, then don't say it at all." But that seems a little naïve. After all, not every bit of gossip is vicious or spiteful. In fact, the most hurtful gossip is well-meant, but carelessly packaged and deployed.

Therefore, we probably shouldn't focus on trying to change our desire to know everything about everyone else and pass it on. Instead, we should make serious attempts to demonstrate a conscious discretion when speaking of or hearing about others: a discretion which evaluates both our motives and those of our source, while holding firm to trust and true friendship. These elements are essential because all too often, things are not what they seem. To put it another way, "It's better to get it from the horse's mouth."

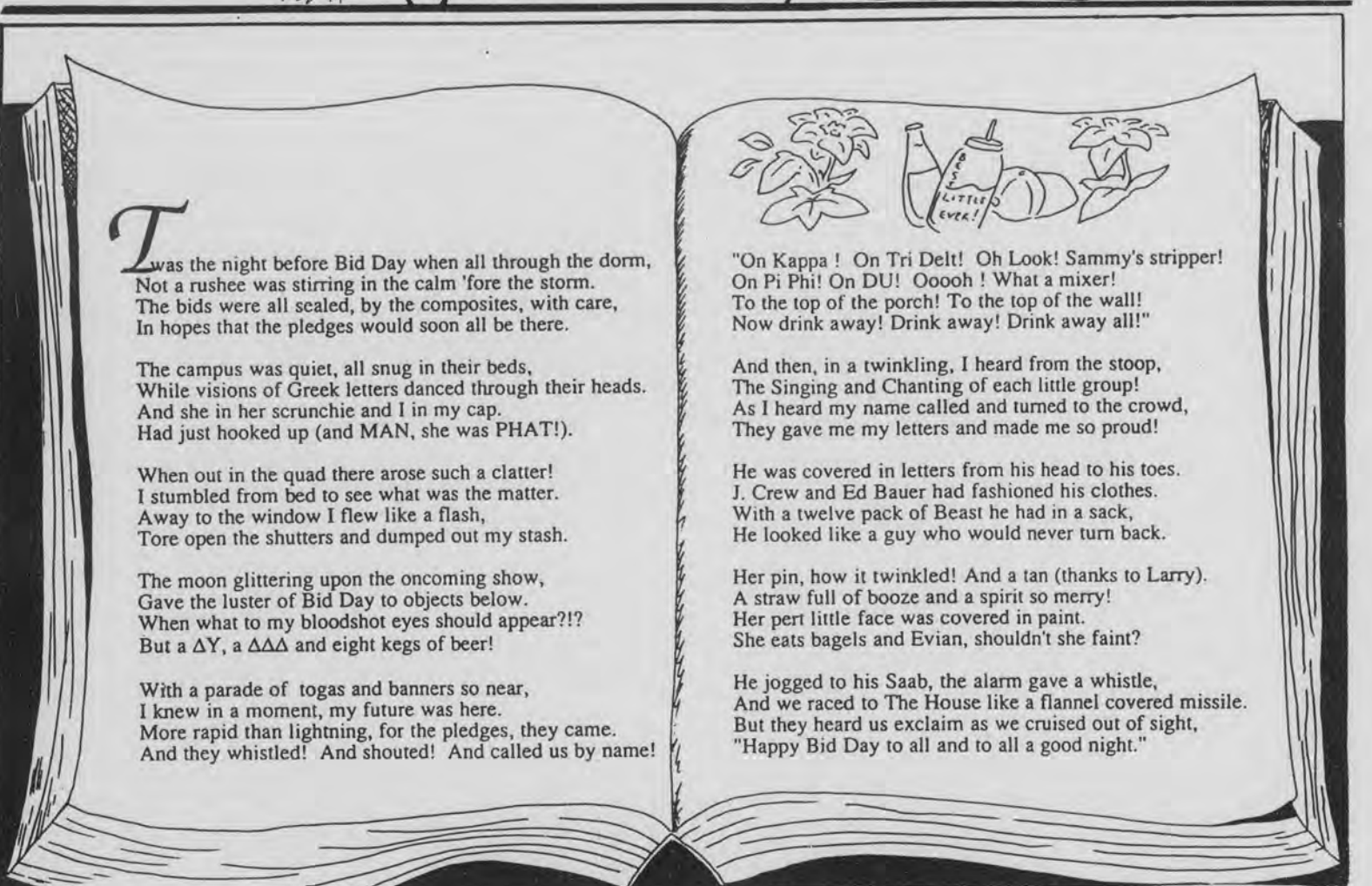
Gossip is one of the fewest and strongest beasts capable of pushing hard enough to unravel those bonds of trust. Once set in motion, the inertia of rumors makes it impossible to contain. Getting it straight from the source makes it valid, because, as Mr. Samuel Clemens also said, "One of the most striking differences between a cat and a lie is that a cat has only nine lives."



by Steve McNeill,
Ty Spence,
John McNeil

VERMONT SMELLS MORE BEAUTIFUL
WHEN THE FRESH MORNING DEW
LAYS UPON HER BOSOM.
BUT WATERGATE SLIPS AWAY
WHEN FOLK GO ON CRUISES
ONLY DREAMING ABOUT THE
DEW SCENE. IT'S A
RANDOM NIGHT. —FRANK

YOU WILL
WATCH MELROSE,
YOU WILL!
BOY, THAT
SYDNEY IS
SOMETHIN' ELSE!



It was the night before Bid Day when all through the dorm, Not a rushee was stirring in the calm fore the storm. The bids were all sealed, by the composites, with care, In hopes that the pledges would soon all be there.

The campus was quiet, all snug in their beds, While visions of Greek letters danced through their heads. And she in her scrunchie and I in my cap, Had just hooked up (and MAN, she was PHAT!).

When out in the quad there arose such a clatter! I tumbled from bed to see what was the matter. With a twelve pack of Beas he had in a sack, Tore open the shutters and dumped out my stash.

The moon glittering upon the oncoming show, Gave the luster of Bid Day to objects below. When what to my bloodshot eyes should appear??? But a ΔΥ, a ΔΔΔ and eight kegs of beer!

With a parade of togas and banners so near, I knew in a moment, my future was here. More rapid than lightning, for the pledges, they came, And they whistled! And shouted! And called us by name!

"On Kappa! On Tri Delta! Oh Look! Sammy's stripper! On Pi Phi! On DU! Ooooh! What a mixer! To the top of the porch! To the top of the wall! Now drink away! Drink away! Drink away all!"

And then, in a twinkling, I heard from the stoop, The Singing and Chanting of each little group! As I heard my name called and turned to the crowd, They gave me my letters and made me so proud!

He was covered in letters from his head to his toes. I, Crew and Ed Bauer had fashioned his clothes. With a twelve pack of Beas he had in a sack, He looked like a guy who would never turn back.

Her pin, how it twinkled! And a tan (thanks to Larry). A straw full of booze and a spirit so merry! Her pert little face was covered in paint. She eats bagels and Evian, shouldn't she faint?

He jogged to his Saab, the alarm gave a whistle, And we raced to The House like a flamed covered missile. But they heard us exclaim as we cruised out of sight, "Happy Bid Day to all and to all a good night!"

"Treading Water"—a sophomore's struggle for identity

BY SCOTT ALBRIGHT

Calvin Peale is a tall, thickly-built Bucknell sophomore with short, damp, rusty-red hair poking out from the edges of a New York Mets baseball cap. The sides of the brim are bent inward and he grips them with the prune-like fingers of a water-polo player, pulling the blue felt snugly over his eyebrows like the blinders on a racehorse. Bid day is Saturday, and his stomach is in a froth over this, as well as from the metallic stench of the "lentil loaf" he has just placed on his cafeteria tray. He knows that he should be calm, assured, confident. He is a "legacy," an athlete; and has chugged cheap beer with the brothers every weekend for the past two semesters. He drinks, gambles, and vomits with them; he feels an attachment as tight and privileged as a plastic wristband. But he is still insecure; maybe he doesn't fit in as well as he thinks—maybe he's been fooled into assuming he's good enough to make the cut.

Calvin is the greenest twig of a sturdy and broad-limbed family tree with roots that are embedded deeply into New York City's political society. Descended from a lineage of lawyers, Calvin is expected to continue the family tradition to guarantee that yet another Peale will champion the conservative cause and fill many leather briefcase-fuls of unmarked, tightly wrapped packs of money. His parents and closest relatives call him "Calvin," his hallmates and professors ask for "Cal," his little sister's friends and drunk fraternity brothers giggle and holler for "Orange," which he resents but tolerates. He hopes that this latter tag is dropped after he is initiated as a brother.

"Hey, Cal! Over here!" But he pretends not to hear, and looks the other way from Jeff and Stuart, his hallmates since freshman year, and some girl whose name he can't recall. "Big on women's lib, flat chest," he thinks, remembering her preachings in English class last semester. He doesn't want to deal with their silly conversations and issues and philosophy of life bullcrap while he's trying to dil-

lift their heads from the trough and call to him loudly, embarrassingly, and Cal grimaces a smile along with a cool, quick nod—until he's earned his letters, he'll still be a fruit.

When Cal puts his tray down, Boffo immediately dumps a glass of Razzle on his entree, laughs, and slaps palms with Sting. "Why would you want to eat that trash, Orange-man? Get some Lucky Charms. They're better for you." Cal obeys, eats two bowls, and considers a third. His mother would kill him. "You'll dine with us at the house next semester. This is a f—ing waste of a declining bal-

gest his meal. "Lentil loaf" is unsettling enough by itself.

Boffo, Beamer, and Sting sit four tables down to the left, all three with brims casting long shadows over their white faces in the fluorescent light. They're brothers, and their names suggest something to be proud of, he knows—at least one is meant to be a testament of sexual prowess. They

Cal finishes his cereal and realizes that he is set; the guys want him. He will get the bid and will soon be guzzling kegs with them on Saturday, smacking wiffle balls, punching volleyballs, and be soaking in the sorority chicks float by and admire. His worries have evaporated like steam from a sizzling pan of sausages. Why else would they volunteer to join him at the caf so he could use his meal plan? Too much of a sacrifice not to mean something, he decides.

Three firm handshakes and Cal leaves, thumbs in front pocket, hum on his lips. He decides to check his mail, hoping he'll get something more than a J-Crew catalog, a phone bill, a security alarm, or a flyer for another damn poetry reading or dance recital. But there's a letter from Grannie which he skillfully sniffs, extracting its green contents with a nimble thumb and forefinger, then, garbage. He scores. What a day!

Two large guys, one with slicked-moussed blonde hair, the other's cut flat, notice Cal and approach him. One is named Jerry or Jimmy, and the other's picture was in the paper as one of the possible Academic All-American candidates for the coming year. His smile is as wide and toothy now as it was in the photograph. Both are senior members of "the" fraternity on campus—the one very eligible male sophomore considers, then laughs at himself for being foolish enough to think he would get in. These brothers exude suavity from the glow of their tans to the pungent scent of their cologne.

"Cal, Calvin ol' buddy. Howya doin, man? We guys have been looking all over for you."

The three of them shoot the breeze for a minute but then Jerry or Jimmy and the baseball player get to the point and tell Cal that they have an un-



A simple ancestral search leads to an intriguing lineage—for only ten dollars an hour

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

I dialed the unfamiliar area code 606 to reach Lawrence County, Kentucky, where my great-grandparents Oliver and Julia Anne once lived. I was calling the county historian, one Ms. Opal Muncy, to try to find out some more about them.

"Hello," came the vaguely familiar Appalachian drawl of an older woman. I plunged into my little story, mentioning that I had never done this before, and asking what information was available. Then she plunged into stories of her own—about the history of the county, about the census records that got away.

After 20 minutes she had managed to give me a brief history of her professional life and also offered to look up my ancestors for me. I said I'd be glad to send her some money for her trouble. "Don't worry," she said, "I charge ten dollars an hour. Your lists will take less than an hour."

In a few weeks they came, lists of names to explore and piece together. Enclosed was a bill for \$2; she had charged me only for the photocopying.

These names on the lists dazzle me with their possibilities. Every person has at least eight great-grandparents, their slice of American and world history played out, complete with trivia, oppression, and triumph. My eight were a varied lot: Andrew and Anna were Germans who came across the ocean from Croatia well before the great war; Michael and Hedwig made the same long journey from the Slovaks' mountains. George Eitel, after growing up in a French settlement in Ohio, lost his clever last name when his mother remarried a Smith. He met Rosina, whose German ancestors had wandered the Midwest for generations. Julia Anne was

the red-haired daughter of two Irish immigrants, born in an anti-Irish time. Oliver was born with the Civil War, with brothers named Commodore Perry Stith and Christopher Columbus Stith in fits of American patriotism.

And I continue to look for who came before. Searching back brings you to face to face with the ugliness of the past—with the sexism that marginalized my foremothers in their lives and in the few records of them I uncover. There's the racism that keeps people apart, and makes my family tree an all-white one. And then there is slavery, the horror that haunts the lineages of so many of us. Looking through the names forces me to remember the many Americans who have my surname because they were once owned by my ancestors. History is not meant to be soft and rosy—it sets us up for the present, and it sears our conscience with its vivid hues.

I imagine my ancestry as a Ken Burns documentary, with celebrity voices giving life to their still photographs and stolid faces. And I take joy in remembering that these people lived emotional, intricate lives—as fascinating in a personal way as those people from the past we do know well. My ancestors led like Abraham Lincoln, fought like Susan B. Anthony, thought like W.E.B. Dubois, just on a smaller, less famous scale. Their lives were good and have added to mine.

The search also presents the opportunity to make connections. It turns out that as I searched this summer, someone was searching for me. A Californian who shares my last name sent me an e-mail message with old names and birthdates, and he turns out to be a not-too-distant cousin. So now I have someone to search with; together we'll discover more pieces of this endless story.

To fix the ozone layer, step on a landfill high enough to reach it

BY DEREK POWELL
Bucknellian Columnist

Just when you thought things were settling down, it starts again. Resolutions and cease-fires lose their meanings as tempers flare up once again, one side wondering how the other can do something wrong, over and over. The battle wounds, still tender from an outing weeks ago, open up again.

Wood Company vs. students: Round 12.

Beginning earlier this semester, the Wood company started replacing the familiar gray-and-white paper plates in the Bison with polystyrene (i.e. styrofoam) alternatives. The small flying saucers and the larger, oblong plates, now flattened banana boats, have now been finding their way under Bison Burgers and pizza bagels for the past couple of weeks. This transition was made rather smoothly and didn't make too much of a ruckus.

Then the cups arrived.

"What are these things?" one student asked as she grabbed a coffee cup and showed it under an employee's face. "Are you serious?" the student asked her. Obviously, they were. Once the cups arrived, they started multiplying, evolving into 16- and 20-ounce drink cups as well as the coffee cups.

Talk about "making a difference."

In a move that can only be deemed as cost-cutting, the paper products that once were prevalent have now disappeared. What's next—styrofoam register slips?

"They're more friendly to the environment," the employee replied to the student. "They're CRC-free, and they're recyclable."

Are they? I can swallow the chlorofluorocarbon bit, but...recyclable? Sure. So is my Neon, if I decided to take the parts off of it. My gas cap has a ♻️. The ♻️ printed on the bottom of these new polystyrene items infers that this type of styrofoam is only recyclable in very large market areas. Is this what is defined as cost-cutting?

Students: 1, Wood: 0.

But let's look at it from the other side for a moment. Suppose these recycling bins were to come out. Suppose that the costs incurred in trucking these dirty

plates all the way to New York (or even Allentown) didn't outweigh the savings in choosing them over paper plates. Is it really still feasible?

"We want to save the environment!" Sure, you've heard it before from various organizations around the campus. Although there is a campus-wide effort to recycle bottles, cans, newspaper, paper, etc., it isn't as successful as these organizations would like it to be. I work (yes, yes, Derek, we know) at the Bison, and the situation is probably worse than some people realize. As I change the bags in the green waste containers, the not-so-subtle clink-clink of multiple bottles in the bottom of the bag can be heard. Worse, I find that people litter the recycling bins with items other than what's intended. And if the "reduce, re-use" clause is truly part of the chant, I guess that the heaps of napkins taken then unused in the

Bison and caf are exempt—right?

We even cannot successfully implement a program that involves something as easy as recycling aluminum cans. How, then, will styrofoam recycling be an immediate habit for the Bucknell community? How are we supposed to convince people to deposit their food-laced plates and cups into yet another bin? It turns out, if not recycled, these styrofoam articles will spend an eternity sitting in a landfill while their paper counterparts rot away.

Oops. Students: 0, Wood: 0. I will concede that there are people, both from organizations and random people that do recycle, and refuse to use a styrofoam item when ordering in the Bison. There's a half point for you.

So what do I think? Personally, my experiences with these new items are pretty pathetic. The first time I tried to put a straw into one of these cups, I poked a hole in the side and created a Coke fountain. And don't ever put hot french fries on the styrofoam plates. It will melt.

Is there a compromise? Can the Wood Company be persuaded to return paper to the food arena? Only one way to find out. Let them know. Their past track record with this stuff is pretty spotty. In the meantime, we have all these styrofoam plates to deal with and no recycling bins to deposit them into. There's something wrong with this equation.

It's no use to save the ozone layer when we have nowhere to stand but on a landfill of styrofoam.

Unfortunately, it seems that all too often the mix is low. An effort by the cafeteria staff to serve soup comes in order to compensate for the lack of this divine dessert did not deter any die-hard "fro-yo" fans.

The inconsistency of the yogurt consistency is yet another drawback. I

never know if I will be serving myself "frozen" yogurt, or a bowl of vanilla-flavored milk. By the way, the trip back to the lunch table doesn't help the situation: by the time you sit down to eat it, the amount of edible yogurt has dwindled considerably. Despite these trivial peevs, the frozen yogurt fad lives on. How long it will last cannot be determined, and its following cannot be estimated. At Bucknell, frozen yogurt seems to be worth its weight in gold; the cafeteria staff might have a fortune on their hands if they could only find a way to keep the frozen yogurt, well, frozen.

The frozen yogurt fetish has hit Bucknell, and hit it hard. This fanaticism could be due to the escalated anticipation over the featured flavors.

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Thursday, September 22
Women's Film Series: *China Diary*, noon and 7:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center

Friday, September 23
Hilltop Film Series: *Jacquot*, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Recital: Mary Hannigan, flute, and Barry Hannigan, piano, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall
Movie: *The Flintstones*, 10 p.m., Rooke Chapel Lawn



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Saturday, September 24
Guitarist: Kyle Davis, 9 p.m., Bison
Movie: *The Air Up There*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission



Sunday, September 25
Poetry Reading: Roger Fanning, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Wednesday, September 28
Coffeehouse: 9 p.m., Bison

Roger Fanning begins poetic residency

The second Philip Roth Residency for Creative Writing recipient will read poetry in Bucknell Hall

BY REBECCA KLINGLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Although it may seem that Roger Fanning will appear out of nowhere for his Sunday evening's poetry reading at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall, he has been a popular name and figure at the Stadler Center for Poetry for quite a while now. The second recipient of the Philip Roth Residency in Creative Writing, Fanning will be a presence at Bucknell for the entire fall semester.

The Philip Roth Residency was created to provide a writer of either fiction or poetry a chance for uninhibited work on his art, and Fanning has begun to use this opportunity. "I've been writing already," he said. "It's great having my own office with a typewriter all set up. I've never had that before."

His own office is probably the only thing that Fanning is not bringing with him to this residency. From giving numerous poetry readings, to teaching, and to having his book *The Island Itself* published, experience is something which Fanning does not lack.

Since his childhood, Fanning has enjoyed writing. Although he did not start writing poetry until he was 15, his interests in writing were planted through the short stories he wrote as a young boy. "When I was in tenth grade, I had a teacher that really encouraged me," Fanning said, and so he began to write poetry.

Now, Fanning admits that his writing is "really a matter of survival. It releases some inner tensions. If there is some problem, I jot things down in my notebook. [My writing] is usually a response to something that bothers me."

"[Writing poetry] is not like a bolt of lightning. It's more like sweeping the floor; it builds into poems. It takes me several months. If it doesn't feel quite right, I come back to it and change it around," Fanning said. Even before a poem can

he has been studying about more formal structures. "I'm learning more about meter and rhyme as I go along," he admitted.

While what he has learned is important to him, Fanning emphasized the essential part that certain people have played during his writing career. His professors at the University of Washington, from where he graduated in 1985 with a Bachelor of Arts in English, are among the first people he mentioned. Fanning said, "I have had a few good teachers who have made a difference, and I want to pass that along." Teaching is something that Fanning is considering for the future.

Those people that have made a difference to Fanning have helped him to go far. A collection of his poetry won the National Poetry Series in 1990, and the next year, *The Island Itself* was published. "After you carry all those poems around, to have a book in your hands," said Fanning, "it just feels really good."

Fanning has also had poetry appear in *The New Yorker*, *Virginia Quarterly Review*, *Threepenny Review*, and in the anthology *The Best American Poetry 1993*.

Writing is an essential presence in Fanning's life, a presence that he would be lost without. "Writing just makes all the bad things in life more bearable. It gives me more control over them," Fanning said.

House On Fire

by Roger Fanning

*I've been civilized by the idea of time
but made wild by what? Not by the roar
of a rose, but by a howl like a hatchet*

*flung from this planet. By a house on fire.
By a soul hurled from a framework. By a hillside aswim
with heat wraiths and shadows, really bruises*

*which move. By ashes. By a wedding ring
fused to what's left. By principles
in a wilderness where I go watchful.*

Because his writing usually stems from his own experiences, Fanning's poetry is often about the "conflict between ideas and everyday lives." But even though Fanning's poetry deals with everyday occurrences, his poetry takes longer than a day to write.

reaching through his pen onto paper, Fanning plays around with it for a while in his mind. When the poem finally finds its home on paper, Fanning uses his intuition about the form it will take. Usually he writes his poems in free verse; however,

Flute and piano mix for diverse concert

Mary Hannigan, flute, and Barry Hannigan, piano, will perform difficult and diverse pieces

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The flute and piano duo of Mary and Barry Hannigan is no stranger to the Bucknell recital scene. Mary Hannigan, a flutist with the Harrisburg Symphony and a faculty member at both Susquehanna University and Dickinson College, will perform tomorrow night at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall. Accompanying her on the piano will be Barry Hannigan, professor of music.

The evening will be marked by a diverse selection of flute music, both young and old. The Hannigans will open with Philippe Gaubert's *Ballade*. Composed in 1927, the piece is similar to works that were composed for the famous Paris Con-

servatory flute competitions. "Ballade is light in character, with a slow introductory section that gets fast and finally comes back slow," Mary Hannigan stated. "It's an incredibly beautiful piece."

This work will also be performed by Hannigan in November, when she will give a lecture-recital on Gaubert during the Pennsylvania Music Teachers Association conference, which will take place at Bucknell early in the month.

Eugene Goossens' *Scherzo Fantastique*, composed in 1962, will follow *Ballade*. Like Gaubert, who was a conductor in Paris in addition to being a flutist, Goossens made a career as a conductor. *Scherzo Fantastique*, written in the last year of Goossens' life, is dedicated to the late Geoffrey

Gilbert, a master flute teacher with whom Hannigan had the opportunity to work with in Florida.

"Gilbert was an incredible teacher who probably taught me 99% of what I feel I know. I'm grateful for the time I had with him," Hannigan said.

The most recently composed piece in the program and the final piece of the recital's first half will be Lowell Lieberman's *Sonata for Flute and Piano, Opus 23*. The work, which Hannigan described as neo-classical and "demanding in endurance and control" was written for and premiered by the flutist Paula Robison at the Spoleto Festival in Charleston, South Carolina.

After a brief intermission, Hannigan will perform J.S. Bach's *Partita, B.W.V.*

1013. This beautiful work for solo flute, a standard in the flute repertoire, is a typical collection of baroque dances that is similar to Bach's solo partitas for violin and cello.

Paul Taffanel's *Grande Fantaisie* will end the evening's program. The piece is of the theme and variations kind and is based on themes from the opera *Mignon* by Ambroise Thomas. "It's a demanding but fun piece," Hannigan stated, a comment with which the audience will most likely agree.

In a week, the Hannigans will perform the Goossens work in a home where the composer lived. Upcoming events for the Hannigans include a performance in Philadelphia. They will perform *Rhapsody*, by professor Hill of the music department.

Acoustic guitarist Kyle Davis to play the Bison



Photo courtesy of Public Relations
This Saturday evening at 9 p.m. in the Bison, Kyle Davis, an acoustic guitarist, will give a concert. BAC is sponsoring this performance.

Next Week:

Bison football
plays Harvard
for first time in
seven years.

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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"The key to success this year would be not making any defensive third mistakes...we have to look when we pass."
—Craig Reynolds
Coach, men's soccer

Crusaders wage a holy war against Bison in 2-0 shutout



Paul Distakweig—The Bucknellian
The men's soccer team chalked up their first Patriot League loss to the Crusaders of Holy Cross during last Saturday's game. The Bison lost by a score of 2-0.

BY KEITH NIGRO

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell's soccer team was defeated by the Crusaders of Holy Cross, 2-0, last Saturday, losing their first Patriot League game.

The Bison were unable to muster any offensive strength as in previous games against Kutztown and Lehigh, and committed serious errors in the defensive third.

With 2:20 left in the first half, Crusader Jake McDowell was cred-

ited with a goal that bounced off the Bucknell defense and passed Corey Harbold '97. In the second half, Paul Nolan '98 recorded a strike assisted by McDowell. The Orange and Blue were unable to come back in the remaining five minutes, and lost their first Patriot League game.

Coach Craig Reynolds said, "The key to success this year would be not making any defensive third mistakes...we have to look when we pass."

So far this season, Bucknell has made some costly defensive third mistakes against Pitt, St. Peter's, and more recently, Holy Cross. The Bison are 0-2-1 in those games and 2-0-0 in matchups where they looked strong both offensively and defensively. In games against Kutztown and Lehigh, the Orange and Blue looked like an aggressive playing unit the entire 90 minutes, but in other games, there was not the same intensity.

An important statistic, the corner kick, explains the lack of opportunities for offense in this game. Bucknell had one corner kick in the game, compared to the Royal Purple's seven. The Bison were averaging 8.5 going into the game which led to many goals from Carl Lemay '98 to Brendan Whitworth '98. The offense was not able to penetrate the Holy Cross defense, tallying only 12

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Water polo team sinks, then swims

After a strong pre-season and a few well-played games, the water polo team was confident heading into last weekend's match at Villanova. They were scheduled to play two unranked teams: Villanova, whom they had beaten two weeks earlier, and George Washington.

The first game against Villanova proved a disaster. The Wildcats outscored them 7-0 in the third quarter, and won the game by five goals.

The Bison tried to regroup and play George Washington, who beat Villanova by nine goals earlier this year. Bucknell, behind a strong defense, was able to pull away with a 22-11 victory. Sean Tierney '95 had six goals and goal-keeper Blaine '97 had 25 saves.

Blaine's 25 saves against George Washington is a new school record, formerly held by Rupert deVink '94.

Women's tennis off to an ace season at 7-0

At 7-0, the women's tennis team is off to an impressive start.

But that start is even more impressive when you figure who the Bison have knocked off. They have won at Lehigh and Lafayette, and they have defeated Holy Cross and Colgate at home.

With four of their six Patriot League contests out of the way, and the Orange and Blue standing at 4-0 in the conference after those games, the team is well on its way to securing the number one seed at the Patriot League Women's Tennis Championships on Oct. 8 and 9.

The Bison began their week last Saturday by hosting Holy Cross. Bucknell ran away with the match, stomping the Crusaders 8-1. Seniors Julia Diaz and Kristina Lutter again led the way, winning by 6-3, 6-1 and 6-2, 6-1, respectively. Lauren Weihi '96 was particularly strong playing at

the number three spot, steam-rolling her opponent 6-3, 6-0.

The Orange and Blue remained home the next day to host conference rival Colgate. The Red Raiders presented the toughest challenge to Bucknell all season, extending the contest until the final match.

Colgate shocked the Bison by sweeping the top three singles matches. Diaz and Lutter dropped their first decisions of the season.

Sara Allen '96 broke through first, taking the fourth singles match 6-1, 6-4. After splitting the last two singles matches, Bucknell stormed back to sweep all three doubles matches and defeat Colgate.

Tied at 4-4, the number three doubles team of Laura Grossman '98 and Emily Glassmeyer '97

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Football completes first win in a slaughter of the S. Conn. Owls



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Wide receiver Mike Phillips '96 scored one of Bucknell's three third-period touchdowns against Southern Connecticut. The Bison crushed the Owls last Saturday in a 32-7 victory.

BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell dominated the Southern Connecticut Owls last Saturday to take its first win of the season. The Bison scored three touchdowns in a four-minute span of the third period to put away a 32-7 victory over Southern Connecticut.

With 9:00 left in the first quarter, Southern Connecticut had already dominated the field, taking an early 7-0 lead. This would be, however, the Owls' only touchdown of the game.

By halftime the Bison had accumulated a 12-7 lead, enough to hold them until the rest of the game. Touchback Rich Lemon '97 succeeded on two second quarter possessions, giving Bucknell its decisive scores.

Quarterback Rub Glus '95

scored on a six-yard keeper with 6:54 left in the third quarter to earn the Bison the first in its trio of third quarter scores.

On the Bison's next possession, Glus faked a pitch to Lemon and instead hurled a 33-yard pass to wide receiver Mike Phillips '96. Left unguarded, Phillips easily completed the second of Bucknell's touchdowns.

Two minutes after Phillips' reception, Lemon broke loose for a 42-yard touchdown run, his third score of the day.

With a sharpened defense, the Bison held the Owls to only 103 total yards in the second half, leaving them scoreless for the last three quarters of the game. The defensive player to keep an eye on may be Willie Jackson '96, who made his first career start against Southern Connecticut last Saturday. Jackson was ferocious in his

attack on the Owls' passing game, and finished the game with three solo tackles and three pass deflections.

For Lemon, the romp against Southern Connecticut marked his sixth straight 100-yard rushing performance, a school record. In addition, Lemon ended with four touchdowns and 22 carries for a total of 171 yards, averaging 7.2 yards per carry.

Lemon's consistent performance pushed Bucknell over the edge last year, as the Bison led the Patriot League in rushing yards per game with 174.8, the highest average by a Bucknell team in 14 years. In the first two games, the Bison seemed well on their way to meet that record, averaging 174.0 rushing yards per game.

Lemon was named the Patriot League Co-Offensive Player of the Week for his performance against Southern Connecticut. He was also recently named the Patriot League's pre-season Offensive Player of the year.

League awards also went to other members of the Bison. Linebacker Russ Strohecker '95 also earned himself honors, garnering the Patriot League's pre-season Defensive Player of the Year.

In addition, Strohecker and teammates Ed Frattarelli '95, Mark Miller '96, and Andrew Welty '95 were recently named pre-season All Patriot League by *The Sporting News*.

The Bison are to face Harvard at Harvard Stadium this Saturday. This will be the first time Bucknell has played against them in seven years, and the first time ever that they have faced off with head coach Lou Maranzana at the helm.

Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

The Bison secured its first victory of the season against Southern Connecticut.

Women Bison surrender to Holy Cross and Springfield

After rocketing to a perfect 3-0 start, the women's field hockey team fell back to Earth a bit this week. The Bison dropped consecutive decisions to Holy Cross and Springfield by the scores of 1-0 and 3-1, respectively.

The trip to Massachusetts to face off with the Crusaders was the Orange and Blue's first Patriot League game of the season. The contest was closely battled, as Bucknell took 16 shots to Holy Cross' 24. No shots found their intended marks in the first half, however, and the score remained deadlocked at zero for much of the game.

But with 19:16 remaining in the second half, the Crusaders scored the game's only goal off a

penalty corner situation. Goal-keeper Tracy LaPorte '95, who was rock solid in the first three games of the season, was tough again. LaPorte made a season high ten saves, and was again backed by a stingy defense. In the end, though, Bucknell couldn't generate any offense of their own and Holy Cross' lone goal was the difference.

The following day, Sunday, September 18, the Bison made a short trip from the Cross to Springfield. Springfield jumped on the Orange and Blue early, getting a goal a mere 45 seconds into the game. They struck for more later in the half, leaving Bucknell at a 2-0 disadvantage.

Dani Johnston '97 responded

for Bucknell before the half closed. Johnston narrowed the gap to 2-1 off an assist from Tina Jones '98. But that was all the scoring the team could muster. Springfield tacked on one more goal in the second stanza for a final count of 3-1.

LaPorte played the entire game in goal, giving up three scores and making three saves. LaPorte has now played every minute of every game this season, and has stopped 21 of the 26 shots she has faced (for an .808 percentage). Jamie Paldin '98 and Liz Goodall '96 are tied for the team lead in scoring with seven points each. Missy Hauck '97 has registered six points, while Johnston and Jones each have four.



After starting off the season with a perfect 3-0 record, the women's field hockey team succumbed at last to the mighty sticks of Holy Cross and Springfield.

Strong offensive support was offered by goalie Tracy LaPorte '95 who made a season high ten saves against Holy Cross. LaPorte has played every minute of every game this season, and holds a .808 percentage of saved shots. After losing by scores of 1-0 and 3-1 respectively, the women Bison look to host Ursinus this Tuesday in order to even up their now 3-2 record.

Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

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If anyone has any photographs or memories of Woodstock I or II, please contact Mike at x4959

SPORTS

Commentary

Seventy-five years
of football with a
Bucknell twist

Yellow and black striped shirts, mustard colored pants, and plain black helmets. No, the Pittsburgh Steelers didn't forget to consult the fashion police this weekend, and for that matter neither did the rest of the NFL. Most teams chose Week 3 of this early professional football season to turn back the clock and don replica jerseys of yesteryear in commemoration of the 75 year history of the National Football League.

Well, what's all this have to do with Bucknell, you might ask? A young Bucknellian named Arda Bowser '23 was there when it all began 75 years ago. In fact, at 95 years of age, Arda Bowser is the oldest living ex-National Football League player.

The National Football League was chartered in 1920 and was adopted in 1922. At that time, Bowser, whose college eligibility with the Bison had been used up after his junior year, spent his senior year playing football for the Frankford Yellowjackets and the Canton Bulldogs. Arda would play one game in Frankford, a section of Philadelphia, in the morning, then hop a train to Canton in the afternoon and play another game at night. And if that wasn't enough, in his spare time Bowser also helped coach Bucknell while playing on several informal teams in the area.

When the NFL was adopted in 1922, the Canton Bulldogs was one of the few teams inducted into the new league. Arda was a fullback and kicker for that championship team, while also playing those same positions for Frankford. In 1923, the Bulldogs moved to Cleveland and became the Cleveland Indians. Bowser went with that team to Cleveland and played one more year in the NFL. In 1924 the Frankford Yellowjackets became a part of the league, but by that time Bowser had finished playing for them.

The Turner Network Television (TNT) station recently aired a special featuring Arda Bowser on the 75th NFL Anniversary. Arda talks of the time he played 4 games one Thanksgiving weekend and also reminisces about playing football with Jim Thorpe.

Thorpe is the legendary Indian athlete who played professional baseball, professional football, and won the decathlon at the Olympics. Many consider Thorpe the greatest athlete who ever lived. Locally, Arda is noted for saying that Jim could punt further than he could, but that he was a much better place-kicker. In fact, Bowser reportedly kicked a 70 yard field goal against Navy that everyone except one referee thought was good. Hence, it didn't count. The National Football League record for the longest field goal remains only 63 yards. The anniversary special will air again on TNT September 25th and October 3rd.

While filming the anniversary special at a Tampa Bay Bucs pre-season game, Arda was quoted as saying to a couple of players, "I'll trade places with ya'."

Arda, every NFL football fan would love to trade places with you.

Ted Capeless

Ted Capeless, Staff Writer

BUCKNELLIAN SPORTS
TRIVIA QUIZ—WEEK TWO

Answers to last week's quiz:

1. Michael Jordan was selected third in the NBA Draft, behind Hakeem Olajuwon of the Houston Rockets and, tragically, Sam Bowie, who was picked by the Portland Trailblazers.
2. The 1923 New York Yankees were nicknamed "Murder's Row," with Babe Ruth batting third and Lou Gehrig batting cleanup.
3. Bart Starr scored on a quarterback sneak to give the Green Bay Packers the first Super Bowl victory.
4. Bill Russell became the first black coach in professional sports history. In Russell's initial three year stint as player/coach, the Boston Celtics won two championships.
5. The North Carolina Tarheels had their string of NCAA "Sweet Sixteen" basketball tournament appearances snapped last year by Boston College.

This week:

1. Who won the most NBA scoring titles?
2. Since Ted Williams hit .406 for the Red Sox, who has come the closest to reaching the magical .400 average?
3. What Dallas Cowboy coach won the most games in his rookie year?
4. Who is the only player to lead the NBA in scoring and assists in the same season?
5. Which university has produced the most professional quarterbacks?

Bison Calendar

Fri., Sept. 23	GOLF-BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
Sat., Sept. 24	GOLF-BUCKNELL INVITATIONAL	
	Field Hockey at Lafayette	12:00 p.m.
	WOMEN'S TENNIS VS. DELAWARE	1:00 p.m.
	MEN'S SOCCER VS. COLGATE	1:00 p.m.
	Women's Soccer at Colgate	1:00 p.m.
	Football at Harvard	1:00 p.m.
	Water Polo at Navy Invitational	
	Volleyball at Temple	
	w/LaSalle	11:00 a.m.
	w/Temple	2:00 p.m.
	Men's Cross Country at Mt. West Classic	
Sun., Sept. 25	Water Polo at Navy Invitational	
Tues., Sept. 27	FIELD HOCKEY VS. URSINUS	4:00 p.m.
	Women's Soccer at Penn State	7:00 p.m.
Wed., Sept. 28	Golf at Franklin & Marshall	
	Women's Tennis at Mt. St. Mary's	3:00 p.m.
	Men's Soccer at Delaware	3:30 p.m.

Women spikers nail three
straight games at home

Brian McAllister—The Bucknellian

The women's volleyball team streaked to three straight wins after hosting the Days Inn/Bucknell Invitational last Tuesday. Katie Steele '96 (number 14), Patriot League's Player of the Week, helped lead her team to victory. The women's volleyball team record is now 8-4.

After winning three straight matches for the first time this season, the women's volleyball team boosted their record to 8-4.

Following a 2-2 split at the Days Inn/Bucknell Invitational, the Bison hosted Patriot League rival Lafayette last Tuesday. The game was the Orange and Blue's first league game of the year, and it turned into a great battle. Bucknell took the first game 15-7, but Lafayette rebounded to prevail in the next two contests, winning tight ones by the score of 15-13 and 18-16. Down 2-1, the Bison rallied to win the final games 15-8 and 15-12. Their Patriot League record is now 1-0.

Katie Steele '96 had ten kills

against Lafayette, including the game-winner. Steele also had five aces, and she served out the last six points in the final game. Setter Amy Turnshek '98 had 28 assists to pace the Bison. Heather Rendle '97 had five kills and five block assists, while Melissa Wharton '98 registered a career-high nine kills.

The volleyball team followed that win by hosting both the University of Maryland-Eastern Shore and Dartmouth. Neither team presented a challenge to the Orange and Blue, as they rolled over both without dropping a game. Maryland-Eastern Shore fell 15-6, 15-3, 15-9. Steele again led the attack with 12 kills and three solo blocks. Susie Teitsworth '97 added nine

kills and three service aces. Rendle chipped in with six kills, three solo blocks, and two block assists.

Dartmouth was Bucknell's next victim, as the Ivy Leaguers fell 15-3, 15-8, and 15-5. Once again, Steele, who was named the Patriot League's Player of the Week, stood out. She had ten kills, five solo blocks, and two block assists. Teitsworth had another big game, racking up eight kills and seven service aces. Heather Montaperto '97 recorded seven kills and added nine digs. Wharton had eight kills and three solo blocks.

The Bison travel to Philadelphia on Saturday where they will face both Temple and LaSalle.

Pre-season ticket madness begins again for Bison

Tickets for men's and women's basketball go on sale this weekend following pre-season a scrimmage



The Bucknell department of athletics announced this week the instructions for obtaining basketball tickets for the 1994-95 season.

This year the men's basketball team will hold an intrasquad scrimmage on Saturday, Oct. 15 in Davis Gym at 6 p.m. Tickets for men's and women's basketball will be sold to last season's ticket holders that evening from 5 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. The sale will continue through Friday, Oct. 21.

After Oct. 21, all unpurchased tickets, along with approximately 150 additional general admission season tickets, will be sold.

Reserved season tickets will again cost \$100 each or \$75 each with Bucknell identification. General Admission tickets will be sold for \$65 each.

People with a valid Bucknell identification are entitled to free admission to home men's and women's basketball games.

Because of the limited seating and safety regulations which allow no more than 2,500 people in Davis Gym, students and staff that are interested in attending home basketball games are asked to pick

up a ticket ahead of time.

A ticket can be obtained by stopping by the information desk at the Langone Center and showing your Bucknell ID.

Tickets will be available a few days before the first home game (Friday, Nov. 11, in an exhibition against the Polish National Club). Tickets will then be available for the next game the day after a game is played.

A record will be kept so that only one ticket may be obtained per ID. Staff will not be permitted to obtain tickets for friends—immediate family only.

Any tickets not picked up by students and staff ahead of time will be sold before the game at Davis Gym. If you have not picked one up ahead of time, you may obtain a ticket at the gym with your ID before the game.

When there is a women's basketball game preceding a men's game, one ticket will admit you to both games. Ushers will be on hand to show patrons where the general admission sections are located.



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How sweet it was. Highlights from last season: (Far left) Coach Charlie Woolum led the Bison to the BCAA Tournament twice, in 1987 and 1989. Six of his last 11 teams have advanced to the conference finals, including the 1992-93 team which won the regular season title. Woolum left to accept a coaching position at William & Mary, leaving the Bison in the hands of Pat Flannery '80; (Left) The women's basketball team look to improve on their 6-19 record of last year; (Above) Dave Fries '93 obtained a handful of hard-to-find basketball tickets. Scores of students camped out for post-season tickets. Tickets for this years season on sale starting this Friday.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Partly Cloudy. Lows around 40.
Friday—Mostly sunny. Highs in the low 60s.
Saturday—Fair. Lows in the mid 40s to low 50s. High in the upper 60s.
Sunday—Fair. Lows from 40 to 50, highs from 60 to 70.

Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

THE BUCKNELLIAN

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Dining Services plans no immediate changes But alternate campus locations may eventually house à la carte operation

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
Bucknellian staff writer

In response to extensive student concern regarding the proposed changes to the Terrace Room, Dining Services has suspended any alterations for the near future.

According to Tim Tenon, director of Dining Services, the change of heart occurred "because objections in student input slowed the process down." After a meeting with the administration a decision was made "to look for student input and find out, if and when changes occur, to try and satisfy the majority," stated Tenon. He said that he hopes a survey will be completed and ready to distribute to regular patrons of the Terrace Room before Fall Break.

Currently, Dining Services "is looking at alternate spaces on campus where [dining services] may implement an à la carte program and keep the Terrace Room as it is," says Tenon. These spaces, however, would most likely not be found in the Langone Center, and subsequently far from the mailroom, other dining areas, and the Bookstore—all places students frequent during the day. Although Tenon contends that the ideal location is in the LC, "there's just not much space available," he says. However, Dining Services "won't do anything until we have additional meetings, surveys...to discuss the change."

One of the original purposes of the Terrace Room change was to alleviate a few of the congested areas on campus at mealtimes, as well as accommodate both declining balance users and those with meal plans. According to Tenon, however, crowded lunch lines are not out of the ordinary, nor do they deviate from the numbers from last year at this time.



Lorene Johnson '98, Doug Cummings '98, Jason Alpern '98, and Mark Imbertson '98 line up for their meals in the Bostwick cafeteria.

Sales in the Bison, for instance, are up, but not significantly. There are approximately 100 more people eating in the Bostwick Cafeteria this fall from last year. According to Tenon, 19,500 meals a week were sold last year in the Caf, while just about 20,000 meals a week were sold this so far.

"The biggest problems we face," says Tenon, "are at lunchtime. Because of the academic schedule on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 60 percent or more of people that come to use the Caf hit it at a 15 minute window." The crowds, said Tenon, "are not as bad as it was the first couple of weeks of school."

Tenon says many students have expressed concerns regarding different facets of dining services and he says that they "are sensitive to them and that [they] are working to alleviate the problems."

Changes have also been made in the Bison with the implementation of poly-

styrene plates and cups instead of the usual paper board. The change is part of a new recycling program that is to be placed into effect in various stages. The new polystyrene goods will soon have their own recycle bins in the Bison, next to the trash cans. The recyclable trash will then be "densified" and recycled.

Tenon responds that this change is not just monetary, although dining services will be saving an approximate \$7000 per year in just paper costs. "Although there is significant savings that Bucknell will see at the end of the year," Tenon cites less weight, energy and harm to the environment as the primary reasons for the change.

As a way of informing the patrons of the Bison about the changes, Dining Services has placed informational sheets at the register to educate customers of the benefits (such as the absence of CPC's in polystyrene) of the new plates and cups.

Former student arrested Car chase leads to man hunt earlier this week

BY CATHY ANDREASEN

East Buffalo Township police arrested Michael E. Riddick '93 of Princeton, New Jersey in the Malesardi Gateway Tuesday night at 9:45 p.m.

The arrest resulted from almost two days of searching for Riddick, who, as a result of reckless driving, began a police chase at about 1:00 a.m. Sunday morning.

At the corner of Seventh Street and Fraternity Road, two students observed Riddick's black 1993 Nissan Altima being driven towards groups of people in an attempt to strike them as they scrambled out of its path. The car careened towards the two witnesses. They were able to jump out of the way as the car collided with the curb in front of Phi Kappa Psi. The driver, whom police identified as Riddick, exited his vehicle and began a fight.

When Public Safety Officers Wayne Slear and Sharon McCrum arrived on the scene, Riddick was again behind the wheel of his car. Witnesses said that Riddick looked directly at the officers, and then raced away, starting a high speed chase which led to damage of one Public Safety vehicle. Police estimated the damage to the vehicle between \$2,000 and \$3,000.

The chase ended when Riddick's car wrecked into a ditch by the railroad tracks at Seventh Street and River Road.

He then fled the scene on foot, and disappeared into the woods.

East Buffalo Township Police, the Lewisburg Police Department, and the K-9 unit STRIKE from Milton, an engine and ambulance unit from William Cameron Engine Company, and portable lights were used in the search for Riddick. None of the units could find him.

His vehicle was towed and impounded at East Buffalo Police Department, where the East Buffalo Township issued a warrant for Riddick's arrest. On Tuesday evening, Riddick appeared again on campus, and East Buffalo Township Police apprehended him at the Gateways.

Riddick now faces charges of aggravated assault, reckless endangerment of others, defiant trespass, stop sign violations, reckless driving, causing an accident and damage to attended property, failure to give information and render aid, and driving with a suspended license.

An arraignment hearing was held in Union County Court House on Wednesday, where bail was set at \$5,000. At this time, authorities are holding Riddick in Union County Jail.

Riddick graduated from Bucknell in February 1993 with a degree in accounting. According to authorities, he lingered around the campus for some time after graduating. Police served him with a "Persona non grata" for reckless driving on June 16, 1993.

Presidential Search raises important questions

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When Gary Sojka resigned last November, the trustees set the Presidential Search Committee into motion. And anyone who had even an inkling of what was going on would stop talking for a minute about the Liquor Control Enforcement Agency Raid on Sixth Street in order to share his or her opinions on the search for a new president.

News Analysis

And then, miraculously, the conversation stopped. It seemed that there was nothing new that was happening with the Presidential Search that anyone could, or would, comment on. Much like bellows on dying embers, rumors and gossip about what might be happening kept the subject alive.

Except for faculty and staff members saying things as, "Well, I heard this, but I'm not sure what the real story is," no one was really sure what was happening or even how close the committee was, ten months later, to finding a new president for the University.

Members of the University community don't know what to say about the search for a new president because the Presidential Search Committee has revealed very little information about the status of the search.

This presidential search is different from the previous one in 1984 when then president Dennis O'Brian announced his resignation. Then, regular reports on the status of the search crowded the minutes of the faculty meeting. This time, we know much less about the specifics of the search.

We do know some things. We know that in March the committee hired an outside agency, Academic Search Consultation Service, to help with the search.

We know that the committee placed advertisements in some journals and newspapers, including *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, to attract potential candidates.

From a committee report from the month of August, we know that the committee screened a large pool of "exceptionally well-qualified applicants," and was then to seek additional information about the candidates.

And we know from trustee Samuel Posner's statement last week that the committee is "talking to a select number of candidates this month. Following those conversations, we [the committee] will develop a short list for more intensive interviews." Posner said that campus visitations with the finalists will follow as soon as they can be scheduled.

What we know, unfortunately,

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Rush numbers consistent

Almost 500 go Greek

BY JEN ANDREWS

Bid day has come and gone. The chants are just echoes, the paint pens are all dried out and the streamers and balloons are gone. All that remains now is 244 women of the original 325 who rushed displaying their sorority pins and ribbons and 213 men of the original 264 sporting their fraternity pledge pins.

Allison Sieradzki '95, Rush Coordinator for the Panhellenic Council, said that she was very pleased with the results of this year's rush. Compared to the numbers from last year, there was an increase in the number of women who received bids from sororities. In 1993 for women's rush, 355 women registered and 263 pledged. Sixty-six-and-a-half percent of the rushing class were offered bids. This year of the 325 women registered, 244 pledged.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Allison Sieradzki, Panhellenic Council Rush Chair, said that this year showed an increase in the number of women who received bids from sororities.

Seventy-five percent of the rushers were offered bids.

Doug Hildebrandt '95, Rush Coordinator for Interfraternity Council (IFC) was equally pleased with rush. According to Hildebrandt, the numbers for IFC rush have remained relatively the same year after year. The only difference

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Rain floods lower areas of campus Unceasing showers send water to curb tops on Lewisburg streets



After the downpour last Monday, some cars parked on St. George Street in front of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity were up to their bumpers in water.

Measuring crime stats at Bucknell

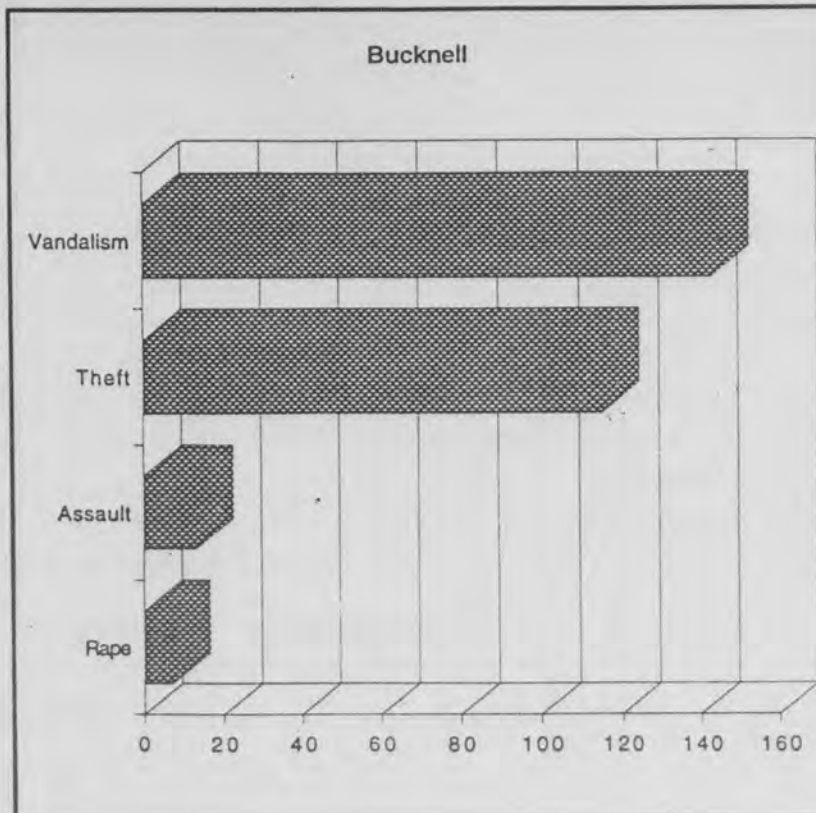
BY KAREN WATERS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Across the nation's campuses, crime statistics are often a source of concern among the college and university communities.

In an effort to educate the public about actual crimes on campus, the College and University Student Right-To-Know Act, requires all colleges and universities to report crime rates each year for the current three calendar years.

With such information open to the public, comparisons can be made between the rate of crime taking place at Bucknell and some of its frame-of-reference schools.

According to Vincent De Cerchio, Director of Bucknell's Department of Public Safety, "Public



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Community Service Calendar

Oct. 1	9 a.m.-12 noon: St. Anthony's Soup Kitchen (CCM)
Oct. 2	12:30-2: Participate in the America Heart Walk (BISON)
Oct. 4	5:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.: SVWIT training every Tues. and Thurs. (BISON)
	7 p.m.-?: Candlelight vigil in Bloomsburg U. Carver Hall to celebrate Domestic Violence Awareness month (BISON)
Oct. 6	6 p.m.-7:30 p.m.: Tutor at Haven Ministries (BISON)
Oct. 21	7 p.m.-?: Serve applebutter at Applebutter Festival
Oct. 22	9 a.m.-12 noon: St. Anthony's Soup Kitchen (CCM)
	10 a.m.-?: Applebutter Festival (BISON)
	1 p.m.-5 p.m.: Community Service Day—Paint the Lewisburg Comm. Ctr.; paint, clean trails in West Milton; paint and clean in Laurelton (Laura, 524-1031)
Oct. 27	6 p.m.-9 p.m.: Chapone trick-or-treating (PSEA)
Oct. 29	Lambda Chi Alpha 5K run (Jeff Kroh)
Oct. 30	9 a.m.-1 p.m.: Kappa Alpha Theta Pancake Brunch
Oct. 31	10:30 a.m.-12:30 noon: Haunted House at Newman House for Head Start Children (CCM)

CONTACTS: CCM, Hope at x4287 or Laura at x5225; BISON, Missi at x4132; PSEA, Laura at 524-5397.

REWARD

The Offices of the Department of Public Safety and the Dean of Students are offering a reward of \$250.00 for any information leading to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons responsible for destroying the "Welcome to Bucknell" sign, located at the intersection of Moore Avenue and Dent Drive, during the weekend of September 16-19.

All information will be confidential. Callers may use an identification number when calling Public Safety.

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Law 101-5 is a federal law which requires colleges and universities to annually submit their crime statistics to the Department of Education in Washington, D.C.

Pennsylvania as a state requires all crime related incidents to be reported in the Uniform Crime Report catalogue (U.C.R.). Crime statistics presented in the U.C.R. reflect crime occurrences on various levels, from selected counties and towns, to specific colleges and universities.

Within the 1992 edition of the U.C.R., Bucknell is reported as having a total of 129 reported crimes, seven of which were cleared. Lafayette, Lehigh and Villanova are comparable frame of reference schools. Lehigh reported a total of 204 crimes with 32 cleared and/or cancelled. Lafayette reported a total of 161 crimes, 14 of which were cleared. Villanova, located in a more urban environment, reported a surprising total of 110 crimes, 36 of which were

cleared. Are our statistics high? DeCerio suggests that before this question can be answered, "you must interpret statistics correctly." At Bucknell, said DeCerio, "every criminal incident is reported." Lt. James Middleton of Public Safety supported DeCerio in stating that the "theft reported at Bucknell includes everything from a stolen \$5 pen." Thus a high number of minor crimes primarily "consist of vandalism and petty thefts," said DeCerio.

In comparing Bucknell's crime rates to its frame of reference schools, DeCerio stated that "serious crimes are low," and "violent crimes are low and non-existent" at Bucknell. However, said DeCerio, "some schools don't report all incidents that occur."

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PUBLIC SAFETY

Wednesday, September 21

At 1:58 p.m., a University employee reported an act of vandalism. Unknown person(s) had caused \$150 damage to a computer terminal in Dana room #227. Exact time of incident unknown.

At 3:55 p.m., a student reported the theft of his bicycle from the 7th Street parking lot. Bike was reported to be locked and was stolen between Sept. 16 and this date. Loss set at \$400.

At 6:50 p.m., Public Safety officers responded to the stadium locker room on the report of an injured player. An ambulance responded and transported player to the hospital for treatment.

Thursday, September 22

At 12:25 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of a student discharging a fire extinguisher for no reason. Student was located, and questioned. The freshman admitted to discharging the extinguisher. Charges pending.

At 2:37 a.m., a student reported that an unknown person had just thrown a bicycle seat through a window at Larison. Officers responded but could not locate the perpetrator(s).

At 7:45 p.m., a student reported being harassed by a male in Larison Hall. Investigation continuing.

Friday, September 23

At 1:40 p.m., a Public Safety officer recovered two bicycles that were abandoned in the bushes near Smith Hall.

At 2:06 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of an injured student. Upon arrival, it was discovered that the victim had been involved in a fight with another student, but would not press charges nor identify perpetrator. Victim was transported to the hospital for treatment.

Saturday, September 24

At 6:43 p.m., Public Safety officers responded to the Weis Center on the report of a fall victim. The victim, a visitor, was transported to the hospital via ambulance for treatment.

Sunday, September 25

At 1:02 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Fraternity Road on the report of a fight in progress. Upon arrival, it was discovered that a vehicle was being driven in a reckless fashion, almost hitting pedestrians. An attempt was made to stop the vehicle, which then struck a public safety vehicle and fled down 7th Street toward River Road. Vehicle went off roadway and into a ditch. Driver fled on foot and could not be located.

Suspected driver of vehicle was located on September 27 in a campus residence hall and arrested on several warrants relative to the hit and run incident. Investigation continuing.

At 6:21 a.m., a Public Safety officer discovered an abandoned golf cart in the Lit. Road area.

At 8:22 p.m., Public Safety officers responded to the library on the report of a suspicious person. Upon arrival, this person was located and questioned. Investigation revealed that there was no crime committed and no charges filed.

At 8:27 p.m., a student reported that a door window had been broken in Kress Hall.

Monday, September 26

At 8:45 a.m., a University employee reported that the candy machine in Larison Hall had been vandalized, and items stolen from within. Theft and damaged believed to have occurred between Friday, Sept. 23 and this date.

At 9:14 p.m., a student reported the theft of his bicycle from the Langone Center bike rack. Theft occurred between 8:15 and 9:10 hours this date.

Tuesday, September 27

At 1:43 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity on the report of a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had discharged a fire extinguisher for no reason.

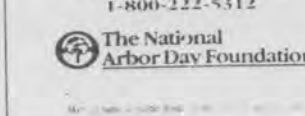
At 11:37 p.m., Public Safety officers responded to the front of the Davis Gym on the report of a student in need of medical attention. Ambulance responded and transported student to hospital for treatment.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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Gay couple to speak at Weis Center



Photo courtesy of Greater Talent Network Inc. Bob and Rod Jackson-Paris will speak in the Weis Center on Monday, Oct. 3 at 8 p.m. on Love Against the Odds and Diversity on Campus and in the Workplace. The couple will use their own experiences to discuss gay rights, sexism, and diversity.

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is the short list. A good many questions about the status of the search, as well as comments voiced by faculty members remain to be answered.

We don't know why it is that ten months after the commencement of the search it is, according to James Orison, a member of the Campus Presidential Search Committee, "still too early in the search to reveal specific numbers of candidates that the committee interviewed."

In 1984, two months after the Presidential Search Committee was formed, the committee released the total numbers of candidates the committee had interviewed, how many interviews had made the subsequent cuts, and where, when, and how the final candidates would be presented to select members of the University community for final scrutiny.

Unlike the previous search, the committee hasn't provided members of the University community with the guidelines it is using in order to select a president. This committee has only reported that it met to "identify those candi-

dates) whose strengths best match Bucknell's current needs.

Finally, we have no idea how close the committee is to selecting a new president. In current committee reports, the only mention of the future has been that the committee anticipates "holding extensive interviews with several of the candidates some time before the end of October." This re-

search of economics, suggested, if there were more dialogue between the faculty and the trustees as there was in the past at fac-

ulty-trustee dinners then faculty members would feel that they had more of a say in what is happening. "The administration and the trustees need to talk with the faculty and students about what is going on at our end," he said.

Even faculty members who serve on the Campus Presidential Search Committee, the subcommittee designed to receive faculty suggestions regarding the selection of a new president, say that they don't know when the announcement will come.

One member of the Campus search committee interviewed said that although he had no idea as to when the Presidential Search Committee would announce its decision, he was fairly certain that

the two faculty members involved with the Presidential Search Committee knew when this announcement would come. The committee has said nothing about meeting any deadlines or expediting the search in order for a new president to fill or restructure the two vice-presidential positions currently open at the University.

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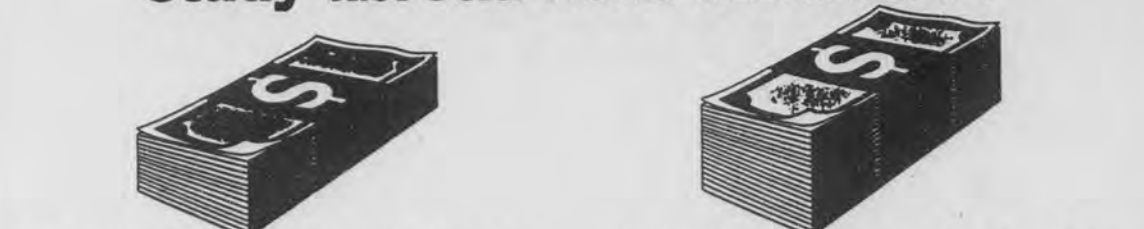
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RUSH

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in the numbers of men who rushed resulted from the change in rushing freshman year to rushing sophomore year. In looking at the numbers from 1991 there was a slight difference, eighty-six percent of the male class registered and fifty-four percent went Greek as compared to this year, sixty-four percent of the male class registered and fifty-two percent went Greek. There are still those that begin the rush process and do not make it the entire way through. This year there were 81 women and 51 men who did not complete the process.

Sieradzki said some of the reasons were that women did not have enough money to pay dues, they decided it was not for them or they simply did not give a reason. She also said, "The women who withdrew did so of their own accord, and they still had some options left." The same reasons hold true for IFC. Futhermore, Hildebrandt said, "Sometimes there are guys who rush one fraternity and do not get a bid, these guys then withdraw from rush."

In comparing the two systems, Hildebrandt said, "I think that IFC Rush is a very good system, better than Panhel because I think it is fairer to the rushees and the fraternities. The rushees can go where they want and spend as much time there as they want." However, Hildebrandt also said, "One problem—rarely do all fraternities equal out. One is usually high and one is low. That is the good thing about Panhel—things even out."



Some Delta Gamma sisters at Bid Day. L-R: Denise Bachmura '96, Christine Lewis '96, Joanna Conard '96, Sarah Fowler '96, Ellen Straub '96, and Stephanie Moulton '96.



Crowds gather in front of Hunt Hall on the afternoon of Bid Day to socialize and check to see the new letters that their friends are wearing.

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News Briefs

World News

Lehigh student's body found

A body found in the Lehigh River in April has been positively identified as graduate student Ramesh Warrier, 24, who had been missing since last December.

On April 26, three boys found the body while fishing in the Lehigh River in Easton. A positive identification was not made until May 17.

Warrier, a graduate student in electrical engineering, was last seen on Dec. 20, 1993 when he walked out of a final exam, turning in an incomplete test. His roommate called the police on Dec. 20, to report Warrier missing when the roommate realized Warrier did not return home the previous night.

Warrier, a native of India, was reported to have been depressed. According to Northampton County Coroner Zachary Lysek, the cause of death was determined to be "consistent with fresh water drowning." The manner of death was deemed suicide.

—Brown and White

U.S. forces insure Haitian security

U.S. forces have been putting up security around Haiti's parliament building in Port-Au-Prince.

Lawmakers are set to meet there Wednesday to consider amnesty for rulers of the military junta. That move was part of a deal worked out by a U.S. delegation led by former President Carter.

Many lawmakers who have been hiding in fear of their lives are surfacing for the debate, under the promise of American protection. U.S. soldiers are stationed around the building, which they have encircled with barbed wire.

At city hall, U.S. military police in armored vehicles are posted inside the compound. American officials say Mayor Evans Paul, exiled president Jean-Bertrand Aristide's former campaign manager, is expected to come out of hiding and return to his office on Thursday.

—Associated Press

Average college tuition rises

Some bad news for parents trying to put money away for future college costs.

The college board, an association of 2,800 institutions of higher learning, says the average tuition at the country's four-year colleges was up six percent this year, twice the inflation rate.

The average tuition is now almost \$12,000 at private schools, and about \$2,700 at public colleges. When room, board, books and other costs are added in, the average tab for resident students at private schools comes to about \$18,800 a year, and about \$9,000 at public institutions.

Meanwhile, government statistics show that the proportion of money used by colleges for instruction, libraries and maintenance is shrinking, while the amount spent on public relations, marketing and fund-raising is increasing.

—Associated Press

Trial prospects questioned

A marathon round of questioning has now turned up all but about 30 of the 250 potential jurors Judge Lance Ito wants to draw from in the O.J. Simpson double-murder trial.

The pool is made up of prospects who say they could serve without hardship during the trial, which is expected to stretch on for three to six months.

Many of those questioned didn't want to serve, citing work or family commitments. But some clearly wanted to be considered. They included a woman in her sixties, so frail she used a walker and had to be helped along by two deputies. She insisted she could handle the trial.

—Associated Press

Campus News

Influenza vaccine now available

Flu shots will be available weekdays for one month beginning Tuesday, October 4, 1994, at the Student Health Service between the hours of 9-11 a.m. and 2-3:30 p.m. There will be a \$5.00 fee to all students, active employees and their dependents.

Annual vaccination is strongly recommended by the U.S. Public Health Service for all individuals at increased risk of adverse consequences from infections of the lower respiratory tract.

Side effects of vaccination are few and may consist of local reaction. Systematic reactions infrequently may result in fever, malaise, and aching for one or two days; allergic reactions may result if recipient is sensitive to eggs; and there is a very low risk of developing Guillain-Barre syndrome, an uncommon paralytic condition which is usually self-limited, and in most cases, reversible.

Bucknell University and Rick Hartzell, the defendants in the civil suit filed by Carl Shingara, a former University employee, filed their preliminary objections to the case last week.

In a 35-page brief, the defendants' lawyer, Mark A. Fontana of Harrisburg asked that the court grant the defendants' objections and dismiss Shingara's complaint in its entirety "with prejudice."

According to the brief, Fontana claims that "there is no possible amendment which could cure the legal deficiencies in Plaintiff's Complaint."

Fontana goes on to state that "this entire lawsuit is Plaintiff's misguided attempt to avoid the frequently repeated and firmly established legal principle of employment-at-will."

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Bid Day 1994—Greeks welcome new pledges

Weeks before Bid Day actually occurs, the campus buzzes with rush activity. For many members of the sophomore class, Bid Day is the official rite of passage to upperclass status. This is the day when the fraternities and sororities open their doors to many of the rushees who have spent two weeks getting to know the members of the various Greek organizations on campus. For the rushees who receive a bid to the fraternity or sorority of their choice, Bid Day means wearing letters for the first time and meeting all the people who will soon become their new brothers or sisters. For the upperclass Greek students, this day signifies both an opportunity to welcome new members into their organizations as well as a beginning of another year of activity with new and energetic members.

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EDITORIAL

Presidential Search leaves campus in the dark

As the Presidential Search Committee draws closer to narrowing down candidates for the president's seat, students and faculty alike are quietly murmuring about the seemingly diminished role of campus input into the search.

More troublesome than the lack of input is the Committee's decision to occasionally issue statements via the appointed spokesperson, trustee Samuel Posner, offering scraps of information about the progress of the presidential search. The statements generally offer little more than the date and place of the previous search, the number of candidates interviewed, and perhaps a weak assertion that "there is more to come" at a later, more convenient date.

These sporadic tidbits of information can hardly appease a campus already frustrated from a lack of involvement in the search.

It is reasonable for the Committee to protect potential candidates from intense scrutiny by the Bucknell community at large. No one wants to jeopardize a candidate's current state of employment or scare off potential candidates by casting a limelight on the interviewees.

But is it so unreasonable to ask for more than superficial, manufactured statements of "information"?

A simple release outlining a candidate's credentials and qualifications would suffice. Delete the names of the candidates, and any other "traceable" information about the interviewees. Offer the exact number of candidates interviewed, and the number of candidates to which the search has been narrowed.

Surely candidates would be equally protected and the campus would be more informed about the status of the search, and individuals would be more able to express concerns, opinions, input, and advice to the Committee.

In our persistent quest to uncover such harmless, yet closely guarded presidential search secrets, we stumbled onto another troubling problem. The Committee's decision to elect and speak jointly through one designated spokesperson was a wise, but ineffective decision. It makes sense to choose one spokesperson for the Committee to avoid problems of conflicting or inadequate information from slipping out. But shouldn't the spokesperson be available to answer questions and offer information?

It has taken three weeks of our staff calling Posner to get the small, meaningless scraps of information or issued statements.

Playing phone tag with a trustee who has other important commitments is both under-

standable and to be expected. But three weeks with nothing more to show than a list of unanswered questions and a statement of seemingly irrelevant facts is too much.

Students and faculty representatives on the Search Committee are left to dodge and redirect inquiries to an unreachable spokesperson, and an uninformed, tense campus is left to contemplate the purpose and value of representatives who offer little more than a "Sorry, you'll have to speak to Mr. Posner about that."

If we had an on-campus spokesperson with the authority to answer real questions and offer useful information about the search, faculty and students might have less problems with the on-going progress of the search.

Communication has long been a problem between faculty, administration, students, and trustees at Bucknell. An anxious fear of incorrect information, bad image, and threatened authority has effectively shut down the lines of communication on campus, and tensions are slowly rising to the surface.

Is it safe, or even wise to allow these tensions and the lack of communication to set the tone for our search for the next president? As it stands now, the only response to these problems will be the announcement of the next president.

OPINIONS

Moving on up: the Residential high life

The oldest dormitory does not necessarily mean the worst

BY KELLY HORTON

"Oh, you live in Larison. I'm so sorry."

The number of times that I have heard that tiresome line cannot be exaggerated. As a first-year student, I am one of about 950 students whose choice of living quarters is up to Residential Life. By the luck of the draw, I ended up on the third floor of Larison, and I am mighty proud of it. Sure, we don't get to experience the luxury of climate control so meticulously regulated by central air, but we do get to be a part of a homey Larison tradition.

As of yet, I have not had the privilege to call upon the exquisite Smith dorm which is so frequently referred to as the "four-star hotel of the first-year quad"—complete with its own computer lab, extensive library, oriental carpeted lounge, room service free of charge, valet parking, optional bellboy services, a dining hall accented by a cathedral ceiling, numerous shimmering chandeliers, and so on. However, I have visited the "new" (circa 1960) Vedder dorm many times to visit friends and have found it to be quite contemporary, although all too often I have found myself lost in a labyrinth of Easts and Wests. I must admit, though, that this recent heat wave has made me envious of those Vedder students lavishly indulging in the climate-controlled luxury.

Larison, so commonly referred to as the "Projects," has been plagued by negative connotations throughout the years. For the most part, we residents of Larison have been able to put ourselves above the negative propaganda and move on. After all, we should be happy to have electricity and running water, right? The wall-to-wall carpeting is yet another plus. The fact that Larison is not a "new" dorm creates a cozy and comfortable atmosphere that we all love to come home to.

Of course, the fact that Larison is not a "new" dorm also makes it a lot easier for people to trash everything in sight, making the "Animal House" interpretation of college life tangible. How could you not love the sight of Cheez-Whiz or shaving cream all over your door due to someone's late-night rave?

Somewhat this disrespect for the place in which we live creates a camaraderie unlike that of any other first-year dorm. Maybe it is because we must all suffer together, or possibly because we couldn't live without the laid-back attitude of the oldest dorm on campus—Larison. Go figure.

Stop excluding the faithful from leadership in their own churches

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

Parents and churches have a lot in common. They both aren't always so good at listening. In many ways they are becoming adults, yet they often find it easier to treat us as kids.

But the time has come in our lives to stand up for ourselves. Conversation with our parents is essential, lest we lose any good ties we have. Likewise, the time has come in the history of our churches, temples, and other religious communities for prayerful members to gain the power of making decisions. Once the leaders of our churches begin empowering their congregations rather than establishing doctrine after doctrine, I believe the cynicism of our generation towards "organized religion" will weaken considerably.

Many small faith communities, some conservative and some liberal, are doing very well at sharing power. Even some large denominations are learning to do this. It seems that one which is not the national Presbyterian church, which last year refused to let Reverend Janie Adams Spahr serve a Rochester congregation that had chosen her (by a 90% vote) to be their minister. Spahr, who spoke at Bucknell on Monday evening, is an energetic, inspiring, lesbian woman, which made her incompatible with the national church's idea of what their church should be. The national church's decision overruled both the Rochester congregation and its local Presbyterian—enforcing the practice of making decisions from above rather than sharing decision-making power with all members.

Rev. Spahr's lesbian identity certainly caused an amount of fear among those who decided her fate. But the most dangerous act of this self-proclaimed "lesbian evangelist" was disagreement. By being openly lesbian, Spahr openly disagreed with a doctrine of her denomination—that gay or lesbian sex is immoral. In a situation where dialogue among church members is not always encouraged, allowing one who disagrees to have a leadership position is just not possible. Luckily, Rev. Spahr is not one to quit. No matter what her church's authorities may wish, she continues to speak around the country and has no plans to shut up.

Dorm destruction is a felony

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON

Destruction of our freshmen halls can not be tolerated.

As a first year student, co-ed dorm life was a shockingly new experience. At first, walking out of the bathroom in my bathrobe and/or towel was embarrassing, especially when spotted by a member of the opposite sex. Going to the bathroom publicly was yet another discomfort that I had to overcome. But, after living in this co-ed environment for a month, and having seen all my hallmates in towels, bathrobes, underwear, pajamas, and even zit cream, I've grown accustomed to this new lifestyle.

As a group, my hall has realized that we have to live together for the next year. Rules set by the Residence Assistant have been followed, and respect for each other's privacy and property has been achieved. We've learned to be understanding when somebody needs quiet for studying or sleeping, or even when they have a problem and need someone to talk to.

Among the first things we learned upon arrival here at Bucknell, was our responsibility for the maintenance of our hall. We recognize that this is our home, and we would like to keep it as clean and close to home as possible. This is an extremely difficult task when non-residents decide to ransack it.

Over the past few weeks, many freshmen halls have suffered much abuse from unknown perpetrators. Some of the abuse is presumably caused by residents of the hall, while some of these offenses are being committed by outsiders. In an attempt to decorate the dreary halls, many freshmen have spent a considerable amount of time making creative door signs only to have them ripped down or sprayed with shaving cream. Bike riding in the halls is yet another example of the childish behavior exhibited. Not only is this potentially dangerous, but skid marks on the rug are superfluous decorations unnecessary to the ambience of the hallways. Objects such as glass bottles and entire sofas should not be thrown through windows as they can cause serious injury and costly damage. Destruction due to certain restrooms is not tolerable. The most recent damages include a soap dispenser being ripped from the wall and a paper towel holder broken. Not only is it the responsibility of the hall's inhabitants to pay for all repairs necessary to these damages, but we are forced to live in and use the broken facilities.

Even more disturbing are the incidences of people using the stairwells as urinals and urinating on the furniture of unlocked dorm rooms. Such behavior is simply uncivilized and is not acceptable in a college environment, nor in society as a whole. The individuals who commit these and the other acts of destruction reported above should consider what defense they could possibly offer to the administration and their fellow students should they be caught.

If this type of behavior continues, the residents of the halls may need to take appropriate action which might include petitioning the University to restrict access to the residence halls. It would not be fair to the students if the dormitories had to be locked twenty-four hours a day, but this may be the only solution to stop outside perpetrators. Let's not make dorm life seem like the penitentiary.

Things aren't any better in the higher levels of my own Catholic church. This summer Pope John Paul II declared that the subject of ordaining women is no longer open to debate. The Pope declared that the exclusive ordination of men is a judgment "to be definitively held by all the church's faithful." I guess I don't qualify as faithful anymore. (Heck, according to the Pope, I'm probably not supposed to be writing this column!)

This presents many problems for people who want to follow the Pope's teaching. Can a church newspaper print an article about the women's ordination "debate" when the debate itself isn't supposed to be happening? Can theologians write about the subject? When will the next priest disagree too much and lose his position? How much can we say?

In this climate it's obvious why many Catholic Americans, accustomed to and proud of our freedom of speech, aren't exactly thrilled by our over-organized religion.

What's so ironic about all this is that church hierarchy and patriarchy is so contrary to what Christianity is all about. Moses declared in the book of Numbers (11:29), "Would that all the people of the Lord were prophets! Would that the Lord might bestow his spirit on them all! Jesus then brought us even better news—that Moses' wish is fulfilled, and we are all touched by God's spirit."

The challenge, then, is to build churches in which all can speak. There will be disagreement—many of our truly prophetic voices will disagree. This is simply how we are created.

Many of us feel that we're not supposed to disagree. This is simple exclusion—the same exclusion of differences and disagreements that precludes women Catholic priests and openly lesbian or gay Presbyterian ministers. Our congregations' ears must be open to all who are called to speak. Positions of leadership must be open to all who are called to serve. Positions of oppression and doctrinal power must be eliminated.

With these changes, those who believe can join together as adults in churches which encourage them to speak God's spirit in confident voices.

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OPINIONS

Speak Out

The debate is now over, and the victors have emerged. But how was the war really won against USPCI? Two professors offer views on this incident. The problem is far from solved, and right now, another town may be waging a war—similar to the members of the Union County community—to keep the very same burner out of their town.

The whole burner controversy was whether the incinerator was a solution to storing toxic waste. The [burner] issue was compared to source reduction, and debated in terms of costs and risks.

After it's over, we see that it was really about money all along. USPCI pulled out not because they cared about incineration, source reduction, toxic waste, or risks and costs to the environment.

They got out because it was no longer a good investment. They weren't persuaded by our arguments on these matters—we simply denied them of their profits.

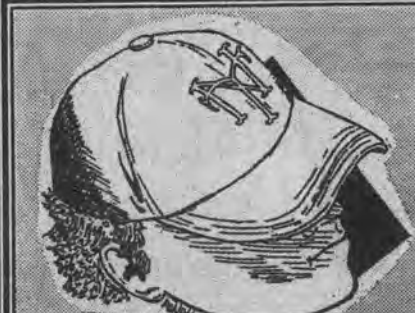
Investors got in this project for one only reason: it looked like quick profits. It would have been—if we hadn't stopped it.

—J. Ernest Keen
Department of Psychology

The valley's successful resistance to the burner is remarkable because ordinary people blocked the path of a genuine phalanx of private and public interests, including the great power of Union Pacific and Drew Lewis, in addition to several highly placed ex-state officials, among them the past head of the DER and its director of policy.

These people also blocked the DER itself, which continued pushing for a burner in the face of declining demand, an untested technology, and a company, USPCI, with a terrible compliance record.

—Charles Sackrey
Department of Economics



Treading Water

Part Two in a series

By Scott Albright

The humid air pours into the cracked window of the fraternity bathroom, like curdled milk, and Calvin Peale is laying, resting, bathing there alone in a sparkling clear puddle of urine. It is early morning and the bids have been dealt; Cal is at ease as the weary soldier exhausted from the drills, tests and feats of competence that have proven his worth as a loyal and dedicated brother; he has done more by 7 a.m. than most people do all day. He has been pinned, punched, served, doused, kissed, slapped, honored, spat upon, admired, plied, back-patted, and stepped on. And apparently a brother had mistaken his unconscious body as a urinal. His stomach is tossing.

Rubbing his eyes, Cal looks into the mirror and sees a new person with a fresh, bold and debonair gleam that shines like wet paint. He squirts closer to the glass and notices a twinkling confidence in his eyes that wasn't there just a day before. He sees a leader, a risk-taker, a big-shot and damn it, a lover. The pin bunches up and wrinkles his shirt; he can feel its coldness brushing against his chest as he inhales, and he imagines the same feeling of steel against his forehead from a King's sword. There is a power conveyed when metal touches skin that spreads through the body like water kissed by a frosty gut. He is frozen solid, strong and he yearns to join the others at the roundtable upstairs.

There is a heavy thud against the bathroom door and Jerry or Jimmy stumbles in, slips on the wet tile, falls hard on his tailbone, and smiles with the laxity of someone who is too numb to realize he is smiling.

"Time to eat, man and then Freddy says he needs you. He says he's got some crazy idea. He's a f---ing wacko."

Cal watches his brother scramble to his feet with the agility of a newborn fawn and feels a chuckle gurgling inside him. He thinks he will laugh but then pukes in the sink instead. It runs smoothly down the drain; the last of the solid food was expelled hours ago. On the first floor upstairs, Cal feasts on more beer and assorted Nabisco snacks. He quizes himself on names but sees faces that are not distinguishable. Luckily, no one seems to care about being specifically addressed or identified. There is a sense of oneness, camaraderie, security, and unconditional acceptance. Names almost seem unnecessary and burdensome.

The fellow who must be Freddy drives his "crazy idea" to the open front door and parks it. He has somehow managed to "borrow" a golf cart and seems to envision himself as the popular cartoon hero of his childhood as he is singing the theme on his way into the house. *Go Speed! Racer! Go Speed! Racer!* He wants to use Cal's video camera for the ride, "...so we can tape the fools we run over." For this, Cal must return home to his dorm room in Swartz and is embarrassed when he must ask a brother for the direction of the building.

When he reaches his room, the door is already open and soft music is playing inside. Franklin, his roommate, has apparently returned and is humming along to "The Indigo Girls" or "Melissa Etheridge" or some other lesbian group. Cal did not anticipate Franklin to be home until Sunday; the latter had said he had wanted to avoid the "whole Rush thing" and had left to visit a friend at Penn State. "What friend from Penn State?" Cal had asked. "Just somebody from home," Franklin had replied.

Cal belches a greeting and finds his video camera under a pile of underwear. He removes an unmarked tape and wonders if he should preview it first, if possibly there might still be footage of Leslie or some other chick that he has forgotten to erase. He remembers the last time he was alone with her and feels a surge of pride rush through his veins; she had told him how good he was—had screamed it, really. He thinks he likes her a lot, knows she loves him and is thankful she understands his need for "space." God—he could use her right now, he thinks and chucks the tape into a corner. He decides to break open a new one.

As he is leaving, Cal does not speak to Franklin but notices the way he is meticulously, fagishly stroking his wet hair with a brush that looks like a girl's. The two of them haven't been getting along and Cal regrets the carelessness with which they had chosen room picks at the end of freshman year. Franklin had seemed to be a safe, benign and innocuous selection, but now Cal is suspicious and feels threatened; he fears he is sharing a room with a "homo" to whom he can cannot possibly relate. The thought of Franklin's fantasies and dreams sickens Cal and makes his heart feel like a stinking, leaking tomato rotting away inside his chest. He forces himself to imagine Leslie, naked and anxious, limbs spread invitingly. Franklin must never have desired like this, he thinks—or does he? Could Franklin have agreed to room with him last year with other things in mind? Cal leaves the room and this question and slams the door behind him. That goddamn fag, he'd deal with him later—plus in his scope or something.

Cal looks around the corner and is shocked to see two brothers from the "other" fraternity, the house that lost him, standing in front of another doorway at the end of the hall. They don't seem to have noticed him and Cal ducks behind the corner. The golf cart is waiting for him outside and he fears that they are probably growing impatient, cursing him, questioning his reliability. He needs to use the door behind the others to get to the golf cart quickly. But can he? Has he created new enemies? Will they beat him, hold him down and pummel his traitorous body to a bloody, tomato-juice pulp? He decides to hide for two more minutes, prays that they will go on their way but then hears approaching footsteps. He ducks into the bathroom. There is a rap on his door and Franklin answers. The two brothers want to know where his roommate is, where his f---ing roommate is. Franklin pauses. Calvin sweats.

"Um... I think he's using the toilet..."



Uncle Sam wants you—on camera

BY ROBERT WOODWARD

The government of the United States of America has taken on a new role in our society, one both pervasive and frightening. I am speaking of its "parental" role. Ever since the passage of President Johnson's Great Society legislation, people have regarded the government as the provider. Within the boundaries of our country, the walls of our national domicile, live our parents, the intellectual and bureaucratic elite, and we, the children. Their role is to keep us from going hungry, or naked, or homeless. If we get sick, they are responsible for healing us. If we don't work, they have to give us an allowance. If we try to work, our efforts fail or come short, they will supplement our needs. If something painful befalls us, they must kiss us and make it all better.

These kind-hearted do-gooders are out to protect us from the social ills of our own household. If one child doesn't want to play fair, for example, it's their job to make a rule which will make that child "fair." The problem is that all external ills are the direct results of internal ones. But the social judges, our elites, choose only to investigate the realm of effects and, ignoring causes, prove superficial. It's like massaging the chest of someone having an heart attack. The passage of law will not cure our society of laziness, greed, and hatred which are roots of social illness. The passage of law only keeps our eyes looking outside of ourselves, and lends to a lot of finger pointing. It creates a problematic governmental issue where there isn't one and supplies the elites with a crusade through which they can become righteous.

For any group of people to claim they can end human suffering is a remarkable stroke of arrogance. The elites claim they know better than we do because they have to. It's their career to be for our parents which proves they are experts. So not only must they protect and aggrandize their livelihoods, they must save and bolster their identities and egos, too. Elite politicians not only have to make their decisions to please their constituents, but they must take the moral high ground with their children, asserting that their extensive social reach is righteous. Elite academicians must not only be avant-garde and superior intellectuals, but they must claim a better understanding of the truth. The question is: How can they claim to better know how to make society work when they do not even look at the real cause of deficiencies, the nature of the individual? The result is ideology, that wool blanket thrown over our eyes that keeps us from seeing reality. The "silent majority," too passive to avert this eventuality without feeling shamed by the righteous elites, is being subverted into a culture of ideologues whose values are only skin-deep.

Thus the mindset of Americans is worsening and becoming convoluted with dogmatism not unlike that of religious fundamentalists. Just as Aristotelian philosophy became dogma for the Roman Catholic Church, Great Society political theory has become the standard thought-form in governmental work: bigger means better. Government-as-parent has become so much the norm that all political and administrative viewpoints are its progeny. Any decision our government comes to, regardless of partisanship, heads us away from individual freedom and toward an elitist proscribed utopia, which, unfortunately, can never be obtained.

As the government has grown larger and larger, Americans have begun to think of it as the ultimate arbiter of justice and equality among citizens. Now, the government can no longer be thought of as simply the parent—it becomes a god. Under this auspice, we have reconstituted the republic. No longer do we think that the purpose of good government is to procure the arena in which citizens may pursue happiness. Now, our god-government is expected to procure happiness itself for everyone. This is a dangerous proposition for we are divesting ourselves of so much responsibility and individual power and blindly handing it over to the government.

This is my question. Do we, as Americans, want to continue giving our individual powers to our government, making it more and more powerful, until we are either forced to grapple with the tyranny of a dictatorship or arrive at a scenario where the government in existence evolves into the harrowing vision George Orwell gave us of "Big Brother" in his novel 1984?

Or, do we want to subtract from our institutions and from our thought-forms the deadly combination of false-love, arrogance, ignorance, guilt, and laziness before we have to learn the hard way?

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LETTERS

Interpretations of Greek life: Some "insulting," others "troubled"

Student finds portrayal of Greek Life misleading in article and cartoon

TO THE EDITOR:

It is too bad that Greeks are a majority at Bucknell and thus cannot claim victim status because I think the editors of *The Bucknellian* need to go to Greek sensitivity training classes. Once again *The Bucknellian* has used Bid Day weekend as its opportunity to maliciously characterize and insult the entire Greek system. There were two pieces on the Opinions page that could have had no other purpose than to undermine the exciting and proud weekend that lay ahead for all Greeks. The first piece was a condescending poem read to the tune of "Twelve the night before Christmas." It was well written, but the underlying theme is that Greeks are just a bunch of drunks. Since it was anonymous I assume that the antagonist does not entirely stand by what he says, but instead must be going through extreme depression this time of year since he did not become a Greek. That is understandable.

The other article by Scott Albright is a lot more difficult to rationalize. The story is fictitious which probably explains why the image of Greek life is about as true as his story. However, his characterizations are so egregious that I feel I must settle the score. Like the poem, he repeatedly characterizes Greeks as vomiting drunks who, among very few other interests, like to gamble. In fact, he makes references to this six times. Albright implies that a person who joins the Greek system will only find his identity after doing so. Well, by looking at the leaders on campus it seems to be just the opposite. The captains of almost every athletic team are Greek, the president and vice-presidents of the BSG, as well as a number of the BSG Congressmen are Greek and the student representative to choose the next president of Bucknell is Greek, just to name a few. I'd say that our identity has not been formed due to the fact that we are Greek, but by the fact that we are leaders to begin with.

Albright's mischaracterization of Greek life is especially insulting, considering that being part of the system is the best real life experience one can gain while in college. Where else can you go on campus where you and your peers must decide how to allocate a \$150,000 budget in order to make sure there is food on the table and the house maintained, where the consequences of screwing up may leave you hungry and homeless? Sorry, but Management 101 doesn't cut it. Where on campus do strong democracies exist where the agenda is not put forth by an administrator that needs to cover his back? The answer is in every fraternity and sorority chapter meeting. What other group on campus comes close to raising the amount of funds that are donated to local charities by the Greek system? And who contributes most to Bucknell after they graduate? In 1991, Greek alumni out-donated non-Greeks by a ratio of 15 to 1. The most important real life experience that Greek life provides is that it creates the opportunity to interact with and help people, something any decent citizen should seek to do in his life. Albright forgot to mention what it is like to talk a brother out of contemplating suicide or to provide comfort and support to a brother whose father just had a heart attack. This support and concern for our brothers and sisters is far more valuable and reliable than a visit to psych services and truly stands as a testament to our intrinsic value and the role we play at Bucknell.

Despite *The Bucknellian's* one-dimensional attack on the entire Greek system, we are a major force of good on this campus. Our role on campus and in the community is praiseworthy and even in the face of anti-Greek sentiment, every one of us will always be proud to be Greek!

PETER R. MERTZ '95
SEPTEMBER 27, 1994

Former student disagrees with columnist's criticism of sophomore rush

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to the article in the Sept. 15 issue of *The Bucknellian* entitled "sophomore rush inhibits Greek system." In the article, Carolyn Christensen makes the argument that the sophomore rush policy instituted by the trustees in 1991 is a detriment to the Greek system and those who seek entrance into it. I am somewhat troubled by her reasoning and believe that she and others with similar opinions need to reconsider their position.

Her main argument is that sophomore rush causes students to rush for purely social reasons, after they have had the opportunity to discover the stereotypes of the respective Greek organizations. In fact, sophomore rush eliminates this problem. The present system allows potential Greeks the opportunity to weigh the validity of these stereotypes by thoroughly examining Greek life, both in and out of a social setting for an entire year. The first several months of the freshman year is the period where these students are most susceptible to choosing an organization based primarily on social stereotype. Carolyn herself states, "[Greek reputations] are among the first things I learned upon my arrival." As a member of the last class to go through freshman rush in 1991, I shared beliefs similar to Carolyn's throughout my sophomore and junior year. But as a former fraternity president and presently a traveling consultant for Sigma Chi fraternity headquarters, I believe sophomore rush has helped Bucknell's Greek system immensely. There is undeniably a social side to Greek life, but this is far from being its main purpose. Sophomore rush has given Bucknellians the opportunity to examine the benefits of Greek life, weigh the positives and negatives of each organization, and decide which to join, or whether to join at all.

Fraternities and sororities are not about alcohol, living arrangements, or "numbers." The experience has afforded many Bucknellians the opportunity to enhance character, build leadership skills, and develop lifelong friendships with brothers and sisters they may not have had in other settings.

I have visited several universities that employ a first-semester freshman rush. My experience has convinced me that it is unreasonable to believe that one can accurately evaluate any organization in a period of one or two weeks. Rushes have no idea what to expect of the organization they are joining and are often disappointed to find that Greek life is far more than a social outlet. I am willing to bet that pledge retention rates have been much higher since Bucknell employed sophomore rush, simply because these individuals can better understand the purpose of joining fraternities and sororities. Some may say that sophomore rush will cause the Greek system to decrease in population. I, for one, am willing to sacrifice numbers for a stronger understanding of the beliefs and ideals which made Greek organizations what they are.

Thanks to the past and present IPC/Panel administrators and the hard work of Dean Dadez and other committed individuals, Bucknell has one of the strongest, if not strongest, Greek systems in the northeast. I encourage the incoming students, as well as upperclassmen, to explore Bucknell's Greek system and determine what it can offer. Admittedly, Greek life is not for everyone. But for some, it has become the defining experience of their college years. Instead of complaining about the present situation, make an attempt to understand the reasoning behind it and take advantage of the opportunities it presents to the individual and the organization.

MARK LUEDEKE '94
EVANSTON, IL
SEPTEMBER 22, 1994

Library turns the tables on students

TO THE EDITOR:

Where did the big tables on the second floor of the library go? Why aren't there more group study spaces since we get so many group assignments? Where can I find a quiet study area? Why can't I use my laptop anywhere in the library? Why is the after hours study space so small?

These are a sampling of questions we've been hearing from students via our suggestion box and through BSG representatives on the University Library Committee. Here's what we've done lately to respond to students' needs.

Over the summer we moved the big tables on the second level to lower level one (east side) to create additional group study space. This room now contains eight tables that can accommodate four or more students each.

The tables on the second floor were replaced with carrels, creating an area designated for silent study. Repeated complaints from students about the distraction caused by laptop computers being used throughout the library made us realize that we needed to designate areas specifically for using laptops. We identified two areas: one is in the reference area, the other is located on level three.

The main lobby entrance is fast becoming the best place to go when students want to take a study break and talk. Conversations in this area don't cause a disturbance to other students.

The after hours study area/Macintosh lab will soon be reconfigured to accommodate a multimedia lab. When not being used for classes, the multimedia lab workstations will be available to all students.

Please let the library know if you have suggestions or comments about how we can improve facilities within the library to accommodate your needs.

ANN DE KLERK
DIRECTOR OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SERVICES
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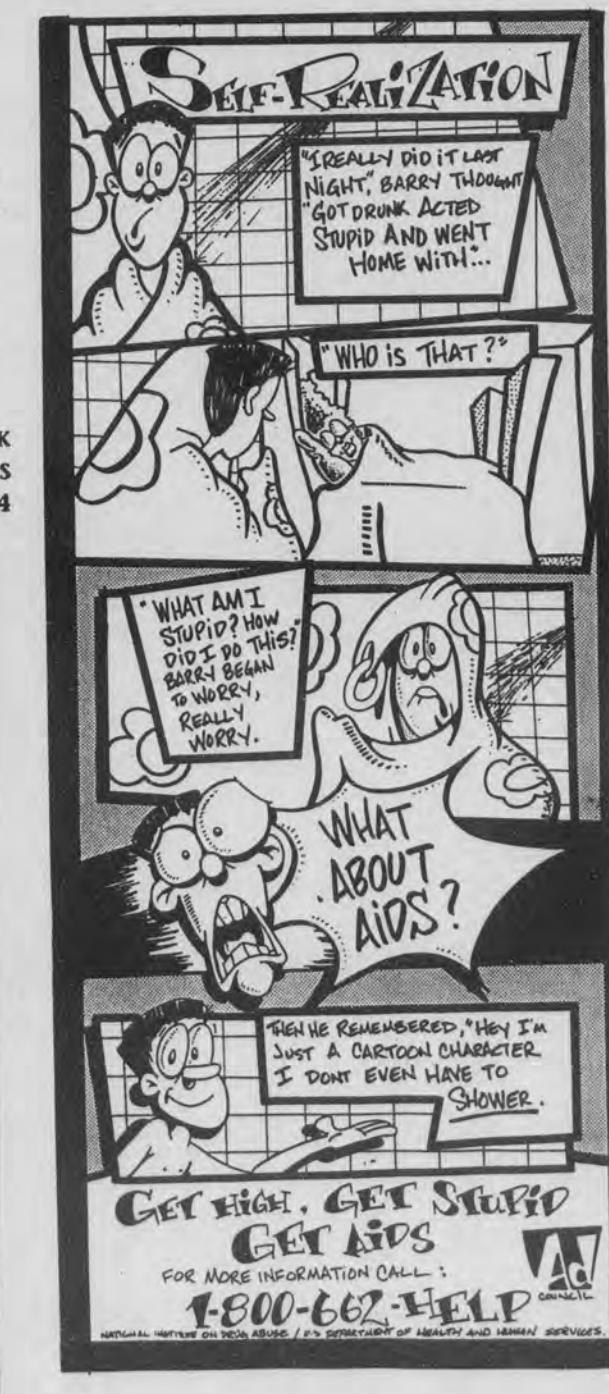
Alumnus laments lack of debate reporting

TO THE EDITOR:

Why doesn't *The Bucknellian* report on the Bucknell Debate Team? In the late 1980's, the debate team was very successful and *The Bucknellian* frequently reported on the team's performance at the various tournaments. As an alum, my only source of info regarding Bucknell is your publication, and I do not understand why you can delegate four to six pages of your publication every week to sports teams, when you won't take five lines to report on the debate team.

Why is this?
RANDY SCHARLACH '89
LOS ANGELES, CA
SEPTEMBER 24, 1994

Editor's Note: The *Bucknellian* will be covering a debate soon! The College Forum, a mock debate session between Democrats and Republicans, will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the Elaine Langone Center Forum. If anyone is interested in assisting *The Bucknellian* in this coverage, call Krissy at 524-1520.



ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Yunyu Wang offers diverse dance residency

BY LAINA WILK
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With this semester's focus on Japanese and Chinese artists, it seems only appropriate to bring in Yunyu Wang, modern dancer, for a week-long residency from Sept. 27 through Oct. 2.

Chinese and Japanese art forms are not the only two ethnic types she will include during her stay here. As is typical with most residencies, Wang will set a piece for the Bucknell Dance Company

and will hold master classes and workshops in various classes. However, what defines Wang as atypical for a Bucknell residency is her style of dance, which ranges from modern to Tai Chi to Balinese.

Two years ago, Wang held a residency at Bucknell. During this time she reconstructed Doris Humphrey's dance entitled "Soaring" for the Bucknell Dance Company.

This year, Danna Frangione, professor of dance, has asked

Wang to set one of her original pieces for the company. Using five Bucknell dancers, Wang will set "Water," a Chinese-influenced piece set to the music of traditional Japanese drums and flute.

Besides being her colleague, Wang is also a longtime friend and academic peer of Frangione. Frangione described Wang as an "energetic, curious and always excited" dancer of "global scale" who is "in every way a leader for modern Chinese dance."

This modern dance was influenced by a chapter on water in Lao-Tzu's philosophical classic, the Tao Te Ching, and more specifically on Lao-Tzu's observation that "[nothing] in the world is as yielding and receptive as water; yet in attacking the firm and inflexible, nothing triumphs so well."

Wang described the dance as expressive of "the flexibility of the life and the spirit" so that the "dancers themselves represent water" and the white silk fabric hanging as a backdrop represents "becoming a human being at times."

Although Wang says the dance "requires quite a technique," she feels confident that the dancers here are quite capable of handling it. She adds, "the level of commitment and the way they [Bucknell dancers] rehearse impressed me."

Born in 1952, Wang received her M.F.A. in Dance from the University of Illinois and her A.B.A. in Dance and Music from the College of Chinese Culture. Wang has studied every type of dance imaginable, from Martha Graham to Russian ballet to Chinese Peking Opera Movement.

In addition, she was a founding member of Cloud Gate Dance Theater, Taiwan's first professional modern dance company in 1972. Since then, Wang has become a certified reconstructor (re-setting old works from laboratory, a complex shorthand used to record dance movements) and a professor of dance at Colorado College in Colorado Springs.

Widely recognized for her work, Wang has received numerous grants from respected national and international programs. She has been published nine times in various periodicals and books. Most recently, Wang has written a paper for the 1994 International Dance Conference/Festival in Beijing entitled "Labanotation Reconstruction for Dancers in USA and China."

Despite her international attention, Frangione said, Wang remains "tremendously warm" and extremely committed to her students at Colorado College.

"Teaching is her life," said Frangione, "She has a knack for communicating basic elements of Tai Chi to American students in a

"The level of commitment and the way they [Bucknell dancers] rehearse impressed me."

—Yunyu Wang

way that doesn't diminish its inherent complexity of form."

Tai Chi, a Chinese form of exercise that integrates the mind and body, applies the Taoist concept of balance, known as yin-yang, to the movement of the body. Frangione praised Wang for being able to teach Tai Chi without violating American students' traditional religious values.

Besides Tai Chi, Wang also teaches Balinese, a traditional dance form from the island of Bali. Frangione displays special excitement for the upcoming workshops on Balinese dance, a combination of Chinese and Indian, because it has never been taught at Bucknell.

Considering the popularity she holds with her students in Colorado, her past popularity with students here, and Frangione's deep admiration and warmth for her, Wang will have no problems impressing and engaging the dancers of Bucknell again.



Photo Courtesy of Danna Frangione
With a knowledge and expertise for a wide range of dance styles, Yunyu Wang is offering diversity to Bucknell dancers during her week long residency which began on Sept. 27.

Comedian Sheridan to cut-up in the Bison



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Comedian Rondell Sheridan will perform tomorrow night at 9 p.m. in the Bison. The event is sponsored by BAC.

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"Bodywork"

By Gerry Frey

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FEATURES

Woodstock '69: Three days of peace, love, and music that changed the world

BY KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The sky was gray and hazy, almost promising rain for this Friday evening. The forecast was nothing unusual, for it had been raining frequently for the past two weeks.

The intense traffic on Route 17B towards Bethel, New York this afternoon didn't seem to bother anyone as we all exchanged friendly waves. We knew that we were all on our way to the same place to enjoy "three days of peace and music."

Once we were within ten miles of our final destination, the roads were so clogged we knew our cars would go no further. Without wasting any time, we jumped out of the car, threw on our backpacks filled with food and other necessities to get us through the weekend, and hiked the rest of the way to the dairy farm owned by Mr. Max Yasgur.

On August 15, 1969, approximately 400,000 youths traveled the route that Margaret Mead, writer for Redbook Magazine, narrated above in order to participate in what will forever be known as Woodstock.

To this day, people still wonder what exactly happened at Woodstock to make it such a success. Perhaps remembering the bands that performed there is enough of an explanation. The list includes such notables as Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin, Jefferson Airplane, and Joe Cocker.

Only crediting the bands, though, would be selling many people short. According to Mead, "the whole thing had the appearance of something created overnight. The emphasis on spontaneity, the lack of overt forms of orga-

nization, and the unexpectedness of what happened brings us to the fact that there was a kind of structure, an image of what it was to be together. Because of it, people survived and the occasion had deep meaning for them."

The spontaneity comes from the fact that the rain caused the site to be switched twice, which resulted in the loss of preparation time. On the opening day of Woodstock, the stage was not finished, the sound system had been dangerously thrown together, and last but not least, the rain and muddy ground had disintegrated the gates and fences.

The absence of gates and fences had much to do with the success of the festival. Without gates

and fences, there was no way to monitor the people coming in, and music lovers without tickets were free to roam onto the muddy concert grounds.

Even at this point, the problems were not over. As soon as the festival opened, the food and water delivery arrangements broke down, causing an extreme shortage for the concession stands.

The local citizens soon came to the rescue, doing what they could to help out. They voluntarily lined the roads and passed out free drinks, fruit, cookies, and water via pitchers and garden hoses. Also, a commune from the southwest distributed free food.

This local friendliness started a pattern that the guests immediately

adopted. There were reports from locals that this was the gentlest and nicest crowd they had ever seen at an event of this nature. Earl Brill, a Woodstock veteran, wrote an account of his experience in *The Christian Century*, and said, "the crowd was remarkably gentle, friendly, patient, cooperative, and orderly... throughout the entire 10 mile traffic jam, I didn't hear a single horn blow. Not one."

Hal Espen, a writer for *New Yorker Magazine*, said that not a single act of intended violence was inflicted, not even a fist fight. Also, thousands of participants stayed around after the festival to help clean up.

Brill explained the consciousness that was present in all the guests, saying "we're all together here; this is our thing. So, let's keep it clean because all those straight's out there would like nothing better than to be able to say how bad we are when we all get together."

Another more controversial, yet still notable cause for the success of Woodstock was the availability of illegal drugs, namely marijuana and LSD. It is widely believed that a large amount of the population at the festival was smoking pot or tripping on acid, and if you weren't, there is a great chance that you had a contact high throughout the festivities. As the saying goes, "if you remember the '60s, you weren't at Woodstock."

The drug laws were suspended throughout the festival because the police were afraid of a potentially dangerous confrontation, so they cooperated and the crowd cooperated in return.

Brill pointed out that crowd cooperation went along with a common philosophy of everyday life, saying "a society [Woodstock] is held together not by its artificial rules but by its common loyalties and the commitment of its people to each other."

Though the rules were bent in favor of using drugs during Woodstock, one cannot neglect the few drug overdoses that lent a tragic air to the Woodstock festivities.

Michael Moehr, professor of economics, did not attend Woodstock, but credits the radical emotions and lifestyles that were present throughout this decade to the success of the concert.

"There was an incredible sense of optimism that we could have changed the world for the better, eliminating racism, sexism, and social injustice. It was also a time of experimentation. Experimenting in lifestyles, radical politics, drugs, and communal living," said Moehr.

At the end of the three days, young people drifted home, dazed and tired. Mead said it well when she commented, "what started out as a disaster turned into a miracle and you could tell when you listened to those who had been there, you heard wonder in their voices and saw it in their eyes and they said, 'We were all there together. It was beautiful.'"



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What comes to mind when you hear...

Woodstock '69?

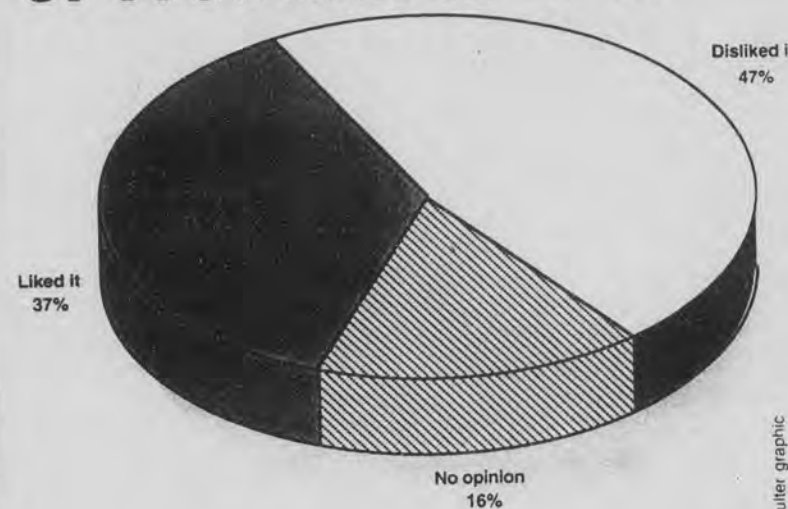
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—Ken Urban '96
- "a lot of people getting together, listening to music, relaxing, and having a good time"
—anonymous '97
- "an experience through time and space"
—anonymous '97
- "sex"
—Dave Barr '98
- "the last hurrah of the 60s"
—anonymous professor
- "tie-dyes and sex"
—anonymous '95
- "a euphoric state of sex, drugs, and rock and roll"
—Julio Cortez '98
- "flower child"
—anonymous '97
- "authenticity"
—Jen Grady '98

Woodstock '94?

- "silly rich white kids and silly old hippies"
—Ken Urban '96
- "mud"
—anonymous '97
- "rain"
—Dave Barr '98
- "a fabrication of the euphoric state of the original."
—Julio Cortez '98
- "commercialism"
—anonymous '95
- "a pale imitation of the original"
—anonymous professor
- "drugs"
—Glen Henderson '97
- "wasn't spontaneous and open for all. It was a wannabe Woodstock"
—anonymous '97
- "sell-out"
—Kristyn Ferretti '97

compiled by Adam Sheya '98

What did you think of Woodstock '94?



Taken from a random survey of 80 students

Playing for love or money?

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

You're dancing, you're moshing, you're shouting the lyrics to songs sung by over forty bands. You're at Woodstock '94.

No doubt about it, the variety is there. Music groups ranging from Crosby, Stills and Nash, to Green Day, to Salt-N-Pepa congregated in Saugerties, New York, to perform for the music-loving, mud-sliding, freedom-happy audience.

But the big question is why? The question is not why did the people gather to partake in the festivities, but why did the bands agree to be a part of this peace-fest recreation?

Was it really because all the bands were interested in reverting to the "live happy" attitude where money, careers, and the traditionally organized family structure were taboo? Or was the deciding factor a nice padded paycheck for their performance?

Monica Dabrowski '98, who was a part of the huge concert

came on, everyone really got into it. Bands didn't just fly in [for their shows] and fly out. Many stayed and walked among the crowds. The spirit in the crowd was amazing. Bands became a part of the crowd. Nine Inch Nails performed and then jumped right into the mosh pit."

A bit more skeptical, but no less enthusiastic, Laura Madden '95 spoke of her experience. "I thought all the bands were really good. I wasn't disappointed by any of them. I think some of them were there for the money but I couldn't tell you which ones. I think and hope that the majority were there for the promotion of peace," she said.

Ultimately, we'll never know exactly why Blind Melon, Cypress Hill, and Metallica decided to light up one of the several stages in Saugerties that weekend and maybe it's not important to know.

What is known is that 25 years from now, the records will show who played, and who knows? Maybe the question of greed versus peace will then become clear.

Finally, does it really matter why the bands chose to perform? The outcome of the music festival seems to have been very successful in achieving a weekend of entertainment and memories for the 350,000 people estimated to have taken part in the festivities.

FEATURES

Woodstock '94... cultural or commercial revolution for today's young people?

BY JEN WOOD

Music, mud and... money?

Was Woodstock 1994 a great cultural event for our generation, comparable to the 1969 festival that some argue was, figuratively speaking, the high point of the hippie era? Or was it merely a money-making scheme, designed to line promoter John Scher's pockets with money? Three days worth of music cost approximately \$18 in 1969, as compared to \$135 in 1994.

The concept of cash just didn't disappear. Once inside, one was supposed to trade in his or her money for Woodstock money, and buy food at one of 900 concession stands. If braving the mud and crowds did not appeal to some, the concert could be seen on pay-per-view for a mere \$49.95. For some, the experience was not complete without a Woodstock '94 magnet or keychain. Perhaps the Greedstock '94 painted on the graffiti wall was more accurate.

Not everyone paid, of course. After the barriers came down, no one was checking the tickets of those who had them. Leeds Allen '98, one student who attended, had a ticket but was never asked to show it. He said the food inside was too expensive, so after the barriers came down, he went to a supermarket and bought Snapple and apples, which he ended up trading for other food back inside.

Apparently, the producer's rule that no food was to be brought on site was not strictly enforced.

Another Bucknell student who attended, Monica Dabrowski '98, also thought that the \$135 was too much for a ticket, but she would pay the price again. "It was worth the money but still too expensive." Though she had to show her ticket, two of the five people with her just walked right in.

All the Woodstock money in the world could not have satisfied Dabrowski's appetite. She thought that the food was disgusting. To top it off she said that "the prices were so extreme."

The music itself, which included performances by Nine Inch Nails, Bob Dylan, and Crosby, Stills, and Nash, among others, made Woodstock '94 worth it for Allen. He felt that the producers tried their hardest to kill it and turn it into a money-making scheme, but the people kept the spirit of the original Woodstock alive by sharing food and mud wrestling.

Dabrowski thought that the concert was amazing once everything came together, that it was like spending time in a little world that was our generation. As for the cultural impact of Woodstock '94, Dabrowski said it represented something different than it did in 1969. Allen stated, "It won't make the impact the last one did, but it was a great time."



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(Left) Unidentified participant enjoys the mud of Woodstock '94; (Below left) Clumps of tents house the rowdy concert fans; (Below right) Large screens were assembled for better viewing of the bands.



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Woodstock '94 Facts

Where: Saugerties, NY

How much: \$67.50/day

Who: 190,000 tickets were sold though an estimated 350,000 people attended

TV: \$50 and cable could bring 30+ hours of live coverage and 14 hours of taped highlights right to the home through pay-per-view

Deaths: There were 2 on site deaths

Injuries: 5,000 participants were treated by medics for injuries ranging from cardiac arrest to trampling by a deer

Misconduct: 24 arrests were made
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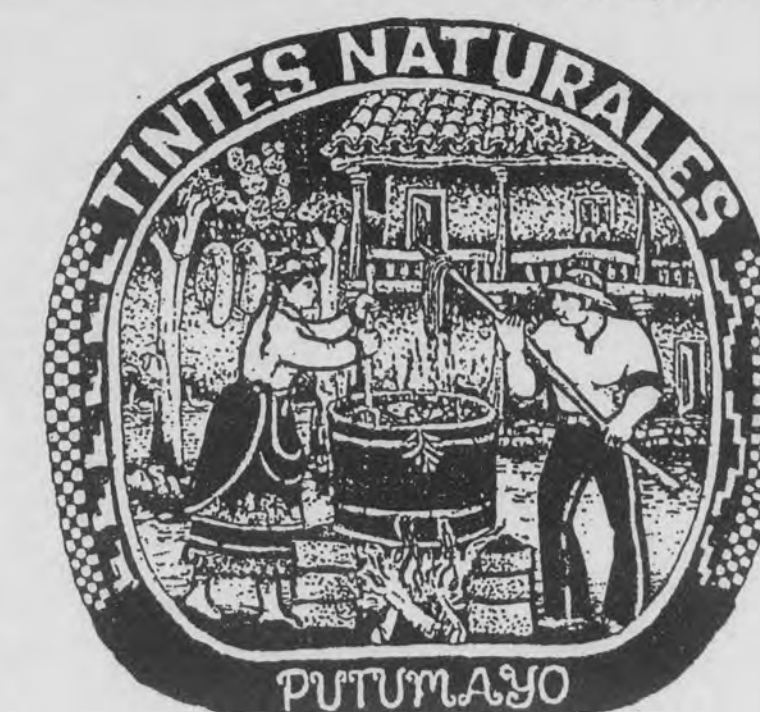
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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

A look at performance with artist Ping Chong

BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The average American watches more than his fair share of television. And certainly, most people know what the term multi-media means. But how many people know what multi-media can do?

This week, performance artist Ping Chong brings his multi-media techniques to the Bucknell campus for a three-day residency with the Department of Theatre and Dance.

On Monday, Chong will present a lecture demonstration on his work, as well as give an overview of his ideas and concepts through slides and videos. Tuesday continues with Chong leading a workshop on expressing personal material through the inter-media of visual art, music, dance, voice, and acting. Both events will take place at 7 p.m. in the Tustin Studio Theatre.

As a wrap-up to his residency, Chong will also speak in a theatre class at 1 p.m. on Wednesday in the Tustin Rug Room. All events are free and open to the public.

A performer for over twenty years, Chong has created a unique body of contemporary theatre. He utilizes all areas of performance from allegory to spectacle, and

from dance and music to theatre and media.

Chong grew up in the Chinatown district of New York City. Much of his work comments on his ethnic background. Having taught residencies at numerous colleges, universities, and art centers, including the Guggenheim Museum, Yale University, New York University, and the Art Institute of Chicago, Chong is no stranger to working with students. Many of his pieces have grown out of workshops held at other campuses.

In addition to his extensive residencies, Chong has also been recognized with an Obie Award, five National Endowment for the Arts Fellowships, a Guggenheim Fellowship, a USA Playwrights Award, two McKnight Fellowships, and a 1992 New York Dance and Performance (Bessie) Award for Sustained Achievement.

Chong's residency with the Department will be gearing him up for his performance next semester in the Weis Center. Chong will present his piece "Deshima" on March 11 for the campus, but for now he is offering the Lewisburg community a chance to not only witness his performance techniques, but to live them.

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During a three-day residency beginning on Monday, Ping Chong, a performance artist, will give a lecture, lead a workshop, and speak to a theatre class. All of these events are open to the public.

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Above: A color-coupler photograph, this piece, entitled "Bulletin Board of Executed Criminal, Henan, 1983," was taken by Peter Man.



Left: Entitled "Kunming, 1987," this color-coupler photograph was taken by Regan Louie.

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Quote of the Week:
"After the second goal we were frustrated and down... once we get moving we can control the pace of the game and turn it on."
—Soccer midfielder Tom Roller '96

Bucknell shut out by Red Raiders

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

There were screams of different sorts by the Bucknell community on Saturday. Many students gathered outside of Hunt Hall to celebrate Bid Day in honor of fraternities and sororities. The festivities were heard a few hundred feet away, hovering over the men's soccer game. After the second Red Raider goal, Brian Buck '95 let out screams of his own, frustrated



Bucknellian File Photo

Despite Brian Buck's '95 defensive leadership, the Orange and Blue gave up a loss to Colgate 3-0 Saturday in a game at home.

with more defensive mistakes. He motioned the men to come together, and belted "C'mon guys." For a moment, there was silence on the field. Bucknell fans watched the men form a circle. Although Buck attempted to bring the Orange and Blue back from a deficit, Bucknell eventually lost the game 3-0.

For Colgate, it was the story of Bobby Newman, who collected all of the Red Raider goals. Newman is the Patriot League's top scorer this year with 8 goals and 4 assists. For Bucknell, it was the story of costly mistakes in the defensive third. Corey Harbold '97 played well, but faced 18 Colgate shots. Chris White collected both his fourth win for Colgate and a league leading 4th shutout which dropped his GAA to 0.63.

Both teams remained vocal throughout a hard-fought scoreless first half. At the beginning of the second half, the Bison shot themselves in the foot by giving up the ball to Newman. A ball was not cleared by Bucknell and centered. The result was a beautiful unassisted goal shot past the outstretched hands of Harbold. The vocal Coach Reynolds expressed deep concern with the Orange and Blue's defense after this important league game. He hinted at changes and experimentation within the lineup against upcoming opponents Delaware and Army.

Reynolds was not only disappointed with the defense. He screamed "go to the ball" on a number of occasions, referring to his players' lack of aggression in winning loose balls. He believes his strikers should be more opportunistic and make quicker decisions. He added, "we're not getting beat, but giving games away," which was evident after mistakes at 23:01 and 2:00, which led to more Newman goals.

Colgate's tallies looked the same as many other Bucknell mistakes this year. The plays began when the ball was not cleared. The defense couldn't handle an attack and enabled the opposing team to take quality shots from good angles. Harbold was left looking at two uncovered strikers from close range, which often resulted in goals.

What can be done to solve this problem? Midfielder Tom Roller '96 agreed that the Bison must pass

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Bison roll over Crimson

BY TED CAPELESS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"When you win, it's good. When you win on the road, it's doubly good. When you beat a Harvard team that did not know who we were, it's triply good."

Bison head coach Lou Maranzana has a lot to be smiling about. His football team is 2-1 and morale is running high as the Bison head into Princeton this weekend after soundly defeating Harvard 42-23 last Saturday in Boston.

Bison quarterback Rob Glus '95 set a University record and tail-

back Rich Lemon '97 extended his as both played exceptionally well against the Crimson.

Glus finished 14 for 17 with five touchdowns and 257 yards, including air strikes to Mark Gentile '95, John Sakowski '96, Steve Noteboom '96, and Ted Stover '97. Lemon rushed 28 times for 187 yards with a 65 yard touchdown scamper down the sideline in the third quarter.

Bucknell jumped out early in the first quarter scoring twice with two touchdown passes to Gentile. The first score was set up by the special teams play of John Cald-

well '95. Caldwell forced and recovered a fumble on a Harvard punt return, setting up the 22 yard touchdown pass from Glus.

The Bison went into the half leading 28-14 after Glus tossed two more lengthy touchdown passes, tying the school record of four TD passes in a game. The first touchdown pass was a 54 yarder to Sakowski, his second of the year. The second was perhaps the highlight of the half, a 46 yard touchdown strike to receiver Noteboom, who made a beautiful juggling

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Bucknellian File Photo

The Bison surprised Harvard last weekend with a 42-23 victory at Harvard. This weekend, the football team will take on Princeton at their home field, working on a 2-1 record.

Tennis still undefeated

Women boast 4-0 season record

BY MATT HARRINGTON

As the dust settles over the Bucknell campus following a long weekend of Greek commotion and the minds of students begin to clear of the dreary fog that may have set in, one thing is for sure—the women's tennis team is rolling.

The team, thanks to the strong play of Kristina Lutter '95, Julia Diaz '95, Sara Allen '96, and a host of others, took perfect 7-0 start as well as an unblemished 4-0 league record into their non-league match Saturday against a solid Delaware team. Nothing changed Saturday as the women battled their way to win a narrow 5-4 decision over the Blue Hens.

Lutter continued her inspired play and her quest for the Bucknell record books as she dropped the second set, but endeavored to win the match 7-5, 5-7, 6-2. Her victory brought her season singles record to 7-1 and her career singles mark to an impressive 45-6. With three matches to play in the next week, the possibility of her breaking Karen Stagliano's record 47-7 career singles mark is a good one.

Lutter's prowess is also evident in her doubles play. With a 7-0 record already this year, her overall (singles and doubles) dual match record stands tall at 78-12. Stagliano also owns the record for overall wins with an 85-18 mark, but Lutter is catching up with each passing day.

Julia Diaz '95 missed all of the 1993 season with a knee injury, but is making a serious

H₂O polo fights to stay on top

BY MIKE KAUFMANN

Bison Water Polo has been having a rough season of unpredictable ups and downs, but the overall attitude of the team is very optimistic. Despite the absence of two starting players due to sickness, Sloan Broderick '96 and Jamie Blaine '97, Bucknell managed a 2-2 record at last weekend's invitational at Navy. Bucknell was only four points away from victory in a close game against 9th ranked Air Force on Friday, and lost on Saturday against the University of Massachusetts.

Massachusetts was out for blood because of their loss to Bucknell at the Rockville Tournament in the beginning of the season. However, these losses did not discourage or stop the Bison Water Polo team from ending the tournament on a good note. On Sunday Bucknell defeated Harvard in overtime with a 13-12 win, and Washington & Lee with a 13-10 win. Tim Nesvig '96 had 15 goals in the tournament and co-captain Sean Tierney '95 scored 12 goals. Tierney now has 41 goals, the team high of the season.

This weekend the Bison will be at Richmond for



Bucknellian File Photo

The Bison played ninth-ranked Air Force to a close game on Friday. On Sunday, they collected wins against Harvard and Washington and Lee.

an Eastern League tournament. Games will include Washington & Lee, Johns Hopkins, and the University of Richmond. The team hopes to walk away with a 3-0 record from the tournament. Bison Water Polo goes into this tournament with a 6-5 record and ranked 15th nationally.

Golf praying for luck and blue skies

Team hoping for good showing at Patriot League Tourney

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The Bucknell Golf team took seventh in the 19 team Franklin and Marshall tournament yesterday at the rain-soaked Fox Chase golf course in Lancaster. Jeff Graf '96 placed in the top 10 individually with a 77 and Paul Gregory '95 carded a 79.

The team's four-man 321 total was 16 more than the tournament winner at George Washington. Bucknell plays the course again in two weeks for E.C.A.C. qualifying.

Last weekend the Bucknell Blue team captured fourth place at its inaugural fall invitational with a two-day grand total of 622. The team was tied for fifth place entering the second day but came back with a 306 total, behind rounds of 75 from team captain Gregory and Josh Hartman '98 to move into fourth.

Hartman's two-round total of 149 (74-75) was good for fourth place out of 69 competitors.

"We've got the talent and depth to make a really good showing at the Patriot Leagues this weekend."

—Josh Hartman '98

After a first round 82, Graf answered with a 76. Gregory finished tied for sixth.

The Bucknell team finished eighth in the 12-team tournament. The team, paced by 76's the second day from Jim Ofla '96 and Mark McGinley '97 and a 77 from Mark Shaffer

'95, yielded a respectable 316. Delaware won the tournament with a 605 total, including a all-time tournament record 294 on the second day to overtake the first round leader St. Joseph's.

The Bison travel to Colgate this weekend to play the Patriot League championship. Army and Navy are favorites to win the tournament.

Cross country survives national challenge

BY COLEEN P. ZOLLER

monly spent.

To gain knowledge through experience, the Men's Cross Country team journeyed to the Fifth Annual Mountain West Classic in Missoula, Montana. This meet hosted six of the top 25 Cross Country teams in the nation. In the company of elite runners, the Bison placed ninth.

"We ran well," said head coach Arthur Gulden, "Although to observers, the ninth place finish might not tell the whole story." Gulden said the team was "productive. We learned a lot about ourselves and how race tactics affect each of us."

The statistics of the race "cannot show people how good this team is," said Shea, "But this way we can focus on surprising people" during the rest of the season. The efforts at the Mountain West Classic should prove instrumental in the process of accomplishing this and other tasks.

"Our immediate desire is to get fired up for the Pitt dual meet in two weeks because they beat us last year," said Shea. As for the whole season, Gulden predicts success "because now we have the confidence we should have had. We now know that we can race at this level and survive."

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BISON SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL

(2-1)

September 24, 1994 (away)

1 2 3 4 Final

Bucknell 14 14 0 0 42

Harvard 0 14 3 6 23

BISON BOX SCORES:

B-Gentile 22 yd pass from Glus, kick

B-Gentile 21 yd pass from Glus, kick

H-Newell 24 yd pass from Ferrara, kick

B-Sakowski 54 yd pass from Glus, kick

B-Noteboom 46 yd pass from Glus, kick

H-Ferrara 2 yd run

H-Hannon 40 yd field goal

B-Stover, 4 yd pass from Glus, kick

B-Lemon, 65 yd run, kick

H-Ferrara 12 yd run, run failed

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS:

First Downs H BU

Rushing 23 22

Passing 13 12

Penalty 9 8

Rushing Attempts 56 42

Yards Gained Rushing 247 268

Yards Lost Rushing 36 21

Net Yards Rushing 211 247

Net Yards Passing 187 256

Passes Attempted 34 17

Passes Completed 14 14

Had Intercepted 3 0

Total Offensive Plays 90 61

Total Net Yards 397 504

Avg Gain Per Play 4.4 8.3

Punt Returns: #Yards 7-2 4-3

Punt Returns: #Yards 8-9 8-8

Number Punt-Yards 6-2374-177

Avg per Punt 39.5 44.3

Punt Returns: #Yards 2-3 4-48

Kickoff Returns: #Yards 7-145 4-73

Int Returns: #Yards 0 3-0

Punt Returns: #Yards 0 0

Possession Time 32:34/27:26

3rd Down Conversions 10-22/3-11

Sacks 1 3

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS:

Rushing NAME ATT YDS TD LONG

Lemon 28 196 1 65

Horst 4 35 0 10

Svendsen 5 20 0 10

McHugh 3 10 0 5

Glus 4 7 0 4

Passing NAME ATT YDS TD LONG

Glus 17-14/0 257 5 54

Receiving NAME ATT YDS TD LONG

Sakowski 2 83 1 54

Noteboom 1 46 1 46

Gentile 2 43 2 22

White 2 36 0 25

Preputnik 2 22 0 18

Lemon 3 13 0 6

McHugh 1 10 0 10

Stover 1 4 0 4

Tackles NAME UT AT TOTAL

Henry 2 7 9

Patty 4 5 9

Strohecker 3 5 8

Miller 2 5 7

W Jackson 4 3 7

Strickland 3 1 6

Castiglia 1 5 6

Bird 4 2 6

Next Game: Saturday October 1, 1994, at Princeton, 1:00 pm.

VOLLEYBALL (9-6)

September 24, 1994 (away)

Game 1

1 2 3

Bucknell 15 15 15

LaSalle 5 3 6

Game 2

1 2 3

Bucknell 4 5 9

Temple 15 15 15

MEN'S SOCCER (3-3-1, 1-2)

September 24, 1994 (home)

1 2 OT Final

Bucknell 0 0 - 0

Colgate 0 3 - 3

BISON BOX SCORES:

Shots Bucknell-2

Colgate-43

Corners Bucknell-3

Colgate-8

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Bucknell-14

Colgate-18

Corners Bucknell-6

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SPORTS

Commentary

Will we have a seasonless winter?

The air has become a bit colder and the leaves more colorful—all the signs of autumn, slipping in on the tail of the exiting summer. Year after year, as one season ends, we never think twice about whether or not the next one will arrive. Summer even comes to a close a few days early every once in a while, but we can always count on the crisp fall air to fill the void the very day that the heat decides to leave.

Unfortunately, the middle-aged men in charge of professional sports in America have not had as much experience as Mother Nature in making the smooth transition from one season to the next. Major League Baseball left a few weeks early, and now the National Hockey League season might be a bit late in arriving. And to make matters worse, the NBA is showing signs of following the same path as the sports world potentially heads toward a winter without a season.

The NHL players and managers, locked up in disagreement just 48 hours prior to the scheduled start of the 1994-95 season, are—you guessed it—bickering over money. The players want to implement a revenue sharing program in which all clubs would be taxed five percent on salaries and gate receipts which would then be distributed among the teams that need the money. The League, on the other hand, wants to "penalize teams with large payrolls from signing players over a set limit." (Sounds like a salary cap to me!) *Players and owners—five minutes for fighting.*

NHL Commissioner Gary Bettman has labeled tomorrow as the deadline for reaching an agreement before the beginning of the season is "postponed." He refrains from using the term "lockout" since he plans for the games to be rescheduled after only a short delay. Does he honestly think that the NHL can solve in three days a problem that baseball has been working on for years? *Gary Bettman—two minutes for optimism.*

If the players' union and the League are as strongly opposed to each other's propositions as in the baseball negotiations, they had better start cooling the rinks, because this season will be on ice for a while. I think, however, that these guys are a bit more willing to compromise.

The season will be postponed long enough to prevent the games from being rescheduled, but not much longer than a couple of weeks since the two factions are not as far apart right now as their counterparts are in baseball. The problem will most likely only receive a temporary fix—just enough to get the season under way—and then it will rear its ugly head intermittently over the next couple of years.

Still over a month away, the beginning of the NBA season could fall victim to a similar fate if negotiators don't pick up the pace. Since the collective bargaining agreement expired in June, three major disagreements have arisen: the union wants to eliminate the draft, restricted free agency, and the salary cap, whereas the owners want to keep the draft, restricted free agency, and a hard salary cap. That sounds like grounds for an impasse to me.

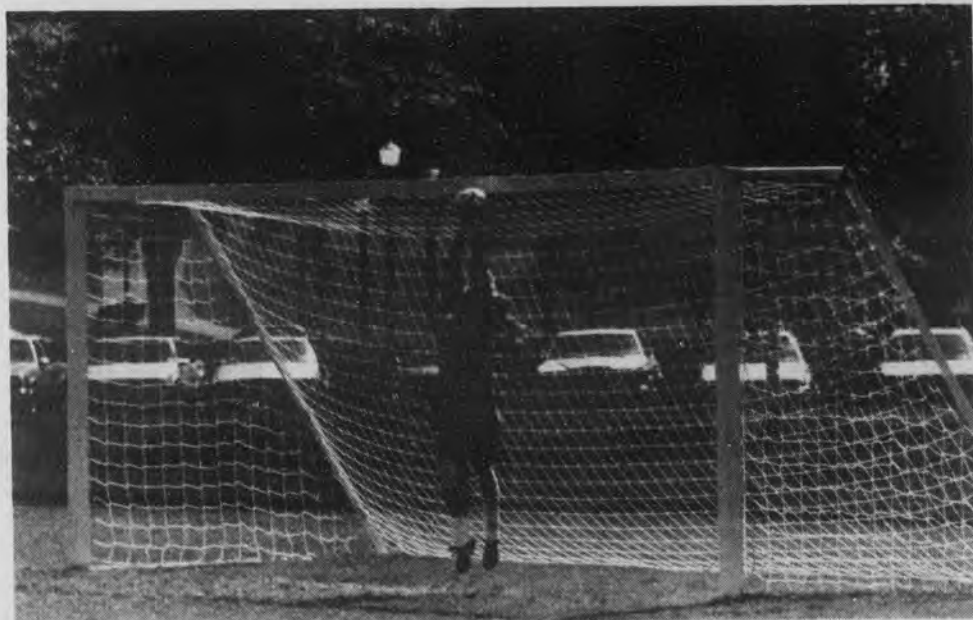
As a parting suggestion, I ask the negotiators involved in the NHL and MLB to take a close look at the National Basketball Association. They imposed a salary cap a couple of years back, and it does not appear to have worked. There must be a better solution out there somewhere... I just hope they find it before the end of the football season.

Scott Grisin

Scott Grisin, Staff Writer

Women's soccer held back

Twin shutouts this week put team at 4-3-1



Bucknellian File Photo

The lady Bison will need strong goaltending by Becky Snover '97 and quick defense on the part of sophomore Heather Andrews to prevent further shutouts.

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The women's soccer team dropped to 4-3-1 overall with two losses against Colgate and Penn State. Their record is 1-2 in the Patriot League. The team will visit Army's Cadets Friday in hopes of improving their chance at the league title.

The Bison were shutout 3-0 by the Red Raiders on Saturday, followed by a disappointing 2-0 loss to the Nittany Lions on Tuesday night. The women's team is just not

getting enough scoring opportunities for strikers Lisa Gibbons '95, (who was The Patriot League Player of Year with an astounding 20 goals plus six assists) and Kerry McDonnell '96, who notched 9 with 7 assists. In the past two games, the defense has buckled to many of the opponents' attacks leaving goaltenders Becky Snover '97 and Kristin Coates '98 under constant pressure.

The Orange and Blue will host Lafayette on Oct. 6 in an important home matchup.

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catch in traffic for his first career touchdown.

The Bison continued where they left off in the second half with a 4 yard record breaking touchdown pass to back up tight end Ted Stover '97, his career first, and the 65 yard Lemon run.

With the five record touchdown passes, quarterback Rob Glus improved his quarterback efficiency rating to 181.5, the third best in the nation. Glus was also named Patriot League Offensive Player of the Week.

The Bison defense forced five turnovers, including two interceptions by Patriot League Rookie of the Week cornerback Willie Jackson '97. Defensive tackle Jeremy Patty '95 and strong safety John Henry '95 headed the defense with nine tackles each.

Looking ahead, the Bison will be facing a Princeton Tiger team that finished 8-2 last season. The key for Bucknell will be to establish the rushing game against a tough Tiger front line. Princeton leads the overall series record against Bucknell 11 wins to 1. The sole Bucknell win came in 1990 in a hard fought 14-9 victory here in Lewisburg. Though Princeton is somewhat in a transition year, Coach Maranzana is not taking them lightly in his quest for his third victory in a row.

"This is a better team than Harvard, no doubt about it. We are going to have to do an outstanding job."

Bucknellian File Photo

(Right) The Bison will be relying on a strong defense this season as they have plans to take down more Ivys, starting this weekend.

All-Blacks rugby crush F & M Diplomats 36-0

BY BOB PATZWALL
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

After winning two of three games at the Kutztown University Rugby Tournament, the men's Rugby team opened its 1994 Eastern Pennsylvania Rugby Union play at home against the Franklin and Marshall University Diplomats.

With a strong team of veterans, the All Blacks held F & M scoreless on Sept. 17, with a 36-0 final.

The first try came from Scott Sargent '95 early in the game, with J.D. Lineen '95 scoring before halftime. A pair of tries in the second half by Gabe Miller '95, including one on a breakaway run, all but sealed the game

for Bucknell.

Mike Yurkus '96 and club president Emre Sapci '95 also had second half tries. Jason Cort '95 had three conversion kicks.

Rich Welsh '96 prevented the Diplomats from gaining possession on line outs, and was also instrumental in the rout.

The team's hooker, Brian Keating '96, said, "I think we have the best chance of making the EPRU playoffs then we've had in a long time."

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—Brian Keating '96

On Saturday, the All Blacks will play at Millersville University. The next home game is Oct. 15 against York College.

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more efficiently, however he commented on the team's energy: "After the second goal we were frustrated and down... once we get moving we can control the pace of the game and turn it on." Roller's remarks fit the profile of this team. It is obvious that there is enough talent on the squad to compete with any team in the league, but consistency hinders Bucknell's ability to play as a unit. Coach Reynolds' changes will be

healthy for the team, hopefully creating more energy.

Bucknell will face (0-7) Delaware on Wednesday night and host a scrappy Army team Saturday at 1 p.m. Led by the 1993 Patriot League Rookie of the Year, sophomore Tony Parilli (#15), the Cadets want to collect their 4th win.

Colgate (3-0) and Holy Cross (3-0) lead the Patriot League and will face each other Oct. 8 in Hamilton, NY.



Bison Calendar

Week of September 25 through October 6

Fri. Sept. 30	Women's Soccer at Army	7:00 p.m.
Sat. Oct. 1	Volleyball vs. NAVY	10:00 a.m.
	vs. St. Francis (NY)	1:00 p.m.
	St. Francis vs. Navy	3:00 p.m.
	WOMEN'S TENNIS vs. ARMY	11:00 a.m.
	MEN'S SOCCER vs. ARMY	1:00 p.m.
	FIELD HOCKEY vs. LEHIGH	1:00 p.m.
	MEN'S X-COUNTRY INVITATIONAL	
	WOMEN'S X-COUNTRY INVITATIONAL	
	Crew-Head of the Ohio at Pittsburgh	
	Water Polo at Richmond	
	w/ Washington and Lee	
	w/ Johns Hopkins	
Sun. Oct. 2	Golf at Colgate	
	Football at Princeton	1:00 p.m.
	TENNIS vs. FORDHAM	11:00 a.m.
	JV FOOTBALL vs. LACKAWANA	1:30 p.m.
	FIELD HOCKEY vs. LASALLE	2:00 p.m.
	Water Polo at Richmond	
	w/ Washington and Lee	
	w/ Johns Hopkins	
Tues. Oct. 4	Golf at Colgate	
	SOCCER vs. MILLERSVILLE	7:15 p.m.
	Women's Tennis at Shippensburg	3:30 p.m.
Thurs. Oct. 6	WOMEN'S SOCCER vs. LAFAYETTE	7:30 p.m.
	Golf at ECAC Southern Qualifier	

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Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Which NHL Player reached the 70 goal plateau three straight years and was named the 1992 All-Star Player of the Game?

2. Name the Atlanta Braves player who stroked the game winning single in the bottom of the ninth against Pittsburgh in Game 7 of the League Championship Series.

3. Name the cities or towns of the four major sports'(baseball, hockey, football, basketball) Hall of Fame museums.

4. From 1964 through 1975 UCLA won the all but two NCAA titles. Can you name the two teams who halted the Bruins' complete domination? (Hint: These teams did it in 1966 & 1974)

5. Which cigar-smoking golfer shot a 3-under par 68 the day after his 53rd birthday to capture the 1992 U.S. Senior Open?

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Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Fair. Lows 35 to 40.
 Friday—Partly sunny. Highs in Lower 60s.
 Saturday—Fair north. Cloudy South. Lows in the 40s. Highs in the 50s to mid 60s.
 Sunday—Fair. Windy southeast. Lows in the 40s to around 50. Highs upper 50s to low 60s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

Homecoming roars for alums and for the 20s



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian
 Homecoming Hosts and Hostesses, L-R: Kevin Nicholas, Heather Clark, Wendy Esham, Chris Boner, Becky Harlan, Beth Archer, Ketan Majmudar. Missing from picture, Kent Lenci.

BY JEN ANDREWS

Glittering flapper dresses and debonaire top hats in the spirit of the Roaring '20s welcome alumni back to campus this year.

Bucknell Homecoming 1994 is in full swing with a variety of events planned for this weekend of '20s fun. Leading this year's activities are the Homecoming Hosts and Hostesses—Chris Boner, Kent Lenci, Ketan Majmudar, Kevin Nicholas and Beth Archer, Heather Clark, Wendy Esham, and Becky Harlan.

Lauren Brakonecki '97, Host/Hostess coordinator, said that selections for Host and Hostess be-

gan last Spring as members of the 1995 graduating class were nominated by clubs, organizations and their peers. In the fall, a screening committee comprised of faculty and administration discussed each candidate, looking for strong involvement both in campus and community activities, narrowing the list down to 12 males and 12 females. The entire student body then voted for their top four choices.

"The Host and Hostesses are good representatives of what Bucknell students are supposed to be like," Brakonecki said.

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University tries for third New Center Gallery director still wanted

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Will it be the case that the third time is the charm, or one, two, three strikes, we're out?

For the last three years, members of the Center Gallery director search committee have spent countless hours seeking, recruiting, and interviewing candidates for the vacant position to no avail. In spite of the fruitless search, the committee is pushing on for a third try.

On Sept. 28, members of the committee revised the job description to be sent out to various publications, including the College Art Association bulletin, in an effort to get a "broader applicant pool," according to Barbara Shailor, chair of the search committee and vice president for student services.

Michael Moohr, professor of economics and member of the search committee, said that the previous advertisement for the job may have discouraged some otherwise qualified applicants because it placed a "heavy emphasis on the teaching obligations of the gallery director."

"Being a full-time gallery director is enormously time-consuming," said Moohr, "and to be expected to teach a foundation seminar or two with a total of 15 to 30 advisees is not very appealing to any kind of gallery director."

Moohr said the principle

changes in the job description are "a lighter teaching load," and instead of a foundation seminar, a museum studies course that would be "more in the area of [the new director's] professional interest."

Commenting on the difficulty of finding such a multi-qualified director, Shailor said, "We're looking for a director that will fit in with the Bucknell community and work with students," as well as someone capable of handling the gallery responsibilities. "That is an important mix [of qualities] that is not easy to find," said Shailor.

Center Gallery candidate qualifications

—Candidates must have at least three years of directorial or curatorial experience and must, at a minimum, possess an M.A. in art history (or in a closely related field), an M.F.A., or a Ph.D.

—Candidates should be qualified to teach at the undergraduate level.

—Experience in fundraising and external relations is highly desirable.

—The Director of the Center Gallery is a full-time position, offering competitive salary and benefits as well as an excellent working environment.

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The search narrows...

Fewer than ten remain in running for president



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 Theresa Amott, member of the Presidential Search Committee, said that the committee has narrowed down the candidate pool to less than ten.

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Answering questions and releasing available information on the still-closed and quasi-mysterious presidential search, Teresa Amott, associate professor of economics and member of the Presidential Search Committee, spoke to faculty about the updated status of the search during the Oct. 3 faculty meeting.

The committee recently whittled the original number of 100 applicants to less than ten, Amott said.

After a week of interviewing, the committee narrowed the original pool down to two dozen candidates, Amott said. The committee expected more applicants in numerical terms, but Amott added that the applicant pool was a "very credible, very serious" group, and more qualified than they had expected.

At the recommendation of the Academic Search Consultation Service, the consulting agency

hired to aid in the search, the two dozen candidates were interviewed by teams of five to six committee members, and cut the pool to "fewer than ten" candidates, according to Amott.

She said the committee will meet again in mid-October to continue interviewing candidates, and that they hope to announce the new president by the Winter of '94/'95.

Amott also addressed the growing concerns among faculty about why the search has remained closed, and the diminished role of the campus committees that were elected last year to aid in the presidential search.

"The more porous the process, the weaker the applicant pool," Amott said, explaining why the search, much to the frustration of many faculty members, has remained confidential.

Maintaining that an open search could jeopardize the current jobs of potential applicants, and thus discourage otherwise qualified candidates from applying, Amott said that many of the candidates complimented the confidentiality of the interviewing process, and said they would not have applied otherwise.

Michael Moohr, professor of economics, raised questions during the meeting about the role and purpose of the campus search committees that were created last year.

In an interview, Moohr said he was confident and "not terribly concerned" about the way the search committee was handling the search, but that the lack of an active role for campus committees

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Faculty concerned about GPAS and extracurriculars

Committee on Instruction to examine issue academic/extracurricular conflicts

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

As a result of a discussion about a student being eligible to play football due to his grades, President Sojka requested that the Faculty Committee on Instruction examine the issues of grade point averages and student status.

The student's eligibility is no longer in question as the National Collegiate Association of Athletics (NCAA) ruled that because the student was making satisfactory progress toward a degree, and meeting additional criteria of having achieved, by the beginning of the first semester of his senior year, 90 percent of the GPA that he needed to matriculate, he was eligible.

Head football coach Lou Maranzana said, that with a 1.98 GPA, the student did not have an eligibility problem.

But some faculty members were wonder-

ing why one student, who had a grade point average of slightly less than the minimum 2.0 that Bucknell requires for participation in athletics, was still playing football.

"Evidently one faculty member found out that this player did not have a 2.0 and rumors about it spread, as rumors will," Maranzana said.

Focusing on participation in extra-curricular activities, Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography and a member of the Committee on Instruction said that he thinks that there should be a policy about minimum grade requirements.

"It seems," said Marsh, "that the definition of good academic standing that we see in the University catalogue should have consequences on people who are investing a lot of time in activities unrelated to the central academic mission of the University."

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Bucknellian File Photo
 Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography and member of the faculty Committee on Instruction.

Open House

The Bucknellian is sponsoring a one and one-half hour open house after the football game for all alumni staff members. Refreshments will be provided. The office is located in the basement of Roberts Hall next to WVBU (in the old media services space).



The Roaring '20s Bucknell Homecoming 1994

Thursday, October 13

9 p.m. Back-to-back movies in the Bison—Bela Lugosi in *Dracula*; Boris Karloff in *Frankenstein*. Free admission. Enjoy baskets of fresh popcorn and sodas.

Friday, October 14

5-7 p.m. Student/Alumni Roaring Twenties Homecoming Dinner in Bostwick Cafeteria \$7.50 per person; students may use meal cards. Menu: carved beef; chicken in herb supreme sauce; fettucine primavera; red potatoes; fall vegetable medley; tossed salad with dressings; rolls and butter; sundae bar.

9 p.m. Second City Comedy Troupe in the Weis Center. Free Admission; sponsored by the Bucknell Activities Council.

10 p.m. Cabaret Night in the Terrace Room. \$1 admission; desserts and beverages. Find out why the Twenties are remembered as "The Jazz Age" with performances from the Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble, the "River Rogues" Barbershop Quartet; Bison Chips; and the Silhouettes.

Saturday, October 15

10:30 a.m. "The Roaring Twenties" Homecoming Parade. Fifteen floats; flappers and gangsters; bands; famous and infamous characters from the '20s and many others will march the streets of Lewisburg. Parade begins at Market Street and ends at Christy Mathewson Stadium.

11:30 a.m. Chicken Barbecue Tailgate Luncheon, under the tent, at Swartz Field. \$6 per person; students may use meal cards. Menu: BBQ chicken, hamburgers with the trimmings; vegetable chili; salads; beans; applesauce; pumpkin roll; sodas. Purity Candy will be selling their finest sweets.

1 p.m. Bison vs. Cornell Big Red Football Game, Christy Mathewson Stadium.

10 p.m. 1920s Club Night; Free Admission; co-sponsored by BAC and the Homecoming Committee. Gamble with play money but win real prizes. A CD player, television set, and Sega Genesis system will be given away. Mocktails and sodas for only 25 cents. Free munchies.

10 p.m. For the over 21 crowd—Roaring Twenties Parties at Bull Run Inn and Towne Tavern.



Conservative estimates produce bonus bucks

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

At a time when cutbacks and shrinking budgets are a necessary factor in financing higher education, Bucknell's efforts to create a leaner, meaner institution appear to have been successful with the help of last year's Direction Setting Initiative.

Michael Moohr, professor of economics and chair of the planning and budget committee, announced at the Oct. 3 faculty meeting that the 1993-1994 budget year ended with a \$3.1 million surplus, in spite of an anticipated deficit.

The surplus, Moohr said in an interview, is the result of "conservative" and "pessimistic" assumptions about the economic conditions of the upcoming fiscal year.

"We make our budget 15 months in advance," Moohr said,



Bucknellian File Photo
 Michael Moohr, chair of the planning and budget committee, announced the existence of a \$3.1 million budgetary surplus.

"which means we have to make assumptions about the future val-

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 Placques and gardens on campus commemorating loved ones and past times.

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in the search made the campus committees appear to be, at least initially, a waste of time.

"We went through the trouble of nominating people to have this search committee, and we've met on several occasions and had open meetings for faculty to come in and express their concerns and what type of president they're looking for. It all turned out to be, up until now, and unnecessary exercise," Moohr said.

Amott said that though the campus committees have had not active role in the search so far, "if there are visits to campus [by candidates] in October and November, as planned, the on-campus committees will be the primary conduit for information and the structure of these visits."

Charles Longley, professor of political science, raised a similar concern about the weight of the campus committees' opinion if they find that none of the candi-

dates brought to campus are suitable for Bucknell.

Amott said there was "no indication" that the Presidential Search Committee would ignore the views of the campus committees.

The committee will "take campus input with utmost seriousness," Amott said. "It is extremely unlikely that out of the three candidates brought to campus, that none will be accepted by the campus committees."

Though the search has continued at a regular pace, Amott said the timing for the search is less than ideal because other colleges, such as Trinity, Wesleyan, Mount Holyoke, and Smith, are also looking for new presidents at this time.

Amott reassured faculty that the applicant pool is "very solid" and made up of candidates that are "exactly what the faculty is looking for" in a new president.

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Thursday, September 29

At approximately 1:10 a.m., officers observed a minor altercation in progress at Seventh and Snake Rd. Further investigation revealed that some FIJI brothers had detained a person that had stolen a tree from their front yard. The responsible individual admitted to taking the tree and was also under the influence of alcohol, and under 21. Relative charges were filed.

A student aide advised officers at 3:05 a.m. of an individual passed out in the hallway of Coleman Hall. The male was awakened and turned over to his RA. Charges pending relative to underage consumption of alcohol.

At 9:02 p.m., a student requested assistance for an injured foot. A Student Health Service (SHS) driver was paged and transported the victim to Evangelical ER for treatment.

At 9:20 p.m., officers investigated a reported harassment incident in Smith Hall. The suspect was found, identified and escorted off campus. The victim did not wish to press charges relative to the incident.

Friday, September 30

At 9:10 a.m., officers investigated a minor non-reportable vehicle accident in the Gateway parking lot. No injuries.

A student reported at 5:33 p.m., that her unattended wallet had been removed from the library photocopy room between 3:30 and 4:30, this date.

A student reported that between Sept. 28 and Sept. 29 at 5:30 p.m., unknown person(s) did damage his auto while it was parked in the Orchard Lot. It appears that another vehicle did strike his legally parked car. The damage is estimated at \$500.00.

At 5:51 p.m., a Residential Life staff member requested assistance concerning an alcohol violation in front of Vedder Hall. Charges relative underage possession and supplying alcohol to minors are pending.

At 5:55 p.m., while following up on another incident, a Public Safety officer observed a residence hall violation in Vedder. Charges prohibiting stereo speakers to be on outside window ledges pending.

At 7:45 p.m., a physical plant custodial supervisor informed officers of an act of institutional vandalism at the Davis Gym Pool entrance door. The damage was sustained at an unknown time and date.

Saturday, October 1

At 1:58 a.m., a student requested a SHS driver to transport her to Evangelical ER for an injury. Student was transported and treated and released from the ER.

Officers were dispatched at 3:49 a.m. to the third floor B wing of Swartz Hall for a fire alarm activation. On arrival, officers observed that person(s) unknown did discharge a fire extinguisher for no apparent reason. Extinguisher replaced and fire system.

At 7:45 a.m., flyers were found stapled to doors of the Vaughan Lit building. Flyers were of a derogatory nature, and thus removed immediately.

At 8:59 p.m., an individual reported being the victim of a physical assault near the stadium. Investigation is continuing.

At 11:40 p.m., a student aide reported the vandalism of two windows at Vedder Hall. It is unknown when the damage occurred.

Sunday, October 2

At 2:15 a.m., a student reported that an individual did spray him with mace or pepper spray while he was walking on Seventh Street, across from the Langone Center. A search of the campus was made and Lewisburg Police Department was also notified of the incident. Investigation continuing.

Officers were dispatched at 2:23 a.m., for a fire alarm activation at Kappa Sigma fraternity. On arrival Officers found that person(s) unknown did activate pull stations in the basement and on the second floor for no apparent reason.

At 3:07 a.m., officers responded to Vedder Hall for a reported person in need of medical assistance. The injured person was transported to ER by SHS driver for treatment of a laceration.

At 2:23 p.m., a truck driver at the intersection of Route 15 and Moore Ave. reported that he observed a person exposing himself in a vehicle also at the intersection. Description and license number of the car was obtained and information was relayed to LPD and EBPD units. Investigation continuing.

Monday, October 3

Officers were dispatched at 1:52 a.m. to the Third floor B wing of Swartz Hall for a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival, officers found that person(s) unknown did activate a pull station for no reason. Pull station and alarm system reset and returned

to normal status.

At 3:47 p.m., officers were dispatched to Coleman Hall for a reported person in need of medical assistance. An ambulance was dispatched and transported the victim to Evangelical ER for evaluation.

Officers were dispatched at 7:05 p.m. to the first floor, D wing, of Smith Hall for a fire alarm activation. Officers found that unknown person(s) did activate a pull station near the stairwell for no apparent reason. Station and alarm system reset.

At 7:47 p.m., Officers were dispatched to the Third floor, west wing of Vedder Hall, for a fire alarm activation. Person(s) unknown did activate a pull station at that location for no apparent purpose. System reset.

A student reported at 8:35 p.m. that unknown person(s) did remove his front license plate sometime within the last two weeks. Car had been parked in the Swartz Lot.

At 10:06 p.m. A student reported a suspicious individual in the quad area near Vaughan Lit. An immediate check of the area met with negative results.

Tuesday, October 4

Officers were dispatched at 12:56 a.m. to first West Vedder, for a fire alarm activation. Unknown person(s) did discharge a fire extinguisher for no apparent reason, causing the fire system to activate. Alarm was reset and fire extinguisher replaced.

A student reported that between Oct. 3 and Oct. 4 at 11:30 a.m., unknown person(s) did damage her auto while it was parked in the Gateway Lot.

Wednesday, October 5

It was reported at 8 p.m. that a visitor's bicycle had been removed from the uphill side of the Langone Center. The incident occurred between Oct. 5 at 4 p.m. and 4:15 p.m. On Oct. 7, the bike was recovered near the water tower and turned over to East Buffalo Township Police Department.

Thursday, October 6

A custodian of the Bertrand Library reported to Public Safety that a piece of furniture was removed by unknown person(s). Incident occurred between Oct. 5 and this date.

A Bucknell Golf Club employee reported the removal of three slide poles from greens at the golf course. Property was removed sometime between 3 p.m. on Oct. 5 and 7 a.m. on this date.

A student reported to Public Safety that he is the victim of harassing phone calls which are being made to his residence phone. Investigation is continuing.

Friday, October 7

A student was advised of a restricted area at the Physical Plant where he was observed walking with difficulty. Student entered the restricted area and charges are pending relative to underage consumption of alcohol.

A University employee reported that unknown person(s) damaged both mirrors on a university vehicle. The incident occurred between Oct. 6 and this date while vehicle was parked on Vaughan Literature Road.

Student reported that her eyeglasses were missing from Coleman Hall where she had left them. She returned to Coleman Hall two hours after discovering she forgot them to find glasses not there. Incident occurred between 10 a.m. and noon this date.

Student reported that while he was backing out of a parking stall on Stadium Road, he hit a moving vehicle. Minor damage was reported and there were no injuries. Both parties exchanged information.

Sunday, October 9
A student reported witnessing two white males smash out a window at Vedder Hall, then run from the scene. Descriptions of the perpetrators was obtained. Incident occurred on Oct. 9 at approximately 12:52 a.m.

Wednesday, October 12
Officers were dispatched to Swartz Hall for a fire alarm activation to discover that unknown person(s) did activate the pull station for no apparent reason.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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ue of a large number of variables."

Those variables include everything from food costs, the price of heating oil, the cost of insurance premiums to enrollment numbers, the number of students studying off campus, and the amount of overtime for the budget year.

Once these assumptions have been made, Moohr said, "we move into the budget year and the assumptions eventually become fact."

The assumptions about the '93/'94 budget prove that the "worst case scenario was wrong. We were too conservative, and the surplus began to emerge," Moohr said.

In the faculty meeting, questions about the surplus were few. Moohr attributed the lack of response to shock, saying, "the faculty were probably shocked [by the amount of the surplus] and didn't know what to say."

But one faculty member, David Silberman, professor of sociology, did raise a few questions.

Silberman said that the University had anticipated budgetary difficulties last year, not a surplus, and a system for health care cost-sharing was created to ease the pressure of those budget problems.

Silberman explained that in the past, the University paid the entire cost of health insurance for its employees. In an effort to cut expenditures, employees are now paying 20% of the cost of health insurance, a system the University calls health care cost-sharing.

Expanding on his comments in the faculty meeting, Silberman said that the planning and budget committee might reconsider how the surplus will be spent, and, in more important, "whether or not the increase in contribution to health insurance in January shouldn't be put on

hold so that [where the surplus goes] can be reconsidered."

"Insurance rates would increase in January because the overall health care bill would go up," Silberman said. "As I understand it, on an annual basis we will get a new bill for the next year. And since our salaries are not going up in January, we've been mandated to pay a total of 20% out of the [health care] bill, that would mean the amount of contribution of the employees will have to go up."

Transferring the surplus to the Plant Fund "makes it easier to access the surplus and put it into use on campus."

—Michael Moohr
professor of economics

Because the anticipated deficit never surfaced, and a considerable surplus arose instead, Silberman reasoned that the surplus money might offset the increasing health insurance rates that faculty would have to pay as time passes.

Moohr, acknowledging Silberman's concerns, said that under the current policy, the surplus cannot be used to offset medical or health insurance increases because "trustees have a rule as to what becomes of the surplus."

"Last year, on a one year experimental basis, the trustees decided that the surplus would go into the Plant Fund," Moohr said.

The Plant Fund reserve, Moohr said, is restricted to certain uses, and is not available to be used by unspecified areas.

The uses for the Plant Fund include equipment (science lab and computer equipment), making payments on the University's long-term debt, and renovating or enhancing buildings on campus (as with Taylor Hall and Seventh Street Cafe).

Previous to this "experimental year," budget surpluses were put into a quasi-endowment fund. Moohr said that this fund was "easier to dip into, with the permission of trustees" because it is not guided by strict rules and regulations, as is the regular endowment fund.

The decision to change from transferring the surplus to the quasi-endowment fund, to giving it to the Plant Fund was made because "it makes it easier to access the surplus and put it to use on campus," Moohr said.

The Plant Fund will receive 2.4 million of the surplus. According to a memorandum sent out by the Presidential staff and the planning and budget committee, the remaining \$0.7 million (the difference between the \$3.1 million surplus and the \$2.4 million transferred to the Plant Fund) was carried forward to the budget for the 1994-1995 fiscal year to support expenditures that were planned for last year, but will not be spent until this year.

Referring to the Direction Setting initiative taken last year, Moohr said, "we are really trying to reduce the size of the expenditure base of the budget." He said that cost-sharing health insurance was just one way of decreasing the expenditure base, and that using the surplus to offset increasing health insurance rates would not, in effect, coincide with the goals of Direction Setting.

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EDITORIAL

Is the University a parent or "extracurricular" figure?

The academic status of two students was recently addressed by members of the University in regards to their eligibility to participate in a varsity sport. Though the NCAA passed a quick decision allowing the students to continue their involvement, questions about the academic guidelines regulating a students' involvement in extracurricular activities were raised and subsequently sent to the Committee on Instruction (COI) for further review.

The incident was minor, but it calls to mind other questions concerning the University and its almost inherent parental role in the lives of students. In considering this question, two viable, perhaps extreme positions outline different routes the University might take.

As a passive entity, the University might allow students complete extracurricular freedom, with only the minimum University academic requirements as guidelines for students to remain in good academic standing. The rationale behind this argument is fundamental. In non-legal matters, ostensibly, the University is not our legal guardian. Students are legal adults, attending college not only to further their education but to enhance their experiences as independent, responsible adults.

As an active entity, the University might regulate extracurricular activities across the board by mandating that a specified academic minimum be met in order to participate in any activity. The University justifiably holds a gen-

uine concern for the academic welfare of its students. We are first and foremost an institution of higher learning, and such regulations insure that the University succeeds in its responsibility of maintaining a positive academic influence on students.

In the past, the University has attempted to find a compromise between these two positions. The result is a system of monitoring the academic standing of students in select extracurricular activities, such as varsity sports and Greek life.

The vehicles through which the University oversees students' curricular progress are the academic deans. The guidelines that the University sets for allowing students to participate in extracurricular activities are vague enough so that the final decision is ultimately at the discretion of the dean.

The general understanding is that students need only be actively progressing towards their degree in order to participate in any activity outside the classroom. There is not a handbook rule or set outline that steers deans toward a definitive University policy relative to allowing students to participate in extracurricular activities. The ambiguity of this system leaves the deans with little else but their own judgement on which to base their decisions.

While not intending to undermine the authority or integrity of the deans, should such an unstructured, yet profound policy be left

completely in the hands of one person, rather than a majority? Or should such a decision be left up to a group consensus rather than individual judgement?

When COI evaluates this policy on extracurricular activities, several questions should be addressed. First, why is this issue left at the dean's discretion when there is neither a structured University guideline for dealing with this problem, nor a system of checks and balances to relegate this decision to a group?

The dichotomy between extracurricular activities and academics is not a new problem, nor is the system of monitoring this conflict. Why is there a sudden focus on the policy when it has existed for years? Though the problem is infrequent, it is an annual concern.

And ultimately, what should be the role of the University in acting in *parents locus* for students? How active a stance should the University take in governing the lives of students?

The system thus far has worked and there is no doubting the invaluable role that academic deans play in the life of this institution. And the University has good cause to want to safeguard its students from abandoning their academic responsibilities to an extreme. But can this safety net be effective in providing protection for students when that net is in fact an individual's judgement call and not an intervenor web of consistent guidelines and group decisions?

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Speak Out

What we are trying to do in FLAG&B, by bringing in these speakers, is to share with people some of the diversity that is to be found in the gay community. But most of all, I think we are challenging people to think about these issues and dialogue so that we might someday put aside these stereotypes and work toward mutual respect and understanding.

The message that Bob and Rod brought to the campus Monday evening was a very personal and touching story about their lives as gay men and the response from the audience was warm and receptive.

—Cindy Peltier
FLAG&B Advisor

I never did realize just how many hardships a young homosexual couple had to face. It makes such a difference when someone is staring you in the face, telling you how difficult it is to live his lifestyle rather than reading words in a book or magazine. These men were real, and I think that their openness and frankness on the topic of homosexuality helped to open some eyes.

—Kristen Reynolds '96

It was interesting to hear them talk about their lives in such an open manner. It's not an easy thing to do, although it appeared to be easy from our viewpoint. In the real world, they have to deal with flak for who they are and must endure whatever comes their way.

It was interesting that they sent out "wedding" invitations to family members, extended family, etc. because they wanted to proclaim their commitment not only to each other, but to everyone in their lives.

—Cate Scaffidi

Advisor to Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual students

Our society has succumbed to a new social disease—political correctness

BY CRISTINA M. TISA

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

I've never been a fan of the politically correct movement. Before you make any hasty decisions about me or my conservative ideology, read between the lines: political correctness is a social disease of epidemic proportions.

Common courtesy and respectful treatment of all human beings is a very honorable and admirable custom associated with the behavior of "civilized" society. My father's favorite piece of advice to me is to "do the right thing because it's the right thing to do"—not to "do the right thing because you want to get elected to public office someday and you don't want to be labeled as homophobic, racist, anti-Semitic, white supremacist, anti-feminist, or anything else that is considered *passé* nowadays." This means that everyone deserves, at the very least, neutral treatment. After all, are not the freedoms guaranteed in the Bill of Rights applied to everyone?

I bet you all are thinking right now, just as good, socially just Bucknellians are supposed to, that all human beings deserve to be treated with civility appropriate to basic human dignity regardless of race, creed, color, gender, sexual preference, etc. I acquiesce. It is right to treat people with respect if for no

other reason than because they are fellow humans. Tolerance is the path to nirvana, I always say, and this is where my participation in political correctness ends, for you will see, the movement quickly deviated from its original, noble goal and became exactly what it ought not to be: intolerant.

"How," you ask? Why, it's elementary, my dear J. Crew-clad friends. The term itself, *politically correct*, indicates very negative intentions. How many times have we all heard that today's politicians spend as much as 50-60% of their time on Capitol Hill soliciting votes and campaign contributions, voting one way or another on very significant issues in order to gain favor with one special interest or another? Why was Ross Perot such a formidable pain-in-the-political-fourth-point-of-contact during the '92 elections? He was not a politician, had no need to cater to the powerful interests that generally pull the politician puppet strings, and was ready to commit to making the fundamental changes necessary to reducing the national debt. In short, he was ready to commit political suicide. That's about all he had going for him, but I digress. Politicians specialize in getting re-elected. Keeping this in mind, how genuine can anything be which comes out of the political arena? How many times have presidents, senators, and representatives rescued their falling popularity ratings by jumping

on the bandwagon? Granted this does not always happen, but it is the nature of politics.

If the term is still unclear, type in "politic" and ask the thesaurus to give you some help. I did, and I came up with "prudent," "astute," "expedient," "discreet," "judicious," "provident," "shrewd," "artful," "clever," "crafty," "cunning," "foxy," "intriguing," and my personal favorite, "Machiavellian." Let me, therefore, translate *politically correct*: "expediently correct," "shrewdly correct," "craftily correct," "Machiavellianly correct?" Is that how we want to be told to treat our fellow human beings? Why not "politely correct," "decently correct," "courteously correct," or "appropriately correct?"

Perhaps I am missing the point of dumping the terms "janitor" in favor of "sanitation engineer," "freshman" for "first-year student," etc. Some things I agree with, but the movement has gone to such an extreme as to alienate the very people that it aimed to benefit. Everyone has to be mindful of each uttered and written word for fear of being labeled some unflattering term. I would much rather know up front what someone thinks of me rather than have them hide behind a guise of respect and tolerance. My own security and self-respect does not depend upon whether or not someone is tolerant of Catholics and women. However, we owe it to humanity to

be genuinely tolerant of each other and our differences; yes, we must also be tolerant of the intolerant because they have as much right to exist and speak their minds as anyone else does. We have a constitution that guarantees that particular freedom, and that amendment was based upon the writings of Voltaire: "I disapprove of what you say but will defend to the death your right to say it." Voltaire never said that "I will defend to the death your right to speak as long as you didn't offend anyone, display any racist tendencies, degrade women and homosexuals, or hate foreigners." After all, Voltaire was French.

When we all start remembering that everyone has the right to be offensive, we can return to what is really important: to work around our differences in ideology and philosophy to accomplish goals for the greater good. Perhaps that is the key to achieving universal tolerance and cooperation, rather than the "in-your-face" tactics being employed now. Until then, remember the Golden Rule: "treat others as you would like to be treated." Insincerity is degrading to everyone, and false courtesy is counter-productive to the original goal of the "foxyly correct" movement. Thank-you for your support.

Tisa/Unknown running-mate in '24.

LETTERS

Article omission upsets *Bucknellian* writer

Misspellings, mistakes prevalent in other published articles

TO THE EDITOR:

At the moment, I am hurt, furious, and embarrassed to be a regular writer for *The Bucknellian*. I also feel that I, along with my fellow performers, Kenneth Miller ('95, not '96) and Shanti Hatch (GR) deserve an explanation for the non-appearance of an article that we were told would be in the Sept. 29 issue of *The Bucknellian*.

Why am I hurt? There are several reasons. Very often the music department, of which I am a proud and hard-working member, is pushed aside in the name of sports, features, or any other topic. Members of the music department work just as hard as students in other majors, and when the time comes for us to be recognized, whether for a solo recital or an honor like performing a concerto with the University orchestra, then we both want and deserve to be recognized.

Why am I furious? On Tues, Sept. 27, I took time out of my busy schedule, as did at least one of my fellow performers, to be interviewed and/or photographed for an article that would publicize an important annual music department event. Imagine my surprise at opening *The Bucknellian* and finding, instead of an article recognizing Bucknell students in a Bucknell event on the Bucknell campus—a two-page spread on Woodstock. Wouldn't you be furious?

Finally, why am I embarrassed to be a *Bucknellian* reporter? As a member of the music department, I am often asked to cover department events for the paper. My articles are subjected to the same editing that other articles receive. I have no problem with that; in fact, I am grateful to the editors who have double-checked dates, places, and spelling for me. However, when I find unfinished sentences and only partial names appearing in my articles (see my article in Sept. 22 issue for examples of both of these), I naturally become upset because I know that I didn't leave hanging sentences or partial names in my article—I'm not that careless. Even more embarrassing is when professors in the music department approach me and ask (partially) jokingly, "Well, Katie (not Kates), what did *The Bucknellian* screw up this week?" I have always defended *The Bucknellian* in cases such as these. Now I'm not sure my defense of *The Bucknellian* was warranted.

Tomorrow, I will have to answer questions as to why this anticipated article did not appear. I plan to refer these questions to the editors of *The Bucknellian*, because I certainly can't answer them. I have written for *The Bucknellian* for three years, and I will continue to do so; I love writing and plan to make a career out of it. In fact, it is my love of writing that is preventing me from quitting *The Bucknellian* immediately.

Kenneth Miller, Shanti Hatch, and I deserve an explanation. I certainly hope we receive one.

KATRINA M. DEBONVILLE '95
SEPTEMBER 29, 1994

Literary wit mistaken for attack on Greeks

TO THE EDITOR:

It is rare when a piece of writing offers itself as a parody of a cause it attempts to advocate. Yet, only last week it was done. I invite the readers of *The Bucknellian* to retrieve Peter Mertz's article from the trash, run a firm hand over its crinkled surface, and read it again.

Young Mertz's response to the creative endeavors of Steve McNutt, Tyler Spence, and Scott Albright demonstrated a gross lack of understanding and tact. Both the satirical, humorous poem and the literary poem "The Night Before Bid Day" reflected sharp observation and literary dexterity which I hope will continue, despite childish attacks. I hope Bucknellians, Greek and otherwise, are intelligent enough to recognize and differentiate between harrowing social insecurity and thoughtful writing.

It is unfortunate that Peter Mertz, as well as many others, define their identity by the letters of a language they cannot understand rather than the actions they undertake.

SHAUN NANAVATI '94
OCTOBER 1, 1994

"Moving" fails to capture spirit of dormitory

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing this reply to last week's article entitled "Moving on up: the Residential life staff" written by Kelly Horton. I honestly believe Miss Horton had good intentions when creating this article about how the age of Larison "creates a cozy and comfortable atmosphere that [she] loves to come home to," but her article instead exhibited other ideals that are extremely inconsiderate to her fellow residents, Residential Life staff, and especially custodians of the Larison building.

Miss Horton believes that because Larison is an old building, it can be treated like an "Animal House" residence hall, where it is okay to put

"Cheez-Whiz or shaving cream all over [the] door due to someone's late-night rave." Somehow, Miss Horton thinks that this dirtiness and immaturity develops a stronger camaraderie between the residence hall as a whole. She further has the nerve to say that "maybe it is because WE must all suffer together" that bonds the Larison residents together.

I wholeheartedly disagree with Miss Horton. First, just because a building is old does not mean that it has to be trashed. Consider the Coliseum in Rome. It receives minimal funding from the Italian government for upkeep, even though it is extremely old. However, the citizens of Rome do not leave Domino's Pizza boxes ly-

ing about or spray shaving cream on its walls. Secondly, it is not Miss Horton who suffers, but instead my Larison custodial friends; Thelma, Darlene, and Warren suffer the brunt of the clean-up from Miss Horton and her Larison friends' so-called "camaraderie."

I am sure the residents truly understand that Larison is a unique place to develop friendships, but these friendships do not have to be achieved by "trashing" the halls—forcing its residents, and especially its custodial staff, to suffer with its mess.

RUSTY KONDRATH
RESIDENCE DIRECTOR OF LARISON AND
HARRIS HALLS
OCTOBER 2, 1994

The only thing harder than achieving a 4.0 is trying to sleep for 8.0

BY RANDY FAUST

Two days ago, I awoke with the strangest feeling of never having gone to sleep. The problem: It had been only three hours since I hit the sack. Why had I gone to bed so late? Well obviously, I deferred sleeping until completing the enormous amount of work I had to do. Why had I gotten up so early? Well obviously, I awoke because classes were only a quick, forgettable breakfast away.

My dilemma was perplexing: How to get a normal amount of sleep and accomplish all my goals as well.

My college priorities are reasonable. I figure I should keep up my grades, do all of my homework, make all of my classes, go to extra help sessions, do my reading work, study for every subject, spend time each day with my friends, write letters home sporadically and maybe even call, practice playing music, join a few organizations, stay in shape by playing organized sports and by self-motivation, go to the concerts offered by the school, remain healthy, talk to my other friends via computer, write letters to the newspaper, read a newspaper every day, eat three square meals a day, read for enjoyment not just study, get to know my professors, get a job on campus, etc. (and do not forget to have fun). One now begins to see the complexity of my problem and may find the same enigma plaguing their junket to Queen Mab. Recently around campus, I have encountered a multitude of these dream-seekers, all of them crusading to find the

ever elusive "afternoon nap," the veritable holy grail of slumber.

Now then, all the sleep deficient students of Bucknell must ultimately ask themselves, "What must be sacrificed, my goals or my sleep?" The answer itself can be somewhat of a riddle. Though it is not entirely impossible to accomplish everything one wants to; it



certainly is not probable that any quality shut-eye will be achieved that way. Other options entail forsaking some responsibilities, obligations and/or opportunities for having fun. And appropriately, no one contemplates serious relaxation while either studies, sports, or silliness calls.

So in light of this plaguing problem that has put Bucknell students in a state of physical and mental unrest, I have devised a way to cheat the system by augmenting that elusive nap; a method that will virtually fool one's internal biological clock. The first step is to have two clocks. Set one clock to the normal time and the other two hours ahead. Rig the alarm on the "real time" clock for twenty minutes, while placing the fast clock right next to the bed (so it will be seen immediately upon awakening). The theory proposes that by seeing the fast-forwarded clock upon arising, one will believe it is the correct time. Upon waking up, no one is fully aware of their surroundings instantaneously and therefore they will accept the time gap as truth. Some disbelievers may scoff and laugh at this idea because of the eventual revelation of the real time, but even so, the idea of having slept for over two hours has already been embedded into subconscious mind. Essentially the mind will have been tricked into accepting that more time has elapsed than actually has.

Hopefully this bit of trickery will be helpful for those groggy passerbyes I see on my way to eight a.m. class. Maybe a few more smiles will grace those perpetually haggard faces, and maybe a few more yawns will be repressed during that inevitable, awful morning lecture. Try this method every day for a week, give it a chance, there really is nothing to lose (certainly not more sleep).

Speaker clarifies "hazy" issue

Maureen Syring discusses hazing and its implications.

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Maureen Syring, past national President of Delta Gamma sorority, visited the Weis center Tuesday, Oct. 4 to speak to the new and older members of Bucknell's Greek system.

Syring welcomed the audience of pledges, new members, associates as well as brothers and sisters, with a congratulations on being Greek. And to dispel any thoughts that she may be anti-Greek, Syring claimed that she was a "huge advocate of the Greek system."

"I believe absolutely in the Greek System," she said.

Then, in a very interactive session between herself and the audience she walked through the aisles, explaining the difficulties of being Greek, commenting that Greeks are labeled as sexist, elitist and anti-intellectual.

"The issue is hazing," she explained. She continued by citing what she believed to be the advantages of hazing. Hazing builds endurance, commitment, pledge class unity, trust, respect, and a "sense of earning your membership," she explained.

One of the four examples she used to illustrate the concept of hazing was a personal one. Syring told of her pledge hazing experience of sticking her head in a bucket of water only to take a mouthful of water and spit on a burning fire, all the while saying

"Ding, Ding, Ding, I'm a fire engine." "The whole time," says Syring, "I'm thinking, what does this have to do with Delta Gamma."

After that experience says Syring, she and her Delta Gamma sisters decided to do away with hazing at their chapter. At a reunion a few years later Syring said of her former sisters that had hazed her, "I could not physically stand by them. They were not my sisters. My sisters wouldn't."

If hazing teaches community, then why do we have pledges who leave?
—Maureen Syring

Syring noted "thirty-seven states have laws dealing with hazing. Hazing is considered a misdemeanor." "If hazing," she asked "teaches community, why do we have pledges who leave?"

By allowing oneself to be hazed, Syring explained, "you are compromising your fraternity principles...jeopardizing your right to exist at Bucknell..." making yourself vulnerable to third party liability and finally permitting a fraternity to abuse its own members.

Although these stories may

sound dismal, there is hope according to Syring. Ten years ago, she said there were 100 chapters known as "hazing chapters," today there are very few "hazing chapters."

Syring explained that to fight hazing is to "know what you stand for." It is through education and enforcement that students can combat hazing, Syring said.

Syring, as one of her final touches, read aloud some mottoes and philosophies of Bucknell chapters, as a method of "quizzing" nervous brothers and sisters, on their fraternity and sorority histories. In none of these philosophies, Syring pointed out, was the word, or any words similar to, hazing.

As she had done with the advantages of hazing, Syring continued by citing various criterion to assist in deciding whether an activity is hazing or not. Syring asked if the activity: met the goals of the pledge program, is known to the chapter advisor, could be performed in front of university administrators, could be defended in court of its merit. Finally Syring asked if a picture of the activity could be sent to the parents of the pledge.

Syring added that "there are many things you can do that will never compromise the dignity and value of the individual. The best advice I can give you is that if you are wondering if it is hazing, the answer is yes."

Living with the enemy

Photojournalist provides visual journey into domestic violence



In recognition of October as National Domestic Violence Awareness Month, several campus and community organizations, are sponsoring a showing of Donna Ferrato, a Life Magazine photojournalist and author's images of domestic violence. The program will be on Tuesday, October 18 at 8 p.m. in the LC Forum.

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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"We had to look at ourselves and focus on what we had to do, and execute."
—Football Coach Lou Maranzana

Football tops Towson

Win pushes the Bison to a 3-2 record

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Led by excellent special teams play, the Bison left Towson State in the dust last Saturday, 41-28, raising their record to 3-2. This was their second 40-point effort of the season.

Towson State jumped out to an early 7-0 lead in the first quarter, but Bucknell quickly tied the score on corner back Mike King's '97 block and end zone recovery of a Tiger punt for a touchdown. The special teams came through again on the following kickoff when defensive end John Caldwell '95 forced a fumble. Linebacker Wally Hurdley '98 recovered the loose ball, generating a four-play drive culminating in fullback Bob Horst's '96 1-yard touchdown plunge, his first of the year. Bucknell added another score before halftime, with quarterback Rob Glus '95 finding wide receiver Steve Noteboom '96 for a 31-yard touchdown pass. Towson State struck back, however, with two touchdown passes of their own, tying the score at halftime, 21-21.

The Bison took a 28-21 lead early in the third quarter and didn't look back, capping off their first drive with Glus' tenth touchdown pass of the season, a 16-yard strike to wide receiver John Sakowski '96. The special teams struck again on the ensuing kickoff, with Hurdley forcing a fumble and corner back Terence Parham '98 recovering it on Towson State's 33-yard line. Several plays later, tail back Rich Lemon '97 scored his sixth touchdown of the season on a 4-yard run. Lemon carried the running game on his back, rushing 35 times for 153 yards for his record ninth straight 100-yard rushing performance. P/K Rich Miller '97 hit two field goals of 37 and 38 yards later in the third quarter, extending Bucknell's lead to 41-21. Towson State managed a late TD, but it was not enough, giving the Bison a 41-28 victory.

Defensively, strong safety Jim Jaroschak '95 led the team in tackles, with 8, and linebacker Russ Strohecker '95 snagged his first in-

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Women's tennis captures Patriot title

BY MATT HARRINGTON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The whisper of the Bucknell Women's success changed into a scream this past weekend—no matter that only a precious few were around to listen. Those who witnessed last weekend's events already know that Bucknell's tennis players were firing on all cylinders coming in tournament play.

They had some idea that Bucknell's top six singles players held winning records, including the perfect 12-0 mark of Sara Allen '96. They had surely heard that Kristina Lutter '95, playing in the number two spot, needed only one singles win to surpass Karen Stagliano '92 as the all-time best women's tennis player in Bucknell history. They probably recognized Laura Grossman '98, who carried a 10-2 singles record into tournament play, and whose name and age cause panic among the opposing league coaches.

They observed the confident grin of Julia Diaz '95, who battled back from ligament damage in her knee to hold down the number one spot with effectiveness and hold together her shining team. And if aware of the event's stature, they had surely heard the names



Sara Allen '96 lead the tennis team to their 13-0 season and Patriot League Championship win last Saturday.

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Men's soccer drops two games



Susan Naughton —The Bucknellian

Key defensive third mistakes have cost the Bison some games this season. Pete Rodano '95 avoids a Cadet, but Bucknell would eventually lose in double OT.

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's soccer team is definitely mysterious this year. Sometimes they come up on the field with unmatched aggressiveness like in games against St. Peter's and Lehigh. At other times, the defense folds and gives up costly goals. Which is the real Bucknell soccer team? They have baffled both fans and Coach Reynolds who offers "simply unexplainable," in an attempt to comment on his team's play. The Orange and Blue will challenge Fordham this Homecoming Weekend in hopes of improving their 1-4 Patriot League record.

The Bison have dropped two important league matchups within the last two weeks. They first took on the Cadets of Army on Oct. 1 in a 3-2 double-overtime losing effort. The Black and Gold traveled from West Point carrying an undefeated (1-0-1) record in the Patriot League. A Bucknell defense lapse led to Tony Dedmond's breakthrough goal with 10:24 left in the first half to put Army on the scoreboard. Five minutes later, Greg Beatty '95 tied the score and collected the 30th goal of his career. The first half was notched at one and dark clouds began to roll in.

Fans scrambled with 25 minutes left in the game as it began to pour. Bruce MacKenzie '95 vaulted the Orange and Blue past these conditions and gave Bucknell a 2-1 lead. This lead would not hold for long as Frank Christaudo powered through the Bison defense and capitalized

on a mishandled shot by keeper Corey Harbold '97 with 5:06 left in regulation. The game was again tied after the second half.

Both teams failed to score after the first overtime and continued to brave the horrible playing conditions. The field began to get soggy and the players muddy. Army's Jim Adamowski squarely hit the crossbar in the final minutes. The teams were giving 100% at this point and wanted to win this crucial Patriot League game.

This time the Cadets left Lewisburg with the win and took one step closer to qualifying for the league playoffs. Army was awarded a controversial corner kick with 17 seconds left. With just nine seconds remaining in the second overtime, Frank Christaudo became quite a nemesis for Bucknellians by collecting his second goal of the game. This time he beat Harbold in a muddy scramble inside the penalty box and moved into the top ten scorers in the Patriot League.

Coach Reynolds was disgruntled about the loss but added "changes made in the lineup will not solve the overall problem with the team. Soccer is not an easy game to diagnose. Our team has made some big mistakes this year—that is different from last year's team. Maybe it's a case of senioritis...don't know...One change will not fix the overall problem...In some cases we simply don't play hard enough."

These are words from a frustrated coach. He thought there was a more tal-

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Hockey unites under seniors

BY COLEEN P. ZOLLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

While qualifying for the 1994 Patriot League Field Hockey Tournament looms, the Bison have more pressing goals at hand. The effect of the loss of a Regional All-American forward Almira Baldwin '94 and a two-time All-Patriot League midfielder Tricia Way '94 seems to be on everyone's mind. Junior Tracy Bass believes that the graduation of Baldwin and Way has had a significant effect on this year's squad. "Everyone is now forced to play together," she says, "without the temptation to place the burden on those two stars." The dominant story of this season is not the 3-5 record but the team unity and the outstanding leadership which is behind it. Goaltender Tracey LaPorte '95 and Midfielder Kelly Seed '95 immediately come to mind when followers of Bison Field Hockey think of leadership. Head Coach Heather Lewis said of the seniors, "They are two really great people that sometimes get lost in the shuffle."

Lewis' sentiment is obviously shared by the team. Bass explains, "They lead by example. They are both good students with great work ethics on and off the field. Tracey and Kelly are very dedicated to the game." LaPorte and Seed's styles of leadership complement each other nicely and enhance the team in a substantial way. Bass continues, "Kelly can be really quiet, but she fires us up. She makes us excited to play." LaPorte confesses, "Perhaps it is easier to lead as a goalie, but sometimes it is more difficult because I am not involved in every play." Bass cited what an integral role LaPorte has during the game, "All of the ultimate decisions on the field are made by Tracey. She has been fantastic for us at goal." LaPorte had a season high amount of saves in the game against Lafayette on September 24. LaPorte explains this high number: "Our defense committed a lot of fouls which resulted in penalty corner kicks which just reflects in how well Lafayette played."

The game against Lafayette was a pivotal one. Only four teams will qualify for the Patriot League tournament, and a win over Lafayette would have given them their first league victory. LaPorte clarifies the outlook, "Now we must beat Colgate, and Lafayette must beat

Golf team contends for Patriot title

Team takes third and qualifies for ECAC tourney

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The Bucknell golf team's bid to upset Army and Navy for the first time in five years at the Patriot League championships blew away in the 30 m.p.h. winds during the final round on Oct. 2 at Colgate's Seven Oaks Golf Course in Hamilton, New York.

The team entered Sunday's round tied with Navy for second place, only nine shots behind four-time defending league champion Army. In a day that saw only four players post sub-80 rounds and no team broke the 320 barrier for four scores, the Bison were forced to count four 82s, which dropped them into third place, one shot behind the Midshipmen.

Army came back to win the tournament after Bucknell built up a seven shot lead during the rain-hampered first

round, posting a season-low 302, which included a 73 and 75 from Josh Hartman '98 and Eric Shortz '98, and a 76 from Jeff Graf '96. Graf went on to finish sixth and capture All-Patriot League honors for the first time in his career.

Despite the seven shot lead, Bucknell was unable to hold off the Cadets as the team slipped to team rounds of 315 and 328 in the final two rounds.

The team goes back up to Colgate this weekend for the third time this season after qualifying for the E.C.A.C. championships for the first time in eight years. The Bison shot 308, led by rounds of 74 from Hartman and 76 from Graf and Shortz, at Fox Chase Golf Course on Oct. 6 to finish third behind George Washington and Villanova.

The team will be without Hartman, who will sit out because of a disc injury, in its final tournament of the season.

Crew team begins strong with a 12th place finish

BY BRIAN BURKE
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Last weekend at the Head of the Ohio, the Bucknell Crew team continued to gain the respect of the international rowing community by placing 12th out of more than 80 competing organizations from the U.S. and Canada. This race was the first of five this fall. Despite rough waters, the team from Bucknell managed to "bring home hardware" in three out of five events. The lightweight men's eight raced well, winning a bronze, while the

lightweight women did the same. The highlight of the day came when the open men's four managed to better all but one crew and capture the silver. The open women's eight placed fourth. The lightweight men's four, having raced previously, put together a strong performance to win fourth in their event behind powerhouses Vesper, St. Catherine's, and Cornell.

The team hopes to continue their success this weekend as they travel to Middletown, CT, to compete in the second largest one-day regatta in the world, the Head of the Connecticut.



The women's soccer team searches for the League title.

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BISON SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL

(3-2)

October 8, 1994 (home)	BU	TS
1 2 3 4 Final	20	22
Towson 7 14 0 7 28		
Bucknell 14 7 17 3 41		

BISON BOX SCORES:
 T-Brian McCarthy 2 yd run, kick
 B-Mike King blocked punt run
 recovery, kick
 B-Bob Host 1 yd run, kick
 B-Stevie Notoboom 31 yd pass from
 Rob Glus
 T-Mark Orlando 21 yd pass from
 Dan Crowley, kick
 T-Mark Orlando 21 yd pass from
 Dan Crowley, kick
 B-John Sakowski 16 yd pass from
 Rob Glus
 B-Rich Lemon 4 yd run, kick
 B-FG Rich Miller
 B-FG Rich Miller
 T-Shawn Ward 37 yd pass from Dan
 Crowley

VOLLEYBALL

(10-8)

October 1, 1994 (home)	BU	TS
1 2 3 4 Final	15	15
Bucknell 15 15 15 15		
St. Francis 9 9 7 7		

Game 2
 Bucknell 1 2 3 4
 Temple 15 12 10 4

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS:

BU	TS
First Downs	20 22
Rushing	7 18
Passing	0 2
Rushing Attempts	58 17
Yards Gained Rushing	226 68
Yards Lost Rushing	26 17
Net Yards Rushing	200 51
Passes Attempted	12 33
Passes Completed	12 33
Had Intercepted	1 1
Total Offensive Plays	75 72
Total Net Yards	352 418
Avg Gain Per Play	4.67 5.81
Fumbles: #Lost	3-1 3-2
Penalties: #Yards	5-46 7-50
Number Punts-Yards	5-100-129
Avg Per Punt	36.0 32.3
Punt Returns: #Yards	2-26 0-0
Kickoff Returns: #Yards	4-95-7-141
Int Returns: #Yards	1-0 1-4
Fumble Returns: #Yards	2-0 0-0
Possession Time	35:08 24:52
3rd Down Conversions	5-11 5-15
Sacks	1 1

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS:

Rushing	NAME	ATT	YDS	TD	LONG
Lemon	35	163	1	30	
Glus	8	24	0	6	
McHugh	6	10	0	3	
Host	4	11	1	5	
Swenden	3	12	0	9	
White	1	6	0	6	

Receiving

NAME	ATT	YDS	TD	LONG
White	2	42	0	24
Notoboom	1	31	1	31
Lemon	5	26	0	12
Gentile	2	24	0	18

MEN'S SOCCER

(4-6-1, 1-4)

September 28, 1994 (away)	BU	TS
1 2 3 4 Final	0	2
Bucknell 0 2 - 2		
Delaware 1 0 - 1		

BISON BOX SCORES:
 Bucknell-Breslin, Beatty
 Shots
 Bucknell-12
 Delaware-13
 Corners
 Bucknell-7
 Delaware-3

GOALIE

October 1, 1994 (home)
 Bucknell 1 2 3 4
 Temple 15 12 10 4

October 8, 1994 (away)

Game 1
 Bucknell 1 2 3 4
 Howard 18 9 15 15

Game 2

Bucknell 1 2 3 4
 UNC 12 11 15 9

Game 3

Bucknell 1 2 3 4
 Winthrop 8 11 15 10

WATER POLO

(7-7)

EASTERN LEAGUE TOURNAMENT

(at Richmond)

October 1, 1994
 Game 1
 Bucknell 1 2 3 4 Final
 W & L 6 4 7 3 20

Game 2

Bucknell 1 2 3 4 Final
 JMU 1 3 2 - 6

Game 3

Bucknell 1 2 3 4 Final
 Rich. 6 3 4 6 19

WOMEN'S SOCCER

(7-4-1, 3-2)

October 6, 1994 (home)	BU	TS
1 2 OT Final	1	1
Bucknell 3 3 - 6		
Lafayette 1 0 - 1		

BISON BOX SCORES:
 Bucknell-Gibbons(3),
 Crane(2), McDonnell
 Assists
 Bucknell-Raymond(2), Crane,
 McDonnell, Ravetz
 Shots
 Bucknell-21
 Lafayette-9
 Corners
 Bucknell-9
 Lafayette-7

GOALIE

October 1, 1994 (home)
 Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Army 1 1 - 2

October 9, 1994 (away)

Game 1
 Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

Game 2

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

Game 3

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

GOALIE

October 8, 1994 (away)
 Bucknell 0 0 - 0
 Lafayette 1 1 - 2

October 8, 1994 (away)

Game 1
 Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 W & L 6 4 7 3 20

Game 2

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 JMU 1 3 2 - 6

Game 3

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Rich. 6 3 4 6 19

CROSS COUNTRY

CLASSIC

October 1, 1994	BU	TS
1 2 OT Final	0	0
Bucknell 0 0 - 0		
Cornell 1 2 - 3		

BISON BOX SCORES:
 Bucknell-11
 Cornell-15
 Corners
 Bucknell-4
 Cornell-13

GOALIE

October 8, 1994 (away)
 Bucknell 0 0 - 0
 Lafayette 1 1 - 2

October 9, 1994 (away)

Game 1
 Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

Game 2

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

Game 3

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

GOALIE

October 8, 1994 (away)
 Bucknell 0 0 - 0
 Lafayette 1 1 - 2

October 8, 1994 (away)

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 JMU 1 3 2 - 6

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 Lafayette 1 1 - 2

CROSS COUNTRY

CLASSIC

October 1, 1994	BU	TS
1 2 OT Final	0	0
Bucknell 0 0 - 0		
Cornell 1 2 - 3		

BISON BOX SCORES:
 Bucknell-11
 Cornell-15
 Corners
 Bucknell-4
 Cornell-13

GOALIE

October 8, 1994 (away)
 Bucknell 0 0 - 0
 Lafayette 1 1 - 2

October 9, 1994 (away)

Game 1
 Bucknell 1 2 OT Final
 Stetson 1 0 - 1

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SPORTS

Commentary

Circumventing
the World of
Sports

It seems like a trip around the Sports World takes less and less time as the weeks go by, with all the major stops closing their doors to visitors. We can still have a good time, however, if we look to the smaller, more obscure stops along the way. So pack your bags, and hop in the car as we travel the backroads around the World of Sports.

As two of the four major sports fall by the wayside, ESPN has shifted their coverage to some lesser-publicized venues over the last two months. In September they televised the Governor's Cup (Triple-A baseball's World Series), and recently they have been televising roller hockey games. This past weekend, they had a guy "water skiing" in the road off the back of a car with blocks of ice on his feet, and still other sportsmen taking on dry, winding mountain roads at 90 miles per hour on a luge—and you thought the NHL was exciting!

The Buffalo Bills defeated the Miami Dolphins yet again on Sunday at Rich Stadium, and I'm glad they finally stopped wearing those uniforms of yesteryear. A friend of mine went to the game without a ticket, and he offered to let him in if he sold peanuts inside during the game. He graciously accepted the offer, chose his spot, and watched the game with his peanuts—oh, and he sold some during the television time-outs, too. Only in America.

The Asian Games are currently being held in Hiroshima, Japan, and ten athletes have disappeared. Organizers have imposed a curfew on the athletes and confiscated their passports.

The BOC Challenge, an around-the-world yacht race, is nearly a month old, and the competitors are approaching Cape Town, South Africa, the end of the 6,800 mile first leg. They left Charleston, South Carolina, on September 17th.

The NBA begins its preseason schedule tonight with some rule changes—a uniform 22-foot three-point line, and no more hand contact on defense. At least the NBA can agree on something.

Sticking with roundball, Michael Bright '92 was recently signed by the Pittsburgh Pirates of the Continental Basketball League, the equivalent of minor league hoops (though not affiliated with the NBA). Bright led the Breakin' Bison for much of his career at Bucknell, and will continue to play forward in the CBA.

And with that we return from our little trip, back to Bucknell just in time to see the Homecoming football game on Saturday. We return a bit wiser, a bit more in touch with the World of Sports around us, and knowing that there's much more to sports than what we read in the headlines.

Scott Grisin, Staff Writer

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Women's soccer picks up two League wins

BY BRYAN KELLY

In its latest Patriot League contest, the Bucknell women's soccer team beat Lafayette 6-1. This win gave the Bison a 3-2 Patriot League record and a 6-3-1 overall record. Midfielder Joanne Crane '95 scored 2 goals and had 1 assist, and senior Forward Lisa Gibbons scored three goals. Junior forward Kerry McDonnell contributed with a goal and an assist, and freshman forward Leigh Raymond had 2 assists. Goalkeepers Becky Snover '97 and Kristin Coates '98 combined for 5 saves and allowed only 1 goal.

The women's soccer program has come a long way since 1990. The last four years have been filled with disappointing losses. Under the direction of coach Toby Lovocchio, the team has improved steadily. Last year, Bucknell finished third with an 8-9-1 overall record, and a 3-3 Patriot League record. This year, there are 11 new players. Leigh Raymond '98 has scored 5 goals with 6 assists. Kerry McDonnell '96 (7 goals and 2 assists) and Lisa Gibbons '95 (7 goals and 7 assists) are leading the team again in offensive categories. The Lady Bison are finally scoring

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terception of the year. Defensive end Ed Burman '96 recorded the only sack for Bucknell, giving him 4.5 for the year. The return game was also strong for Bucknell, with wide receiver Troy White '95 breaking one for 41 yards. White ranks first in the Patriot League in kickoff returns, averaging 24.6 yards per return, and Lemon is still first in the Patriot League in rushing with 146 yards per game.

This win against Towson State was an important one for the Bison, coming after a heartbreaking loss to Princeton. Notebook said, "We had to look at ourselves and focus on what we had to do, and execute." Bucknell was able to rise to the occasion and defeat a tough Towson State football team.

Bucknell lost to Princeton 12-7 in the closing minutes of the fourth quarter on Saturday, Oct. 1. Princeton scored the touchdown that lifted them to victory when they recovered a blocked punt in the end zone with 2:09 left in the fourth quarter. The Bison defense was quite impressive, limiting the Tigers to one offensive touchdown, in what Coach Maranzana deems "their best defensive game so far."

Bucknell opened up the scoring midway through the second quarter, with Glus '95 hitting tail back Craig Svendsen '95 for a six-yard touchdown pass, the quarterback's eighth of the season. Kicker/Punter Rich Miller '97 added the PAT to give Bucknell a 7-0 lead, and the score remained that way at halftime. The game continued to be a defensive battle throughout the third quarter, with neither team adding to their point total. The Bucknell running game



Offensive strength was evident in Bucknell's 41-28 win over Towson State. The Orange and Blue will face off against a 4-0 Cornell this Homecoming Weekend.

began to establish itself in the second half, with Lemon '97 racking up 81 of his 120 rushing yards en route to his record eighth straight 100-yard performance. Twelve minutes into the fourth quarter,

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Bucknell's defense allowed their only score of the day on a 3-yard touchdown pass from Tiger quarterback Harvey to Ross. However, the PAT was missed by Princeton, leaving Bucknell with a 7-6 lead with only 3 minutes to play.

goals. Goaltender Snover has had a successful first half of the season, with 55 saves and posts a .873 save percentage. Goaltender Kristin Coates has 34 saves to accumulate a .850 save percentage. Their defense is also strong, and shows a more complete team this year.

Although the Orange and Blue are playing well, a win against Army was not expected. Army is picked to finish first in the Patriot League by the coaches. The Cadets have five returning All-League players and are comprised of older, more experienced women. This is the first time Bucknell has beaten Army in seven games—the end of Army's 16 game winning streak in the Patriot League. Freshman forward Leigh Raymond '98 led the attack, scoring 2 of Bucknell's 3 goals. One came at 41:50 in the first period and the other at 13:32 in the second period. Goaltender Becky Snover played an excellent game, making 9 saves and allowing only one Cadet goal.

The next real test of Bucknell's ability is the Homecoming game against Fordham. Fordham is picked to finish first this season and only has one returning All-League player. Their current Patriot League record is 1-4. In the event of a strong second half, the Lady Bison should challenge Colgate and Army for the first spot in the Patriot League.

Lemon, on the return team due to the threat of an inside kick, received Princeton's kickoff, and worked his way to midfield. Unfortunately, Bucknell was called for a penalty on the runback, and the Bison received the ball at the nine-yard line. After gaining a total of 3 yards on two plays, Glus was sacked on his own one-yard line on the third down, forcing Miller to stand in the back of his end zone for his punt. At the snap, the Tigers' Tim Greene broke through Bucknell's line, blocked the punt, and recovered it in the end zone, putting Princeton up 12-7, as it would stay for the rest of the game.

Even in defeat, Bucknell's defense continued to show steady improvement. Top performances were turned in by several players, including linebacker David Strickland '96, who was named Patriot League Defensive Player of the Week after racking up 13 tackles, (2 1/2 for losses) and his first sack. Defensive tackle Jeremy Patty '95 recorded his second sack of the season, and strong safety John Henry '95 picked off his second interception of the year. Offensively, the Bison concentrated on their ground attack, led by Lemon, who picked up 117 rushing yards. Lemon is the Patriot League's leading ground gainer. The Bucknell passing attack managed only 51 yards through the air, the Bison's lowest passing total of this season.

Maranzana said that "Bucknell played a tough football game against a tough team, and that they played hard throughout the entire game. They have to continue to play with this level of intensity."

For this week's Homecoming game, a very tough Cornell team will be rolling into Lewisburg. The Big Red has gotten off to an undefeated 4-0 start. They possess an offense geared to a ground attack and a stingy defense.

TENNIS

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bowed at #5 in straight sets 1-6, 0-6.

On the other end of the bracket, Colgate's women won easily against Holy Cross and a tough Fordham squad and had momentum as they moved safely into the Patriot League's final match against Bucknell.

Things looked bleak early for the Bison as Julia Diaz battled but lost a tough 5-7, 4-6 match to Sue Monajali of the Red Raiders. Lutter, though, bounced back from her second round loss to crush her opponent in straight sets 6-4, 6-0, and became the all-time highest-winning singles women's tennis player in school history; etching her name into Bucknell's all-time list of great athletes.

At 1-1, Bucknell dominated the rest of the match and took the Patriot League title with force. Allen, far the league's best tennis player at the #4 spot, continued her dominance against Colgate with an easy win and in doing so kept her singles record at a perfect 14-0. Grossman, like Lutter, rebounded from her second round defeat to Army and took her match in straight sets. Fall-break weekend proved to be a great one for the women tennis players at Bucknell. The Bucknell fans who witnessed the event got what they came for, and the Bucknell Women's Tennis Team should soon get what they deserve—a little respect.

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Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. What was the worst defeat in college football history?

2. Who holds the NFL record for most touchdown passes in a game?

3. Who are the only two college basketball players credited with scoring 100 points in a game?

4. What Major League pitcher won the most games in the 1980's?

5. Name four sports in which the object is to travel backwards.

Answers to last week's quiz questions

1. Brett Hull
2. Francisco Cabrera
3. Baseball—Cooperstown, N.Y.
Hockey—Toronto, Canada
Football—Canton, Ohio
4. 1964—Texas Western
1974—N.C. State
5. Larry Laoretti

Basketball—Springfield, Ma.

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1974—N.C. State

5. Larry Laoretti

How much did
a semester at
Bucknell cost
in 1926?
See page B5
to find out.

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What does it take to
succeed in both
athletics and
academics?
On page B3 student-
athletes speak out.

Morganelli '77 jazzes up Homecoming weekend

Excited to both see and perform in the Weis Center for the first time, Morganelli brings his success to Bucknell

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Every so often, a college is lucky enough to have an alumnus return to his alma mater and share his post-graduation accomplishments with the college community. Bucknell will be one of those institutions this Saturday at 8 p.m., when Mark Morganelli '77 performs with his group, the Jazz Forum All-Stars, at the Weis Center for the Performing Arts.

This trip to Bucknell marks Morganelli's first visit to the Weis Center. "I've only seen pictures of the Weis Center in Bucknell calendars," he commented with a laugh. His last trip to Bucknell, in 1986, was filled with mishaps of grand proportions. "We were scheduled to perform at a celebration at Rooke Chapel, but we got socked in at LaGuardia Airport. We flew to Philly, spent five hours in a van, and arrived at

Bucknell two hours after the concert was supposed to start," Morganelli explained. Fortunately, the trip had a happy ending. "The people who wanted to hear us play had waited for us; they came to our hotel and listened to us play there."

Morganelli's road to a musical career began at Bucknell in 1973. He entered the University as a chemistry major but switched to music education halfway through his first semester. In addition to his music education major, he also earned a minor in art. The cross country team kept Morganelli running during his first year, yet with all of his activities, the freshman still found time to run the Boston Marathon.

"As a student, I put my priorities into music," Morganelli stated. For his work-study program, he worked recording recitals for the music department. The activity that took up the bulk of his

time, however, was the Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble. "We rehearsed twice a week and cut four albums while I was there," said Morganelli, who believes that he played no less than two hundred gigs with BJRE. Morganelli discussed his BJRE days fondly and with a great deal of enthusiasm. "We did a lot of traveling with BJRE." Trips included the Montreaux Jazz Festival in Switzerland, where the group cut a live album. "In 1974 we did a 6,000 [mile] cross country tour," Morganelli said. Performance spots on that tour included New Orleans, Chapel Hill, and Disney World. "We were supposed to perform at the Kennedy Center, but we were pre-empted by Rose Kennedy," he remembered. Morganelli is quick to credit his BJRE years for giving him "lots of experience in production and management."

Morganelli also readily ac-

knowledges the Bucknell professors and artists-in-residence who influenced his musical career. "As head of the department, Professor Tom Warner taught me that music has rules that need to be followed (and he instilled in me a love of good wine). Professor Bill Duckworth taught me that the rules can be bent, and Professor Jackson Hill taught me that anything goes!" Morganelli remembers a particular piece of music, composed by Hill, that showed him the importance of humor in music and in life in general. Hill's *Ephemeric Syzygy for 114 Fixing Alka Seltzer Tablets* was, as the name suggests, composed for 114 Alka Seltzer tablets to be dropped into glasses of water at different times. This work was performed at a coffeehouse, an event which Morganelli managed to organize despite his hectic collegiate lifestyle.

Today, Morganelli runs two

companies: the Jazz Forum, Inc., which produces records and music, and Jazz Forum Arts, Inc., which is a non-profit organization with a board of directors that includes, or has included, Wynston Marsalis, the late Dizzy Gillespie, and David Amram, whom Morganelli met during his Bucknell days. Other Bucknell connections for Morganelli included the Austrian pianist Peter Lang and the late John Cage, with whom Morganelli performed in Bucknell Hall.

In addition to production and management, Morganelli is a trumpeter and a flugelhornist with the Jazz Forum All-Stars, a group that takes its name from the Greenwich Village club that Morganelli ran from 1979-1983. Morganelli added the flugelhorn to his repertoire while at Bucknell; in fact, he remembers purchasing his first flugelhorn at Haines Music Store in Selins-

grove in 1975. The other musicians in the Jazz Forum All-Stars, which Morganelli describes as a group of "stellar instrumentalists," includes Gary Bartz on alto and soprano saxophone, Vic Juris on guitar, Harvie Swartz ("like Swartz Hall," Morganelli joked) on bass, and Jimmy Cobb on drums.

A native New Yorker, Morganelli currently resides in Dobbs Ferry, New York with his wife and son. Morganelli is looking forward to returning to his alma mater, seeing the Weis Center for the first time, and performing in the environment that gave him his start. "While at Bucknell, I knew there was a whole world out there; I met a lot of nice people and gained a lot of experience." On Saturday night, Bucknellians past and present can share in the experience of listening to the Jazz Forum All-Stars and Mark Morganelli.

Class of '28 grad remains attached to Bucknell

While Christine Sturnum Moyer '28 remembers her own days at Bucknell, she still stays involved on campus 66 years later

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Eighty-seven-year-old Bucknell graduate Christine Sturnum Moyer says that she has had a most interesting life now that she looks back on it, sitting in her comfortable Victorian home in Lewisburg. She attributes her long life to a daily glass of wine. By looking at the memoirs of Moyer's life hung on her walls, commemorating all the places it has taken her, one might guess that her secret is her relentless pursuit of activity.

Her threshold is one of the many commemorated on the famous poster "The Doors of Lewisburg." She lives on a street full of Bucknell faculty and administrative history, and is knowledgeable about the history of the houses and some of their tenants over the years such as the *New York Times* Popular List author Rodney Whitaker, who is better known by his pen name "Trevelyan." She rubs elbows with neighbors such as the retired Dean of Women and

current professors such as Karl Patten.

"For such a small town, I've had such interesting contacts," she admits. Sitting in her sun room in her Victorian house on South 3rd street, Moyer herself is an important piece of Bucknell history.

A school teacher's daughter from Williamsport and a graduate of the class of '28, Moyer hails from a time in Bucknell's history when fraternity dances were chaperoned and boys lived uphill while girls lived downhill. She hails from a time when Bucknell rivaled Notre Dame with its ratio of three times as many boys as there were girls. Students did not have cars until their senior year.

In the 1920s, Moyer's father paid \$50 more for her to live in Harris Hall since it was the newest building. She was often apt to take the train, which ran from Philadelphia to Williamsport, to visit home. Larison Hall, which served as the main office, was where girls went to make important calls on the quad's only telephone or to meet boys who came calling on dates.

Clandestine male visitors after the 9 p.m. curfew would find doors to the then intact fire escapes cracked open. Any romantic found the next morning, however, was sent packing. Instead of eloping to Vegas, as couples today are chided for, couples stole to Maryland to get married. Marriage was a taboo subject, as marriage during college warranted punishment for both the boy and girl such as staying out a semester or two.

Moyer and her friends relished ice cream at the Purty on Market Street where the Dollar Store now stands. This



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian

Christine Sturnum Moyer '28 stands on the front porch of her Victorian house on South 3rd street in Lewisburg.

small Baptist school's student populace was primarily made up of middle-class ministers' and teachers' children. It was mandated that the University President, Board of Trustees, and members of the faculty be Baptist.

Twelve hundred students, the great number of commuters to Bucknell, who left on the 8 a.m. train from neighboring Williamsport, could be seen gathering for lunch in the basement of the Carnegie building. With the upperclass girls sitting at the head of the Larison tables at dinner time, Moyer recalls having to say grace before being able to sit down. It was also a requirement to attend the chapel twice a week or a student could not graduate. Boys were seen hurrying to the chapel for the 10 a.m. mass in their then chic long raccoon coats.

Entering college at the young age of 17, being a little shy, Moyer remembers Bucknell as harboring a studious atmosphere.

ian Night. "Of course, I declined," she said laughing.

She met her husband Earl L. Moyer, also a Bucknell student and a member of Phi Lambda Theta which is now Chi Phi, as a senior in the fall of 1928, while student teaching. He has since passed on, but she is never left without a date to Bucknell oriented functions. She will be attending the Benefactor's dinner in November when the new University President will be announced. A close friend of the Sojkas, she has hosted many a party for important folk in her day.

Moyer had come to Bucknell to follow in the footsteps of her father who was a teacher. She remembers student teachers had the option of taking the trolley car to their contact schools, but those a bit more daring such as herself hitchhiked with the kind folk from the town who were driving to neighboring Watsonstown or Milton.

After graduation in 1928, she was one of the first of her friends to marry. Moyer continued to busy herself with substitute teaching and then went on to teach Sunday school for 20 years. Her ardor for education continued after her husband died with two trips around the world, including a mass with the Pope at the Vatican and six trips to Europe.

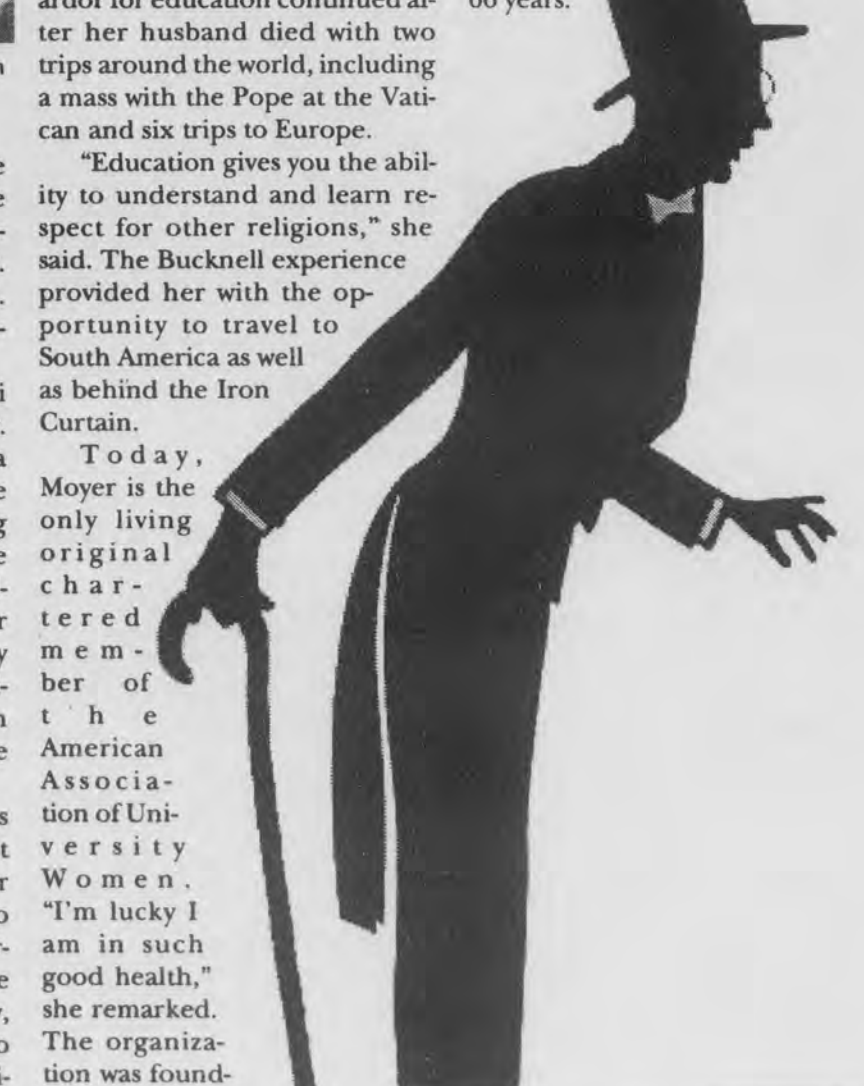
"Education gives you the ability to understand and learn respect for other religions," she said. The Bucknell experience provided her with the opportunity to travel to South America as well as behind the Iron Curtain.

Today, Moyer is the only living original character member of the American Association of University Women. "I'm lucky I am in such good health," she remarked. The organization was founded

ed at Bucknell by the Dean of Women, Amelia Clark, in 1931.

Moyer is well versed on the administrative and aesthetic activities on campus despite having graduated 66 years ago. A seasoned veteran at fundraising, she has been actively involved in the drives to fund many of the buildings on campus, including the reconstruction of Old Main after it burned down in 1934. She is a generous supporter in her many memberships on campus including the William Bucknell Society, the President's Association, the Ellen Clark Bertrand Society, and a Sponsor of the Weis Center. In addition, she keeps active with her various memberships in community organizations such as the Susquehanna Valley Branch of the Dean of Women, and she is a lifetime member of the Packwood Museum.

As a member serving on the board of the cancer society, she asked if students still smoked on campus, since she recalls that was the big thing to do when she was at Bucknell. One can say that some things never change, even after 66 years.



Graduation was no end for artist's Bucknell career

BY LAINA WILK
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Sitting in her Market Street studio with her glasses on top of her head, dressed in jeans and a turtleneck, Connie Timm '67 speaks with an air of casualness and sincerity - not the air one might expect from a graphic artist who owns her own design office, teaches at the college level, and whose work has earned regional and national awards. But Timm, graphic artist and lecturer of graphic art at Bucknell, is indeed sincere when it comes to her career and her "passion" for graphic art.

Timm remembers back in the 60s when she attended Bucknell, that women had to dress for dinner. She remarks, "you had to take off your shabby clothes and put on nice ones before eating." Bucknell's past restrictions applied to more than just dress codes. Timm wasn't allowed to major solely in art because she took classes in both art history and studio art. Back then, one could not combine the two. Therefore, she had to take her bachelor of arts in Art and English Literature.

After graduating from Bucknell, she continued her education in painting at The School of Visual Arts in New York City. Her marriage in the early 70s to Neil Anderson, professor of art at Bucknell, brought her back to Lewisburg. Soon after, she returned to New York City where

Graphic art is "interesting in that each project solves a problem. How you present it is the solution to that problem."

—Connie Timm '67

she worked as the art director for a Time-Life book series entitled *Wild World of Animals*.

Back in Lewisburg in the late 80s, she opened a design office which claimed such prestigious clients as Bucknell, Susquehanna, and Bloomsburg Universities as well as Dickinson College, Northern Central Bank, Evangelical Community Hospital, Playworld Systems and numerous others. Since then, she has held her own exhibitions and has earned awards of excellence from the

Communication Arts, AIGA Book Show, National Restaurant Association, Lindenmeyer Paper, and College Marketing Association. Today, she continues practicing graphic art at her studio, Karells and Timm, of which she is co-owner, and she teaches a course in graphic design here at Bucknell.

Although she talks about her many award-winning books in a matter-of-fact manner, she points out as if insignificant, "those are the books that I won awards for," as she begins discussing graphic art and, her voice intensifies and her passion for the subject becomes clear.

For Timm, graphic art is "interesting in that each project solves a problem. How you present it is the solution to that problem." She stresses that she and her associates are not marketing experts but rather they are artists who, with the help of the client, find the solution to suit the client's needs. To explain herself further, Timm cites the "granddaddy of American graphic art," Paul Rand, whose theory essentially states, "you have a client, a specified project and, you must collaborate with the client to provide the 'best solution for his purposes.'"

Timm applies this philosophy to her course at Bucknell, an entry level course entitled, "Graphic Design in Art" which was first offered in 1990. She describes the course as an introduction for art majors to graphic design which relates design principles to the rest of the art curriculum. Timm says the art department regards the class "as an extension of art training or an application of an art principle." She adds that it is important for students who take her course to have a liberal arts background because graphic art often "combines an image with language."

When asked if her future would lead to different forms of art, she smiles and considers, but her answer is ultimately, "no, design art is enough to make me happy. I may want to make art again but probably, it would be photography, not painting." She adds, "I enjoy working within a chosen set of possibilities. I don't want to have to choose from everything [as other artists must do]."

Such experience and talent is sure to rub off on the many Bucknellians who take this course from a woman with special ties not only to graphic art, but also to Bucknell.



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian

Although she graduated from Bucknell and moved to New York, eventually Connie Timm '67, a graphic artist, found herself back in Lewisburg. Today, she teaches an entry level course at Bucknell called "Graphic Design in Art," which serves as an introduction for art majors.

GALLERY

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Lori Woods—The Bucknellian

Although the Center Gallery has been without a director for a little over three years, Cindy Peltier, assistant to the director, has helped to keep the Gallery open and successful. James Turnure, acting director, has also played an important part in keeping the Center Gallery running while the long search for a director continues.

Since the last director, Robert Metzger, resigned a little more than three years ago, the Center Gallery has remained open and active through the efforts of Cindy Peltier, assistant to the director, and James Turnure, acting director and professor emeritus of art history.

Peltier has assumed the day-to-day duties of running the gallery, and said that although she is looking forward to having some new "to light the place up" the experience of running the gallery has been a "wonderful opportunity."

"We've gone on to do some very exciting shows," said Peltier. "It has been fun in some ways because I've been able to curate and design the shows, and do things that I probably wouldn't have been able to do otherwise."

Though attendance figures have actually increased, Peltier said that the Center Gallery hasn't "grown in a way that [she] would like it to grow" in the absence of an active director.

"We're not doing things, such

as fundraising, or building a 'Friends of the Gallery' group, where people interested in the visual arts could support the gallery financially, or by giving gifts of art" to the gallery, said Peltier.

Moohr said ideally, the committee is looking for a director who will follow in the footsteps of Joseph Jacobs, the first director of the gallery. Jacobs was able to "curate shows and produce catalogs that [were] good enough to travel to other museums," said Moohr.

"We'd like to have shows travel from museum to museum with our catalogs...so that the shows not only generate revenues from catalogs, plus the fee, but it also advances Bucknell's reputation, on other campuses and in other towns and cities, as a place of the visual arts," said Moohr.

The search continues, but Peltier remains confident that the committee will find someone that will "take the program and soar."

Weekly Crossword

"Over & Over Again" By Gerry Frey

ACROSS
1 Wing part
5 Don't fall into
10 Type of exam
14 Green fruit
15 Larva
16 Assert
17 Exaggerates
19 Mad fiddler
20 "Tin-Tin"
21 French river
22 Holy
23 Calculating snakes?
24 Vernal network
25 Exceeded the estimated cost
33 Church singers
36 S. A. mountain range
38 Former heavyweight champ
39 Possess
40 Actor's trophy
41 Ugly duckling?
42 Be indebted to
43 Not secret
44 Miss Q
45 Solve
46 Italian city
47 Jewish holiday
48 Thrilly scattered
51 Examined
52 Saw
53 Gift
59 Press org.
60 Idol
61 Book case courses
64 Machine gun
65 Scandinavian
66 Observed
67 Susan's nickname
68 Mr. John Jones of
69 Helper/Abbrev.

DOWN
1 Father's cousin
2 Enraged
3 Correct
4 For each
5 Van Gogh, eg.
6 Afternoon parties
7 Deserves
8 Consumed
9 Jewish holiday
10 Zodiac sign
11 Exceeded the bank balance
12 Simple
13 Push
18 More painful
23 Reverences
25 Pennsylvania port
27 Up to now? wds
29 Artists stand
31 Jai
32 Baseball team
33 En-lai
34 Actress Goldie
35 Gaius
37 Nat. Cash Register
40 Cooked too much
41 Takes to court

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A&E Calendar

Thursday, October 13
Movie: *Frankenstein*, and *Dracula*, 9 p.m., Bison

Friday, October 14
Hilltop Film Series: *Nostalgia*, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Comedians: Second City Comedy Troupe, 9 p.m., Weis Center
Cabaret: Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble, The Bison Chips, The Silhouettes, and "The River Rages" Barbershop Quartet, 10 p.m., Terrace Room, Langone Center

Saturday, October 15
Parade: The Roaring Twenties Homecoming Parade, 10:30 a.m., beginning on Market Street and proceeding through downtown Lewisburg
Luncheon: Chicken Barbecue Tailgate Luncheon, 1:30 p.m., Terrace Room, Langone Center

Sunday, October 16
Cap and Dagger Workshop: "Candicia," Gerard Stropnicki, BTE member, 5 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre

Monday, October 17
Japanese Film Series: *MacArthur's Children*, 7 p.m., Room 101B, Coleman Hall

Wednesday, October 19
Coffeehouse: 9 p.m., Bison

With everything being '20s this weekend, we thought we'd let you know exactly why that decade was so hip. Turn to page B4 and find out...

Returning the serve: student-athletes get organized

BY KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Mark Pyle '95, a member of the men's crew team and Laura Grossman '98, a part of the women's tennis team are forced to have extremely structured daily schedules in order to accomplish their goals at Bucknell.

Both Pyle and Grossman agree that one of the most important parts of being a student-athlete is efficient management of time so that the academic end of college does not suffer.

comes first and crew second, without question. He also gets feedback from the professors so he hears if we are doing poorly in our classes. As athletes, we get tutors for free, which is great."

There is also a program called the Academic Enhancement Program led by the women's tennis coach, Rose Ewan.

She described this program by saying, "If a student-athlete does not feel comfortable talking to their coach about academic problems, we serve as another avenue for them and show them

Concerning road trips and missing classes, Pyle stated, "As long as I told the professors in advance, they understood. I would always get a friend's notes and make up my work."

"I talked to professors on the first day of classes and told them that I might be missing classes some days for matches. I gave them a list of dates and they were pretty receptive. When I find myself falling behind, I go to the professor and get help," said Grossman.

When asked what the drawbacks to being an athlete were, both athletes responded with almost the same answer: less free time and a slightly dampened social life.

"Crew is very time consuming which makes it more difficult to budget your time. You also have to make more sacrifices, like you can't go home on the weekends. And your social life may suffer a little, like you can't go out some night if you have 5 a.m. practice the next morning or if you have a race that weekend," said Pyle.

Grossman says that the most difficult times of being an athlete are "when we are on the road and have late matches. It is difficult to do work when I get back because I am so tired and just want to go to bed. Also, I have met a lot of other freshmen that I haven't gotten to know that well because I am always on my way to class, the library, or practice. They have a little more free time to bond with each other."

Aside from all of the drawbacks, both Grossman and Pyle agree that the benefits unquestionably outweigh them.

Pyle said that, "I like the competition. I enjoy rowing. I like to stay in shape, and crew also helps me to get structured. I have also met a lot of new people and gained new friends. We have an excellent team camaraderie."

Grossman said that, "It is really fun having a small group of people that I got to know and hang out with, especially as a freshman. I got here early and met my teammates, and we have gotten really close. There is also a good feeling in being able to participate with a team and trying to win for the school."

Overall, when the stress gets to be too much, Grossman seems to have the perfect cure for it. "When I have a stressful day, I go out on the tennis court and take it out on the tennis ball, and it releases all of my stress."

Laura Grossman, '98, a member of the women's tennis team is living proof that athletics and academics are compatible.

"I try to make sure that my free time is structured. I also get out of my room and find a good place to study somewhere in the library," says Pyle.

"I make up a schedule and set aside certain hours when I must get my work done. I have to get it done during the day because I can't do it between matches when my mind is not all there. I think that when you sit down to do work, you should only be thinking about work," says Grossman.

The coaches aid their student-athletes by being very encouraging and understanding when it comes to academics.

"Coach [Rose Ewan] is great if I have to miss practice with anything relating to academics, and she always asks us how we are doing in our classes," says Grossman.

Pyle says that his coach, Jimmy King, is also very supportive.

"He always stresses that academ-

where else they can go on campus to get help."

The Academic Enhancement Program orients the first-year student-athletes with a handbook that contains a statement of student responsibility, the Laws of Success, numbers for different kinds of academic assistance available around campus, and a time management chart so that the student can make up his or her own schedule.

"If the student is struggling and needs help, we are there to guide them through it. We try to get the student comfortable with talking and working with professors and tutors if necessary, because the more self-sufficient they are now, the better they will be in the long run," said Ewan.

Along with coaches being receptive about their athlete being a student, professors have proven to be just as receptive about their students' being athletes.

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Breakfast at KDR then Shower, get books and head up to the library 8:00 Class
Class 11:00 Lunch, then study in the library
Lunch at KDR 1 p.m. Still studying in the library
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A day in the life of Laura Grossman

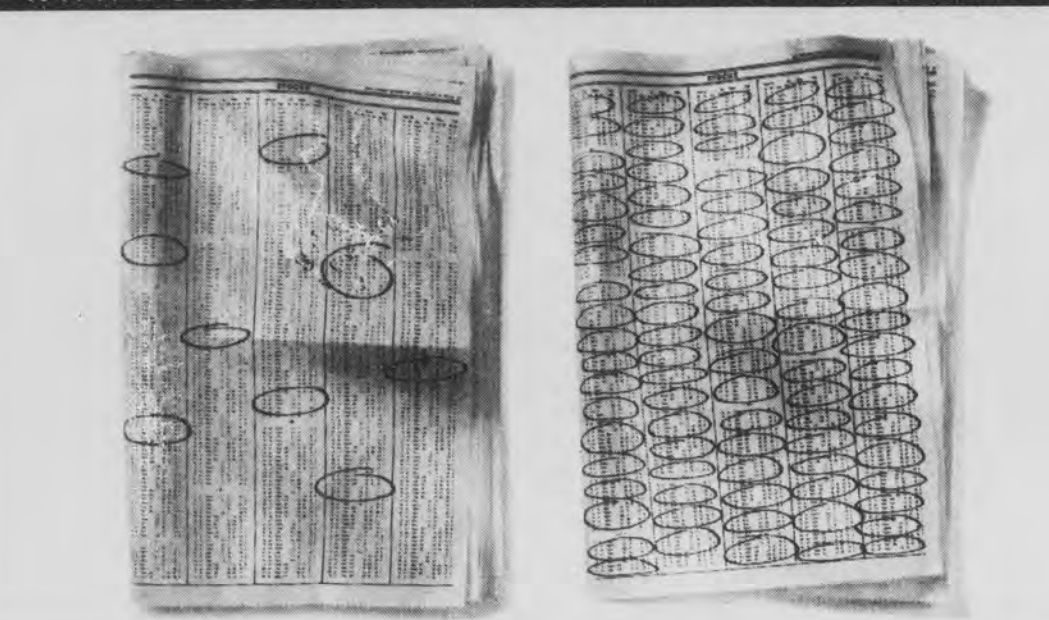
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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

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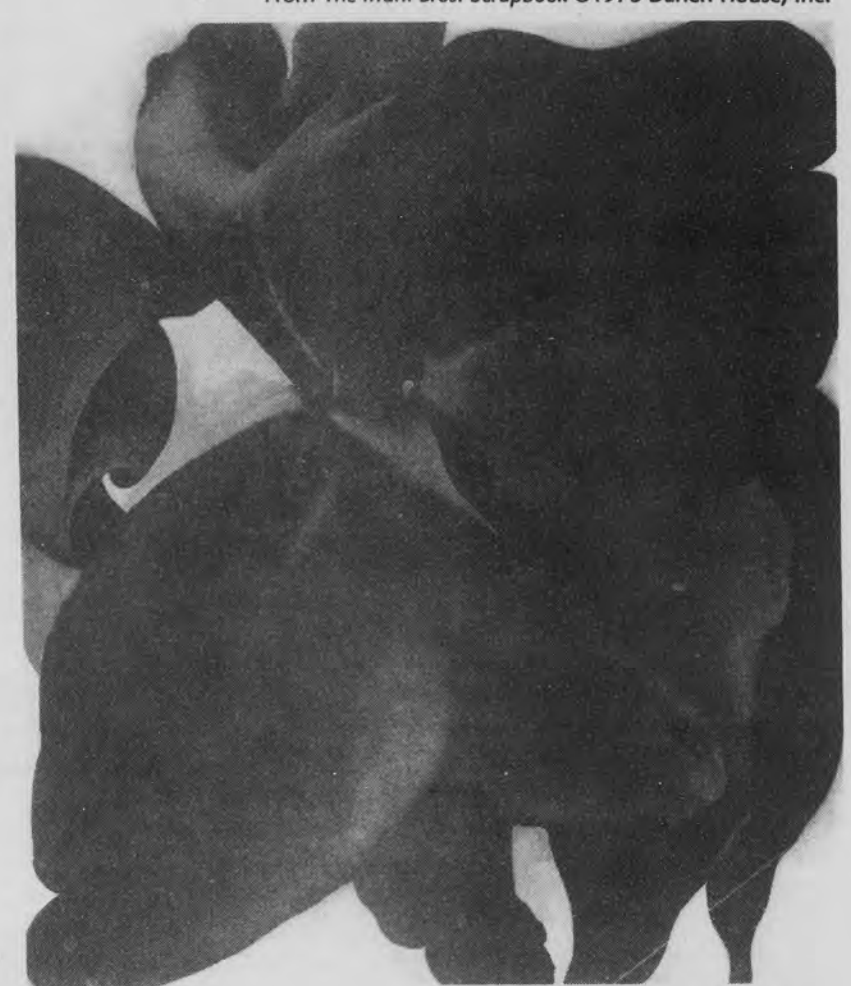
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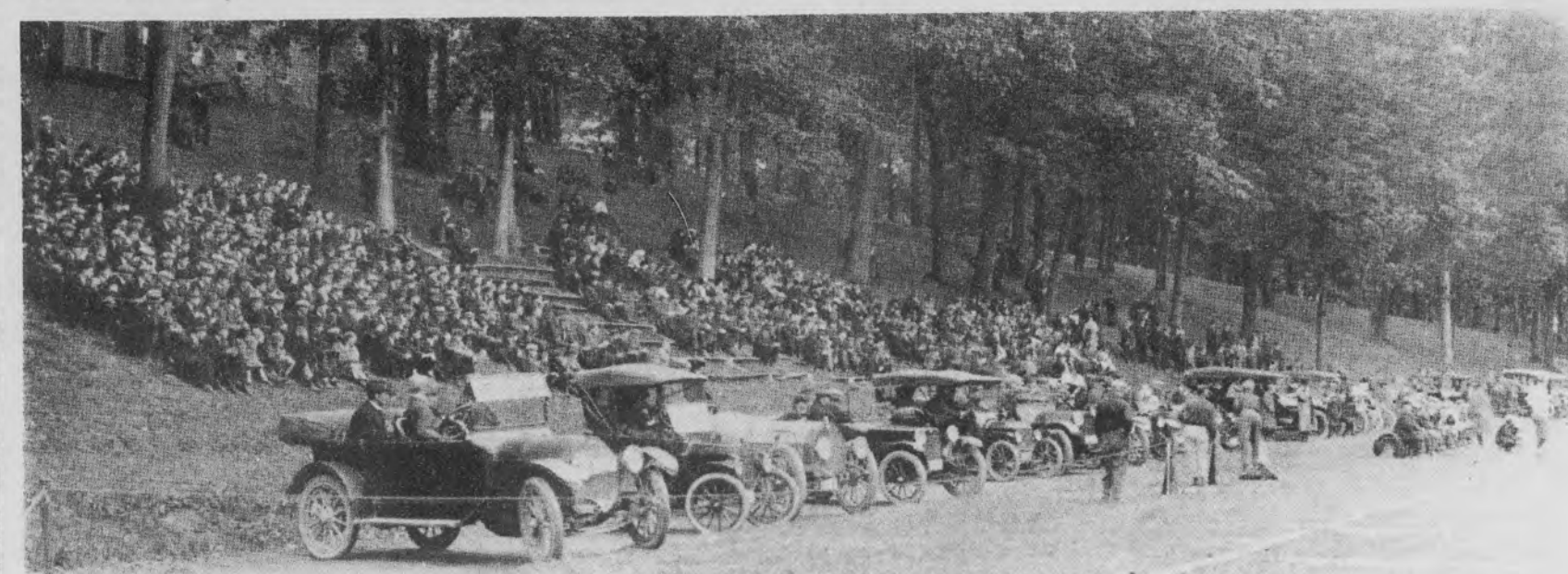
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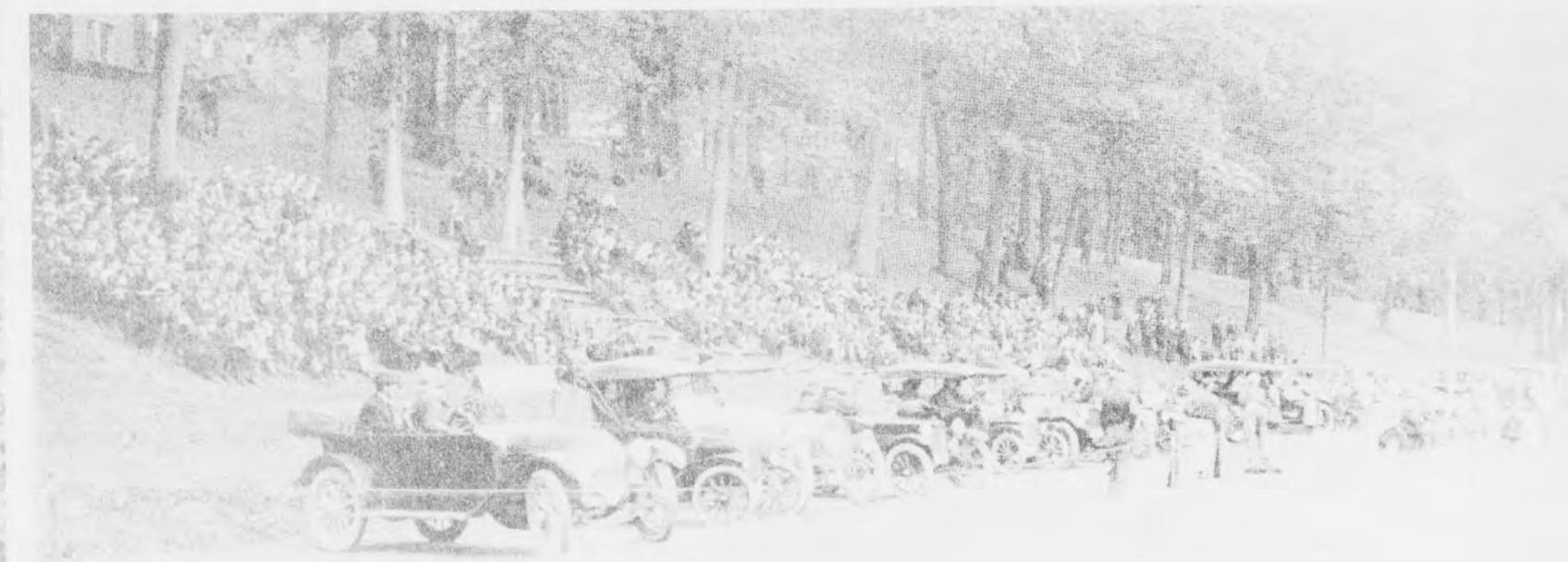
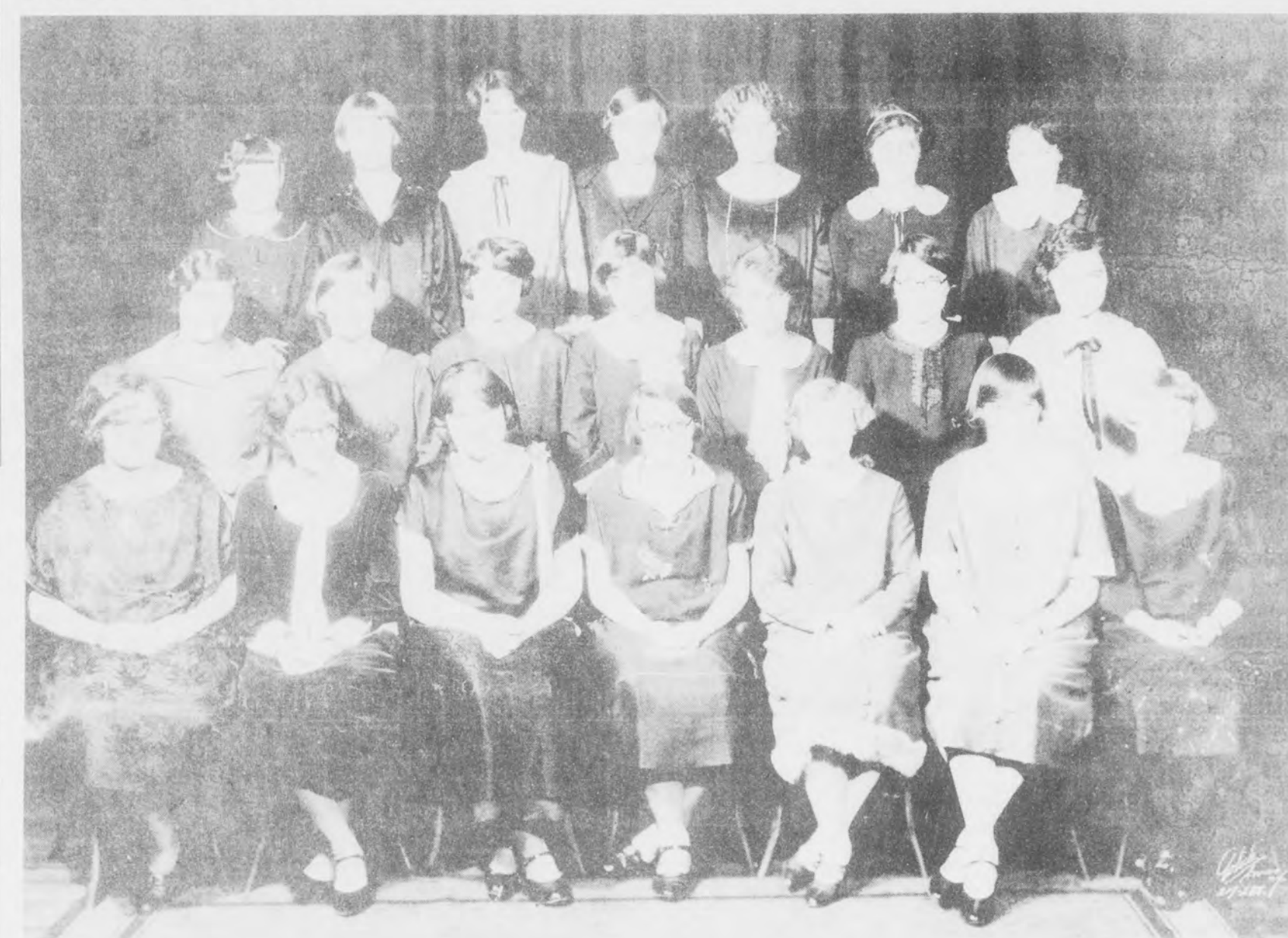
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Students explore alumni career experiences

BY CATHY BARTCH
AND ALISON LESLIE

You're a senior stepping out into the great unknown. Surrounded by strange people, wouldn't it be reassuring to see one familiar face?

"It's not what you know, but who you know" tends to be a re-



David DeVitry—The Bucknellian

Pam Kreiser of the Career Development Center encourages students to take the advice of alumni already in the work force.

dundant, but somewhat true philosophy. When seniors begin the job search, Bucknell sometimes combines the who and what by offering resources of alumni through the Career Development Center.

Often seniors who have the same goals as alumni can contact them through the Career Development Center. The Career Development Center aids seniors wading through job decisions. The various job search methods include networking, campus interviews, cold calls, want ads, former employees, and employment agencies.

Networking, which incorporates the help of alumni was reported as the most popular job search method for the class of 1993. Twenty-one percent utilized the skills and affiliations of the alumni.

Most people would presume that once one graduates from college the only memory and contact of it would be perhaps a yearbook and a few photos. Rather, Bucknell alumni prove that they are grateful for their four years spent at Bucknell. Having grown,

matured, and learned in the Bucknell community, they aim to disperse some of the wisdom and privileges they obtained as a result of being a student here. A majority of the fields represented by alumni lie in the engineering and business area, although any major can pursue alumni contacts. "Networking enables a student to learn about job possibilities quicker because people in the field become more aware of such opportunities," said Pam Kreiser of the Career Development Center.

One might think the only thing one needs to do to land a job after graduating from Bucknell is have an alumnus set up a job. This is not the case. Students taking advantage of the alumni contact programs are still required to attend interviews and prove themselves to their potential employer, even if the employer and job seeker were members of the same fraternity.

Perhaps if alumni can't offer jobs directly, they may participate in programs that target seniors who yearn to experience the lifestyle of their expected field. For

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the senior class, the day-timer spend a day working in their prospective field. For example, if a

student is studying law, he or she could spend the day in a law firm and learn the inside scoop of what puts a trial into action. Right now the program is restricted to seniors but Kreiser said, "We hope to expand the program to the whole student body once we are able to expand our sponsorship pool."

Alumni may also volunteer to serve as a Bucknell Alumni Career Consultants. As a consultant, the alumnus advises on different aspects of the employment spectrum. Sometimes alumni choose to deliver speeches to a group of students pursuing a specific job goal.

One way to meet alumni is to attend the Employer Expo where one can receive information about numerous areas of work. At the past Expo, 50-60% of the presenters were alumni.

With so many options available to the graduating senior, career choice is often a mind-boggling decision. Fortunately, there are various options that can be looked into; the Career Development Center being just one of them.

Celebration of true alumnus

BY LAURA PAYONZEK
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Harold Robert Stiefel, leaning against one of the parking meters in front of the Campus Theatre, smiling and often greeting moviegoers by name, was a familiar sight on Market Street before his death in May of 1988.

Stiefel, a native of the area, returned to Lewisburg after World War II to complete his education at Bucknell University. He played basketball with the Breakin' Bison and was a member of Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity. Following his graduation in the late forties, Stiefel began his career in the family business, the Campus Theatre.

Despite his business, he remained active in the community and Bucknell, acting as advisor to his fraternity for over forty years and serving on the Alumni Board.

His wife, Mrs. Jacqueline Stiefel, says, "The union between the town and Bucknell is very strong; it was easy for him to slip into being part of both worlds, and he did."

The Campus Theatre celebrates Stiefel's life and his contributions to the community with its Seventh Annual Charity Show this Wed., Oct. 19, with a presentation of Leonard Bernstein's *West Side Story*. Each year since the Charity Show's birth, a classic has been shown

and donations have been collected in Stiefel's memory. Past movies have included *The King and I*, *Gone With the Wind*, and *My Fair Lady*.

"We grew up with all these stories, and when they were converted into films, we were drawn to them," comments Mrs. Stiefel.

Each year, the evening's proceeds from ticket and concession sales are contributed to a good cause. Project Help, which includes the efforts of the Central Susquehanna Valley Intermediate Unit and the Evangelical Hospital, will receive the benefits from this year's event. Project Help strives to strengthen parent/child relationships and to financially and morally support area schools.

"Harold loved the way he lived, he loved children, and Bucknell and the town, and he loved giving back to all of them," said Mrs. Stiefel. "Harold Stiefel believed giving and doing for others, especially children, was an essential part of life," she continued, "and we continue this good feeling by creating and continuing the warm expression of our love."

Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at any shop or restaurant displaying a poster of the event. There will be an opening reception at 7 p.m. and the film begins at 8 p.m.

A needed change from building to playing

Christopher Para, professor of music, gives up success to focus on something more important

BY ARA METJIAN
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More often than not, students here at Bucknell rarely think about their professors after class has finished. Most students, and faculty even, would be amazed at the lives that some professors have led prior to arriving here on campus. In particular, Christopher Para, professor of music, has a remarkable tale. What makes the story of Para so extraordinary is not so much his tremendous teaching, performing, and conducting capabilities. Rather, it is his entire approach towards the history of music.

The story can begin with Para as an undergraduate at the Eastman School in Rochester, New York, where Para nurtured his love for the viola by conducting and performing. He realized that these two activities represented a love that he wanted to pursue for the rest of his life.

However, conducting and performing were not his sole activities while Para took music courses at Eastman. After receiving extensive training in restoring violins at *Bein and Fushi*, a major Chicago violin dealer, and diligently working under the tutelage of William Webster, Para brought this experience back to a shop which he owned and operated. He restored and sold many

priceless violins, and as his sterling reputation increased, his clientele blossomed. The many musicians that he has worked with include Henrik Scherring, the Paganini Stradivarius of the Cleveland Quartet, and of course, all the string players at Eastman.

Many of the violins that Para restored were owned by master violinists and are considered to be priceless. Many are also one of a kind, unique in their class. Values easily start at a half-million dollars and can go up to four or five million dollars. The process of healing a broken or damaged violin is extremely time-consuming and expensive. Such delicate operations include repairing the strings, adjusting the angle of the neck, or removing the impressions of hands or necks worn into the violin after years of use.

Up to sixty hours can be spent adjusting and fine-tuning these works of art, with an easy repair bill of two thousand dollars. Include the fact that few people possess the expertise necessary to renovate these violins, and the matter becomes more difficult.

However, the proficiency that Para gained as a master restorer of violins came at a price. Although the art provided a lucrative business, it threatened to envelope his life, and even more sinister, his music. As his reputation

He [Para] realized that these two activities [performing and conducting] represented a love that he wanted to pursue for the rest of his life.

as a skillful restorer traveled through the music world, the work that was generated gradually ate away at the time Para allotted for his own music. The more successful he was, the less time he had to devote to his music. The stress of dividing up his life between business and a love of performing music was difficult to reconcile.

Furthermore, it appears that in the highly rarefied world of master string musicians, a misconception occurs between the restorer and the performer. The greater the restorer's skill, the less is thought of his/her musical capabilities.

To Para, this represented an anathema. The most important part of his life is his music: teaching, conducting, and performing on the viola. He was denied opportunities to showcase his remarkable talents because it was assumed that he was not interested, merely because he restored violins. This was devastating.

Fortunately, about this crucial time, a position opened up at Bucknell for a visiting professor

of music. Para gladly took the opportunity, leaving his business behind to pursue his dreams. As luck would have it, Para was "seduced" by the campus, students, and especially the faculty, so he decided to remain on the academic track. Being a music professor allowed Para the opportunity to pursue his musical talents full time, instead of dividing time with his business. So, when the position became full-time, he gladly applied for the job.

The choice that Para made in turning away from his success and becoming a teacher was never about money. Instead, it represented a devotion to a lifestyle that overcame the need for material wealth. Para has even studied Anatomy to better understand the mechanics of the human body when playing a stringed instrument and the problems that result from years of playing. To teach here at Bucknell, to perform and conduct, provides a pleasure for Para that is unmatched, even by restoring violins.

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Dramatic talent to showcase on wings of *The Seagull*



Photo by Debra Cook

Larissa Grason '96, Alex Yastremski '96, and staff rehearse for a student production of *The Sea Gull* by Anton Chekov. The production dates for the play will be during Parents Weekend, Oct. 28 to the 31 at 8 p.m. in the University Theatre in Coleman Hall. For ticket information and sales, contact the Department of Theatre and Dance.

BULFAR: HERO OF THE 9th MOON #4

FLY BUSSLER

JUST IN CASE YOU'RE BORED A RUTH AND LUNAT' BEEN READING LARRY FOR THE LAST 3 WEEKS, HERE IS WHAT YOU'VE MISSED.

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OH, THEY ARE ALREADY TRYING, BUT I AM WELL PREPARED FOR THEM.

THEY ARE TRYING TO GET TO THE MYSTICAL HELL DRAGON, THEN THE PROPHECY OF BULFAR WILL COME TRUE!!!

ONCE THE 3 MOONS OF PELAGANT ALIEN AND YOU, THE SAVED VIRGIN OF ROYAL BIRTH ARE SIMULTANEOUSLY FED TO THE MYSTICAL HELL DRAGON, THEN THE PROPHECY OF BULFAR WILL COME TRUE!!!

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Memorial trees and gardens glorify campus

KELLY HORTON

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Majestic trees and gardens decorate the campus of Bucknell University. Many are memorials of some sort. It is easy to pass by the contributions to the campus without noticing or appreciating the beauty that the foliage provides. Each day students scurry to class or hustle in herds to the cafeteria not giving any attention to the memorials that make up this picture-perfect campus.

Blossoming in the autumn splendor, these memorials accent Bucknell's archaic atmosphere by adding depth to Bucknell's history and tradition. Whether they are trees or gardens, each knows its own anecdote, its gift to the historical mosaic of which every Bucknellian is a part.

Touring campus, one might find the John W. Tilton Garden which is dedicated to the memory of this former professor of English. Another garden exhibits the affection and respect of colleagues, faculty, and staff, for Marlin M. Bailey, director of administrative services from 1957 to 1980. Both of these are located outside the Vaughan Literature Building. Ivy crawls on the brick walls and descends into full-bloom gardens speckled by red, purple, yellow, and pink flowers. Moving on, one passes the courtyard between Olin Science and the Biology Building, which adds brilliance to the brick walkway it watches over. The courtyard is dedicated to Martha Vanlandingham and John L. Folk by their daughter

Barbara Folk Mynott '56 in appreciation of her Bucknell education. In front of Dana Engineering, a Sugar Maple tree in memory of Kevin Child, a hemophiliac AIDS victim who died from an AIDS-infected blood transfusion, stands to mark his presence on campus. This tree was dedicated to Kevin on October 29, 1989. Proceeding downhill, a pink dogwood was recently planted in front of the Elaine Langone Center, dedicated to Marcy Bzdak, a former Langone Center Operations Coordinator who died March 1, 1994 after living with cancer for three years.

Next to the student-created mud path and across from the Seventh Street Cafe grows the Walden Woods Red Maple that is a gift to the University from Ford Young and Betsey Kaestner, members of the Class of 1994.

The Tree of Peace by the fieldhouse is a traditional white pine tree that was presented to the Bucknell lacrosse community by the Iroquois Nationals on May 5, 1990. According to Sid Jamieson, Bucknell's men's lacrosse coach, "the creator sends messages to his people and those messages are carried by the bald eagle through the tree's branches. The tree's branches are the symbolic outreach of the Iroquois people, thus the tree and branches that you see are a symbol of friendship and peace."

All of these memorials serve to remind the Bucknell community about those who have at one time graced the University campus; but in addition, they provide delight to the eye.



Top right: The Bailey Garden located in the back of the Vaughan Literature building beautifies the campus while serving to exhibit the affection and respect of colleagues and faculty for Marlin M. Bailey, a past director of administrative services.

Left: The Tree of Peace, a traditional white pine, was presented to the Bucknell lacrosse community by the Iroquois Nationals in 1990.

Right: This newly planted Walden Woods Red Maple was a gift to Bucknell University from Ford Young and Betsey Kaestner, members of the class of 1994.

*All photos by Susan Naughton—
The Bucknellian*



Bottom left: This thriving Sugar Maple tree in front of the Dana Engineering building was dedicated in 1989 to Kevin Child, a hemophiliac who died from an AIDS-infected blood transfusion.

Bottom right: This beautiful courtyard complete with park benches was dedicated to Martha Vanlandingham and John L. Folk by their daughter Barbara Folk Mynott '56 in appreciation of her Bucknell education.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Variable clouds. Low in the upper 40s.
 Friday—Mostly cloudy. High in the upper 50s.
 Saturday—Variable clouds in the northeast. Partly cloudy elsewhere. Morning lows in the low to mid 40s. Highs from the upper 50s to mid 60s.
 Sunday—Partly cloudy. Highs from the mid 50s to mid 60s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Men's water polo suspended; coach resigns

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell suspended the men's water polo program yesterday, pending a complete evaluation of the program, announced Rick Hartzell, director of athletics.

Due to problems with what Hartzell referred to as hazing, and "continuing activities by members of the water polo team that were disrespectful and condescending to other members of the team," the University cancelled the remainder of the 1994 water polo season. Hartzell did not specify the actions in which the team members had been engaging.

Saying that the University had

"Huckins chose to resign on his own after several difficult and very pointed conversations with me."

—Rick Hartzell,
 director of athletics

warned the team members repeatedly about the kinds of behavior that would not be tolerated and what the consequences would be for them, Hartzell said that the team members "simply would not comply."

Although many team members who were contacted for this story refused to comment about their actions, or how they felt about the University's decision to suspend the program, an upper-class player who had quit the team in the past few weeks said that the only reason that the University decided to suspend the program was because it had "taken a different view in the last year concerning hazing."

Also, Alan Huckins, water polo coach resigned his position yesterday. Huckins was in his second year of coaching the program.

"Huckins chose to resign on his own after several difficult and very pointed conversations with me," Hartzell said. He added that he was very troubled and concerned that Huckins had not put a

stop to these activities that were "clearly improper."

Saying that Huckins had experienced difficulty stopping the team members' actions, Hartzell attributed some of the difficulty to Huckins' status as a "young coach finding his way. But above all, I hold the students accountable because they chose to act in this manner." Huckins could not be reached for comment.

One first-year man who wished to remain anonymous said that he had quit the team after several weeks of practice because of what he called "hazing." He said that the attitudes of the upperclass players had made him very uncomfortable.

"They started hazing us after the first few days. I lied to the coach and told him that I needed to quit because of grades, but I really quit because I was getting no respect as a water polo player. I think the coach did know about what was going on, but I think he was a little caught up in the mindset that it was an okay thing to do," he said.

Hartzell also said that he has discussed the team's situation with parents of first-year students as well as upperclassmen. "I talked with at least six or seven parents who were concerned about what was happening with the team," he said.

At this time, Bucknell is investigating the situation and is "awaiting the final results," said Richard Chapman, dean of students. Chapman said that he was unsure about what disciplinary actions, if any, the University would take against the students involved. Hartzell said that if the deans decide to pursue disciplinary actions, he will support their decision.

After evaluating the situation, the University will then decide whether or not to reinstate the program. "We will not reinstate water polo until we are 100 percent sure that the activities in question are behind us," Hartzell said.

The team had a 7-10 record and was scheduled to host the Eastern Water Polo Association Southern Section Championships in Freas-Rooke Rool Oct. 29-30. The tournament will be moved to either Princeton or Navy.

Fatal collision on Route 15 and Smoketown Road

Auto accident claims sophomore's life; other driver still in serious condition

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

An automobile accident in the intersection of Route 15 and Smoketown Road Tuesday night at 9 p.m. claimed the life of Michael Mullins '97 and left a Milton woman critically injured.

According to authorities, Nicole Reitenbach of Front Street was driving a Jeep Wrangler south on Route 15 when she failed to stop for a red traffic signal. She broadsided Mullins' vehicle traveling east on Smoketown Road.

Both drivers had to be extricated from the vehicles.

Mullins, of Wayne, N.J., was pronounced dead at the scene by doctors from Geisinger Hospital's Lifeflight. Reitenbach was transported via Lifeflight to Geisinger. Admitted in "critical" condition, Reitenbach was listed as being in "serious" condition last night by an administrative supervisor at the hospital.

East Buffalo Township Police investigated the accident. In addition to Lifeflight, Lewisburg Police, Bucknell Department of Public Safety, the William Cameron Engine Co., and paramedics from Evangelical Hospital assisted at the scene.

Flags on campus were flown at half-mast yesterday for Mullins and copies of his favorite poem, "Fiddlers' Green," posted by his friends, dotted the campus and on Rt. 15 near the scene.

Mullins was a 19-year old accounting major, a ROTC cadet, and a pledge at Kappa Sigma fraternity.

According to sources, he planned to pursue a career in the military and was especially interested in the Armored Cavalry Scout program. He belonged to the elite Ranger Challenge team and had recently received an Army ROTC Scholarship.

One junior woman who had participated in ROTC with Mullins said, "The biggest thing about Mike was that he brought sunshine into everyone's life. He was always so up."

Mullins loved ROTC. "Everything in his life was dedicated to it. All he ever wanted to do was be in the army. He even went to basic training camp the summer before his freshman year at Bucknell. We'll really miss him. He had a heart of gold."

Although Mullins' mother has requested that Bucknell students not attend the funeral, a special

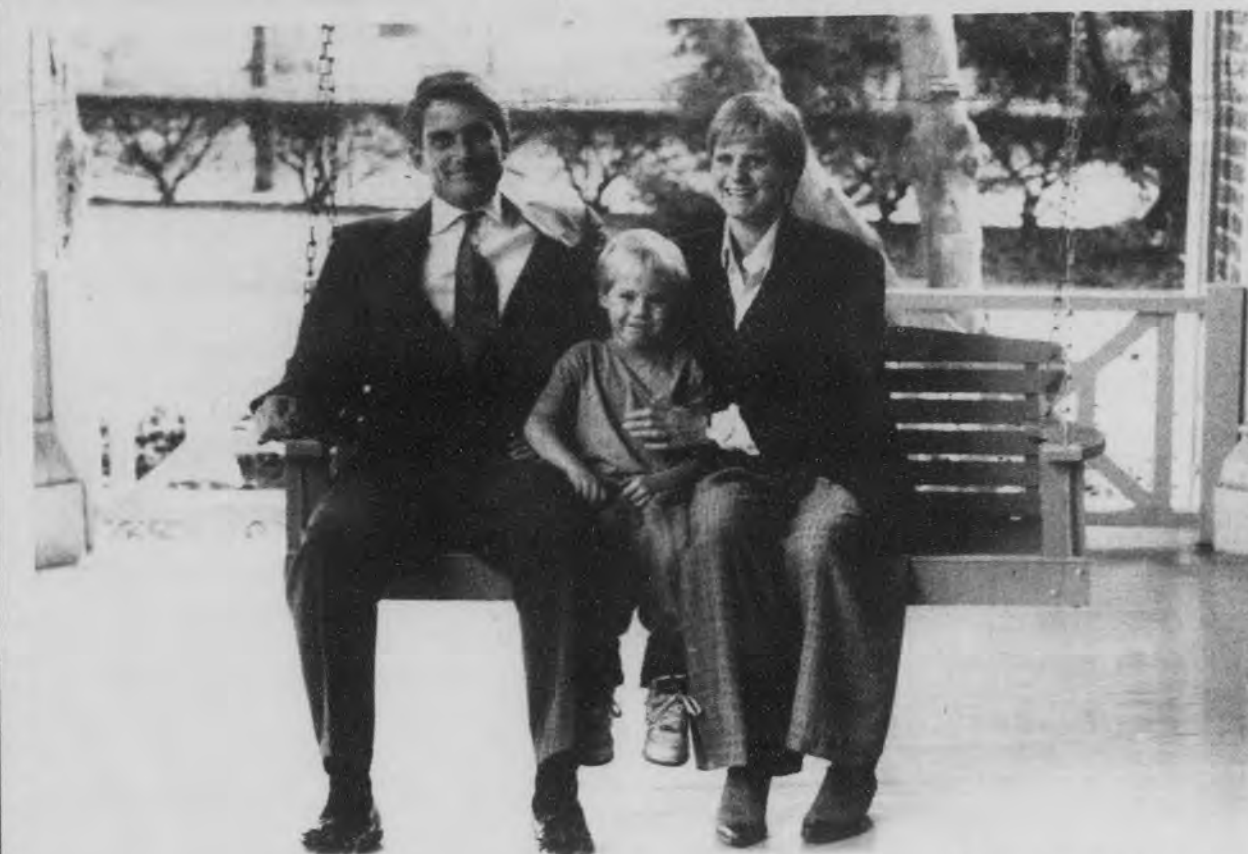
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Dave Maher—The Bucknellian

The accident scene last Tuesday night on Route 15.

Presidential candidate visits campus



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Presidential candidate William "Bro" Adams, his son, Sean, and his wife, Cathy Bruce, during their visit to campus this Tuesday. Adams is one of three candidates vying for the position.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 William Adams serves as vice president and secretary at Wesleyan University.

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS AND
 COLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writers

He answered the \$10 million question without so much as a second thought.

Given \$10 million on the day of his installation as president, William "Bro" Adams, the first of three presidential candidates to visit campus, would put the money into a financial aid endowment, a move he thinks is "critical to admissions and creating a competitive admissions profile."

After months of searching and dealing with campus concerns on the 'closed-door' search, the Presidential Search Committee introduced Adams to the campus on Monday and Tuesday. In an open and crowded forum on Tuesday, Adams fielded questions from faculty and students eager to determine what type of candidates the closed search yielded.

Expressing a firm belief in the social and political impacts of a liberal arts institution, Adams said that his motivation behind applying for the presidential position was his devotion to the genius and promise embodied in a liberal arts education.

"My way of being engaged in the future of liberal arts institutions is by aspiring to lead one of them," Adams said.

Adams also discussed his feelings on the role of the teacher/scholar at a school such as Bucknell, saying it was his belief that a "good teacher and scholar are mu-

tually reinforcing and required" for a solid liberal arts education.

When asked about the two vice-presidents position that will be filled by the incoming president, Adams said the openings would be "very much on [his] mind, very early on" and that he would "fill them very quickly" after consulting with the faculty.

Asserting that the faculty would be his main constituents, Adams said that faculty are "at the

Curriculum vitae

William D. "Bro" Adams

William Adams is vice president and secretary at Wesleyan University in Connecticut.

His responsibilities include computing and information technology, long-range institutional planning, Wesleyan University Press, physical education and athletics, community relations, and institutional research, among others.

A 1972 graduate of The Colorado College, Adams received his Ph.D. from the University of California, Santa Cruz, in the History of Consciousness Program, and interdisciplinary program in the humanities and social sciences. His studies focused on political and social theory, and he wrote a dissertation on the social and political philosophy of the French philosopher Maurice Merleau-Ponty.

Dr. Adams taught at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, the University of Santa Clara, and Stanford University before going to Wesleyan University in 1988 as Executive Assistant to the President.

heart of the institution" and students are "the reason we exist here together. He also noted that the

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The pumpkins are coming



Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

Painted pumpkins pervaded Basily's Pumpkin Patch, located on Route 15 North, this week.

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 The brothers of Delta Upsilon on their float to commemorate the 1920s during the parade on Homecoming Weekend.

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board of trustees and alumni were high on his list of constituents, as well.

Though unfamiliar with the details on Bucknell's Greek system and co-curricular activities, Adams acknowledged the importance of both programs. Adams said that learning experiences outside the classroom are "terribly important" but that "at the very heart of the institution and student experience is the intellectual encounter."

Eric Lakus, news editor for the *Wesleyan Argus*, the student newspaper at Wesleyan, described Adams as a "behind the scenes player" who dealt more with the administration than with students.

Jim Bacchus, the second presidential candidate, will be on campus today. An open forum is scheduled for 4:30 p.m. in the Langone Center.

Peter Berek, the last candidate to visit campus, will be at Bucknell next week. His introduction and question forum will be announced early in the week.

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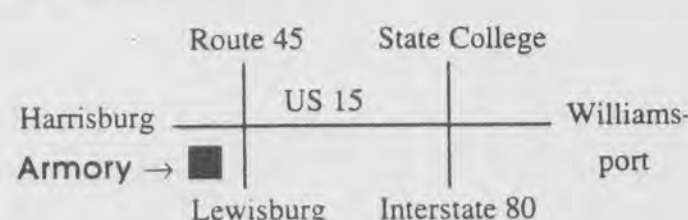
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Two other presidential candidates

Jim Bacchus

Congressman Jim Bacchus serves in the U.S. House of Representatives, representing the 15th District of Florida. First elected in 1990 and reelected in 1992, last spring he announced that he would not seek reelection this fall.

Government service has included being spokesman, speechwriter, and legislative strategist for Florida Governor Reubin Askew, and in 1979-81, Special Assistant to the United States Trade Representative, Executive Office of the President, where he negotiated and coordinated international trade agreements for the United States government. From 1984-1990 he was an attorney and partner in the law firm Akerman, Senterfitt & Edison, in Orlando, Fla.

Bacchus is a 1971 graduate of Vanderbilt University, received his M.A. in history from Yale University, and a J.D. from Florida State University College of Law where he was Editor-in-Chief of the *Law Review*. Currently, he teaches political philosophy in the Department of Politics at Rollins College.

Peter Berek

Peter Berek is Dean of the Faculty and Provost, and Professor of English, at Mount Holyoke College where his responsibilities include all academic departments and programs, admissions, the library, computing and information services, all student advising and residential life, and physical education and intercollegiate athletics.

Prior to going to Mount Holyoke in 1990, he served as Dean of the College, 1975-78, and Special Assistant to the President, 1987-90, at Williams College, where he was also Professor of English and Morris Professor of Rhetoric. Dr. Berek is a 1961 graduate of Amherst College and received his M.A. and Ph.D. from Harvard University.

Corrections

Christine Sterner Moyer's name was mistakenly printed Christine Sternum Moyer. Also, the article stated that she was a member of the Susquehanna Valley Branch of the Dean of Women. Instead, it should have read that Moyer is a charter and life member of the Susquehanna Valley Branch of the American Association of University Women.

Pam Keiser's name was printed Pam Kreiser. Pam Keiser is the associate director of the Career Development Center. Also, her photo was switched with Connie Timm's.

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Wednesday, October 12

At 10:46 p.m., an employee requested transportation to the Evangelical emergency room for an eye injury. Student Health Services (SHS) driver was paged and transported the victim for treatment.

Thursday, October 13

A resident of Bucknell West reported that his bike had been stolen sometime during the early evening hours of Sept. 12. Value of missing property—\$500.

Friday, October 14

Officers were dispatched at 3:34 p.m., to Moore Avenue in front of Davis Gym for a reported two vehicle accident. Both operators of the vehicles were students. There were no reported injuries.

At 5:07 p.m., officers were dispatched to the LC loading dock area for a reported injured person. On arrival it was determined that an ambulance was needed. Injured victim was transported to Evangelical emergency room for evaluation and treatment.

Unknown person(s) did discharge fire extinguishers at the following locations and times for no apparent reason or legitimate purpose. Rear of Harris Hall at 11:17 p.m., rear of Smith Hall, West wing at 11:32 p.m., Roberts Hall Fourth East at 11:47 p.m., causing the fire alarm system to activate.

Saturday, October 15

Officers responded at 12:25 p.m., to the Rugby field at Bucknell West for a reported student in need of medical assistance. Victim was transported to the Evangelical emergency room by ambulance for treatment.

At 1:15 p.m., officers identified an individual who had been tampering with a physical plant vehicle at the Swartz Field tailgate area. Charges pending.

At approximately 9:30 p.m., while conducting a party check at TKE, officers did observe a juvenile to be in possession of a can of beer. Individual was identified and charged appropriately by East Buffalo Police Department. The individual was a visitor to the house.

Sunday, October 16

Officers were dispatched at 1:34 a.m., to Chi Phi for a reported injured student. On arrival officers found that the victim was already being transported to the emergency room by private vehicle. Injury to the student was accidental.

At 2:38 a.m., officers observed a vehicle fail to stop at the posted stop sign at the intersection of Seventh & Moore Avenue. The vehicle was pulled over by officers, and it was then determined that the operator was under the influence of alcohol. An officer parked the operator's car and he was then transported to his residence. Charges pending.

Monday, October 17

An employee reported observing that the bulletin board located outside Music and Arts had been damaged. Unknown person(s) did ignite various papers which were posted on the bulletin board. It is unknown when this act occurred.

Tuesday, October 18

At one a.m., officers were dispatched to Swartz Hall laundry room for an individual that had been electrically shocked. On arrival the victim stated that when he flicked a light switch on in the room, sparks flew and the shock knocked him to the floor. Victim declined medical treatment. A physical plant electrician was contacted and responded to campus to correct the problem.

A student reported that unknown person(s) did cut the television cable in the Pi Beta Phi suite in Hunt Hall. Damage estimate unavailable at this time.

At 7:38 a.m., officers responded to Seventh & Moore Avenue, for a reported disturbance. There was an argument between three males concerning the ownership of a vehicle. An agreement was reached, and there were no criminal charges relative to this incident. Lewisburg Police Department also on the scene.

A staff member of the athletic department reported that between Oct. 16 and Oct. 17, unknown person(s) did remove the golf cart used by the football team. Upon its return it was found to have been spray painted.

At 2:46 p.m., officers were dispatched to Vedder Third West for a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival they found that person(s) unknown did activate a pull station for no apparent reason. Pull station was damaged and had to be replaced by a physical plant electronic technician.

At 9:04 p.m., officers were dispatched to Route 15 and Smoketown Road for a reported vehicle accident. A student died of injuries sustained in the accident. The accident is being investigated by East Buffalo Police Department. William Cameron Fire Company, Medic-60, and Geisinger Life Flight personnel were all on the scene.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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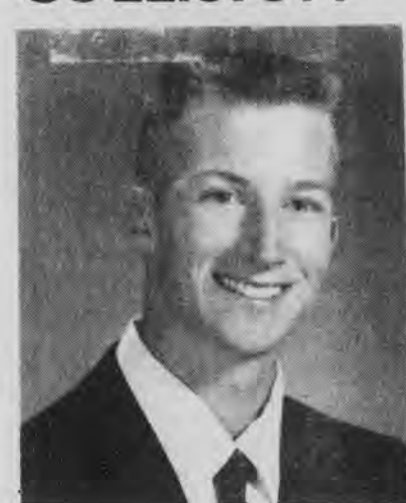


Photo courtesy of the office of the Dean of Students
Michael Mullins '97.

service will be held for him at Our Lady of the Valley Church in Wayne, N.J. The ROTC office is helping arrange transportation for those who wish to attend.

On Sunday, October 23, the regular Catholic Mass at 4 p.m., which is held at Rooke Chapel, will be a memorial for Mullins. All are invited to attend the Mass, led by Father Jack Kelly.

Finally, on Thursday, October 27, the University will hold a memorial service for Mullins in Rooke Chapel, beginning at 8 p.m. A candlelight service on the Academic Quad at 10 p.m. will follow.

In lieu of flowers, Mullins' family has requested that donations be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation or to any other charity.

Mullins is survived by his mother, Jeanine Coleman Mullins and two sisters. His father, Michael Andrew Mullins, is deceased.

The brothers of Kappa Sigma will publish a memorial page for Micheal Mullins next week in The Bucknellian.

Fiddler's Green

Halfway down the trail to Hell,
In a shady meadow green,
Are the souls of all dead troopers camped
Near a good old-time canteen,
And this eternal resting place
Is known as Fiddler's Green.

Marching past, straight through to Hell,
The infantry are seen,
Accompanied by the Engineers,
Artillery and Marine,
For none but the shades of Cavalrymen
Dismount at Fiddler's Green.

Though some go curving down the trail
To seek a warmer scene,
No trooper ever gets to Hell
Ere he's emptied his canteen,
And so rides back to drink again
With friends at Fiddler's Green.

And so when man and horse go down
Beneath a saber keen,
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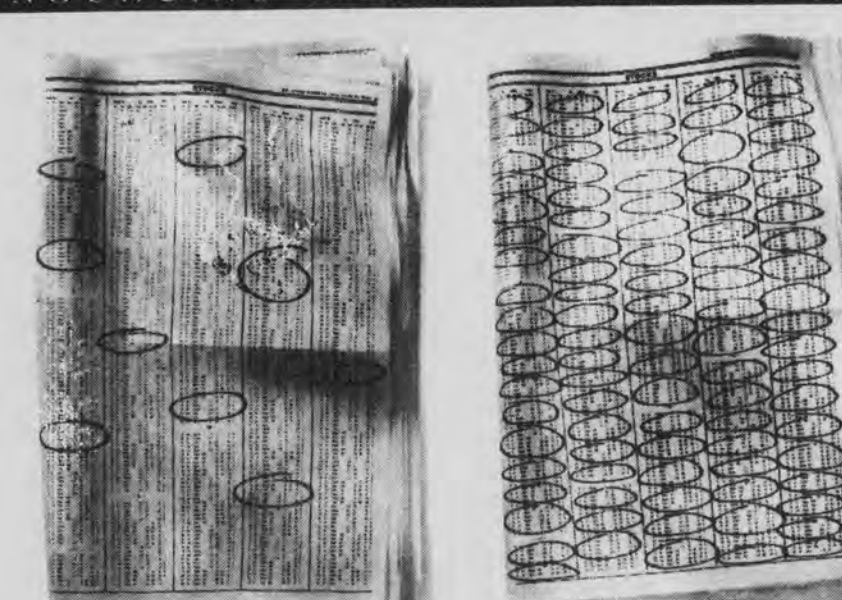
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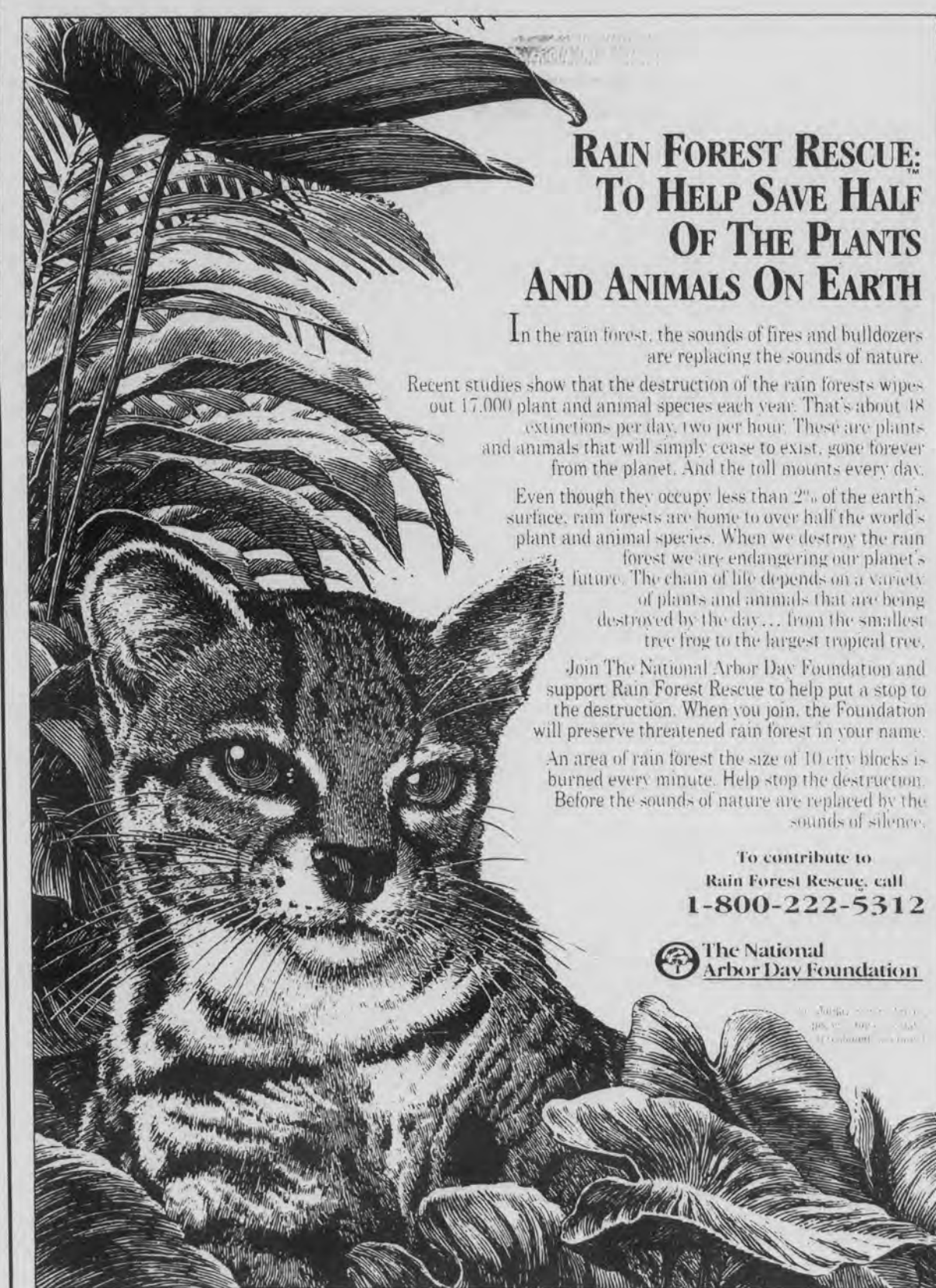
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Homecoming—Football, floats, and fun

Clockwise from right: L-R: Edward Burman '96, John Caldwell '95, and Jeremy Patty '95 at the Cornell game last Saturday.

The sisters of Delta Gamma on their homecoming float during the parade.

Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and Phi Kappa Psi fraternity used a baseball theme to capture the spirit of the 1920s.

All photos by Susan Naughton.



DRC: More student input for faculty evaluations

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Faculty Department Review Committee (DRC) recently made a recommendation that departments devise methods to involve students in the DRC evaluation of teaching beyond written course evaluations.

At the last faculty meeting, Jeffrey Evans, associate professor of civil engineering and a member of the DRC, suggested that three options for more student involvement might include the presentation of an evaluative report by a Student Review Committee constituted by the DRC, systematic interviews of students, or letters systematically solicited from alumni.

Evans stated that the reason for this proposal is because some professors hand out evaluations to students without telling them precisely how the evaluations will be used. For example, they are used

by administrators to determine if faculty members are suitable for tenure and other review guidelines.

Saying that the DRC feels that there is a need for further student input, Evans noted that giving an evaluation to students who don't understand their purpose may be an insufficient way to involve students.

Also, Evans said, a faculty review might be more effective if a student committee was to review all the course evaluations, assess the situation, and then render an opinion. "Having a committee might be better than getting 50 different viewpoints on a question," he said.

"The students are the ones who we're teaching, Evans said. They certainly have a sense about the faculty. They know who are quality teachers and who are not quality teachers."

When the DRC gave their recommendation to the faculty,

however, Maurice Aburdene, chair of the electrical engineering department, expressed concern that this might increase the level of apprehension among the newer faculty due to concerns about receiving tenure.

In an interview, Evans responded by saying that any change to the status quo will result in a fair amount of apprehension on the part of the untenured faculty. "But if he or she is a good faculty member, then a better evaluation process will provide a better chance for that faculty member to be recognized," he said.

"At the same time, it may become more obvious, with a better evaluation process, that a candidate is marginal or of a lower quality. The better the evaluation process, the more likely the department is going to be able to get at the truth in evaluating the quality of its teaching candidates," Evans



David de Vitry—The Bucknellian
Jeffrey Evans, associate professor of engineering and a member of the DRC.

Any recommendations for reviews must be revised and approved by the May 1, 1995 deadline if they are to be implemented during the fall semester of 1995.

News Briefs

Off Campus

Lift Bosnian embargo

The Clinton Administration is trying again to lift an international arms embargo against Bosnia.

White House spokeswoman, Dee Dee Myers, says consultations are under way at the United Nations for ending the embargo in six months. The key will be getting France, Britain and Russia to go along.

France and Britain have peacekeepers in Bosnia. They threatened to withdraw them if arms sales resume to the Muslim-led government. Russia is a long-time ally of Bosnia's Serbs, who've been fighting the Muslims.

Myers says President Clinton would like lifting the embargo on Bosnia's government to be a multi-national move, but she says he will consider acting alone if necessary.

—Associated Press

Hamas blamed for bus attack

P.L.O. Chief Yasser Arafat is offering to help to find those behind yesterday's deadly bombing in Tel Aviv, Israel.

An Israeli official says Arafat made the offer in a call to foreign minister Shimon Peres.

The Palestinian leader has condemned the bus attack that has killed 22 people and wounded dozens.

The Muslim militant group Hamas has claimed responsibility for the bombing, and it promises more violence is coming.

Arafat says the only response to such extreme action is to stay the course toward peace.

At the same time, a top adviser to Arafat says Palestinian officials must not be held responsible for the attack. He notes it happened to Israel and that the attackers probably didn't come from Gaza.

—Associated Press

Plea for O.J.'s release on bail

An attorney for O.J. Simpson is asking a judge to release the double-murder defendant on bail and delay his trial for a year.

Attorney Johnnie Cochran cites intense pretrial publicity in seeking the delay.

Cochran says Simpson would turn over his passport if bail was granted. It was on the day charges were filed that Simpson fled police in a long chase along the L.A. area freeways. The pursuit was telecast live around the world.

Prosecutor Marsha Clark argued against the motion. She warned that Simpson could flee and, in her words, "if he is not here there is no trial."

Yet defense lawyer Robert Shapiro argued that to punish Simpson by keeping him jailed so he can eventually get a fair trial is cruel and unusual punishment.

—Associated Press

U.S. agreement criticized

Leading Republicans are criticizing a new U.S. agreement with North Korea.

Under the deal, the Clinton Administration says North Korea will eliminate its disputed nuclear facilities within ten years.

In return, the U.S. and its allies will give the communist state two new reactors with a lower bomb-making potential, and the U.S. has agreed to defer some inspections of North Korean facilities.

Senate Republican leader Bob Dole says the accord shows it's always possible to get a deal when, in his words, "you give enough away."

Virginia Senator John Warner says it sounds like a reward for North Korea, even though that country had refused to allow required nuclear inspection.

Warner is ranking republican on the senate armed services committee.

—Associated Press

On Campus

USA Today offers scholarship

USA Today, along with several national educational groups, has invited the University faculty to nominate students for selection for an "All USA Academic Team." Twenty students will be selected for the first team and will receive \$2500 in cash prizes. Forty additional students will be selected as team members. All sixty students will be featured in the February 3, 1995 edition of USA Today.

The program is designed to recognize students who excel in scholarship and leadership roles both on and off campus. Team members are selected based on the student's academic standing, faculty recommendations, and evidence of academic talent, leadership, and creativity.

Bucknell may nominate as many students as there are faculty members and Deans willing to endorse.

Further information and nomination forms may be obtained from the Office of the Dean in either college. In Arts and Sciences, contact Robert Midkiff. In Engineering, contact Trudy Cunningham.

Power shortage due to explosion

Wednesday morning at approximately 4:30 a.m., a large explosion occurred, causing a power shortage throughout the campus. The explosion, which was strong enough to blow off the lid of a manhole, took place on Seventh street between the Carnegie and Computer Center buildings.

Mike Noll, manager of energy utility, explained the cause of the power shortage saying, "one of connectors of a high voltage cable in a manhole shorted or faulted out." The physical plant's powerhouse, which is the power sub-station for the entire university has experienced such power shortages, "about once or twice every two years," stated Noll.

Citizen's Electric, which is the distributor of Bucknell's electricity, "has a recloser which, detecting a short, opens up and closes and defers the voltage to a safe position," said Noll. With such a protective system, the power shortage initially affected many of the campus buildings. With the help of Physical Plant personnel, all power was restored by 12:43 p.m.

News Briefs compiled by Karen Waters

National Endowment of Humanities chair named

Harold Schweizer, associate professor of English recognized by humanities dept.

BY SARA ALLEN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The English department has awarded Harold Schweizer, associate professor of English, with Bucknell's National Endowment of Humanities (NEH), a chair given in recognition of excellence in teaching, research, and innovations in curriculum.

Bucknell awards the NEH chair once every four years to an associate professor in one of Bucknell's humanities departments, with the most recent recipient being Richard Flemming in the philosophy department. According to Michael Payne, professor of English, Schweizer is more than deserving of such a prestigious honor.

"Two exceptional things that Harold has accomplished come to mind—one being the director for seven years of a prestigious program in literary theory here at Bucknell, and the other having finished his manuscript on the nature of suffering. Both are quite important accomplishments."

The program in literary theory was a product of a large grant from the Mellon foundation that lasted from 1987-1993, where Schweizer served as director, discussion leader, and general organizer of the seminars given by the visiting poets and philosophers.

Schweizer is looking to publish his virtually completed manuscript entitled "Suffering and the remedy of art." He and Payne have co-authored more than a dozen volumes of books which contain the critical contributions made during these lectures and discussions, as well as the lectures themselves.

Although co-authored books like Peter Brooks: *Psychoanalysis and Storytelling* appear in the University bookstore, Schweizer has now moved into a new era of research, looking into the problematic effects of suffering in literary terms.

"Certainly, art has mysterious relations with suffering," Schweizer said.

"I have tremendous respect for him and his works," Payne said. Whether it be the series of books put out earlier or other published poems that this poet has been known to produce, Schweizer is always able to evoke a "powerful emotional impact on the reader," Payne said. "This infusion of passion is especially seen in his newest manuscript."

Schweizer has already started lecturing on his new book, that he read while on sabbatical in Austria.

Schweizer will give his acceptance speech for the NEH chair on Nov. 6.



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Harold Schweizer was recognized for excellence in teaching, research, and innovation in curriculum.

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EDITORIAL

Hazing problems require student solutions

The announcement of Coach Huckins' resignation and the closure of the varsity water polo team surprised few who were familiar with the history of problems the program had with hazing. In spite of numerous warnings, the team members continued hazing new members, and now, the closure has put an end to the problem. And the water polo team.

Hazing standards are ambiguous, with students limiting ideas of hazing to being forced into doing something humiliating or life threatening, and the University broadening hazing to anything threatening one's mental health. Though discrepancies exist between how a student and the University might define hazing, vague definitions are hardly to blame for the problem. The incident this week illustrates the real problems that have perpetuated hazing, and why the University is unable to put an end to hazing.

One disturbing aspect of the incident is that despite warnings, the hazing continued. Members of the team, either afraid or unwilling to report the problem, refused to control the problem internally, or put an end to the hazing completely. Though we think of ourselves as independent individuals, it seems the group mentality, peer pressure, and the fear of risking team disapproval perpetuated the hazing practices. In most situations, students aren't willing to "tattle," and view hazing as a necessary evil to being part of the group.

Perhaps even more disturbing is that the incident occurred on a varsity sports team, and the slow realization that hazing is not isolated to Greek organizations. The Greek system is responsible for bringing anti-hazing speakers to campus, yet hazing and Greek life are synonymous in the

minds of some people.

When a hazing incident is revealed in a non-Greek organization, it is obvious that we need to reevaluate our approach to hazing, and recognize that any organization is prone to hazing. Varsity sports teams are rarely targeted for hazing, and as a result, go virtually unnoticed and uneducated in issues concerning hazing.

Coaches are responsible for speaking to their teams about Bucknell's anti-hazing policy, but team members are ultimately responsible for themselves. Individual fraternities and sororities have pledge educators who insure that their organizations follow Bucknell's anti-hazing guidelines. Why don't varsity sports teams, and other relevant organizations, have a similar peer position to monitor and guide their members?

The biggest problem with hazing at Bucknell is that it seems to be self-perpetuating. Students refuse to stop the hazing tradition, and the cycle continues. Some students refuse to report incidents because they don't want to risk being outcast by their group. Other students are actually willing to participate because hazing is a tradition, and believe that hazing is a bonding, strengthening experience. Faced with the dilemma of tradition, and the stigma of the weak "tattle tale," students seemed to be locked into the practice of hazing with few desirable choices in the matter.

We started this editorial with thoughts of condemning hazing, and expressing our outrage that hazing has, once again, resurfaced on campus. But who is to blame? Where do we

point the accusing finger?

Obviously, no matter how many lectures, warnings, threats, and guest speakers brought to campus, students will always do what they want to do. It is a genuine, yet futile attempt for the University to impose anti-hazing guidelines on organizations when those organizations are taking no real measures to put an end to hazing.

The solution ultimately lays in the hands of students, not administrators, advisors, or coaches. Students clearly understand the harm in hazing, if not through the multitude of speakers, lectures, and warnings, then through their own personal sense of what is right. Humiliating a student for the sake of "bonding" is simply intolerable. Forcing a student to drink, eat, remain awake, or do any activity in excess, is reprehensible. And yet the tradition continues.

And hazing will continue until students realize that it is a dangerous, pointless practice. Students must realize that hazing not only compromises the dignity of initiates, but is also detrimental to the organization itself, as the incident with the water polo team illustrated. When students understand the true nature of hazing—to degrade and insult another in the name of an organization—then we might hope for real changes to occur.

Once students realize the need for a change, the solution unfolds itself. Hazing will no longer be normalized through tradition, and new, acceptable norms will replace the old. All it takes is one class of initiates committed to putting an end to hazing, and the problems all student organizations face now will fade out with the new traditions.

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LETTERS

Speak Out

After almost a year in the running, candidates for the Presidency have been found that meet the stringent requirements if the committee. However, these candidates must also be accepted by the majority of the Bucknell community—namely, faculty, staff, and students. Here's what some people had to say on William Adams, the candidate presented at the Forum on Tuesday.

It was a very large student turnout, especially considering the apathy I've seen a lot of lately. I was pleased with both the questions offered and the answers received. I thought the candidate's answer to the "\$10 million loaded" question was interesting—he would direct it toward a financial aid endowment. He was very personable, and I was impressed.

—Keith Tobias '95
BSG President

I found the candidate to be extremely articulate and a reflective person who seems to be able to bring a lot of commitment and energy to the job. I was impressed with his personal stories about himself and his interests. He seems to be a person that is really interested in ideas and what institutions can do with the level of those ideas. He didn't just talk about the institution as a business, and I found that positive.

—Junior faculty member

From what I can tell, the candidate seems exceptionally well-qualified. His range of intellectual interests and concerns are very impressive. I would definitely enjoy working with someone like that.

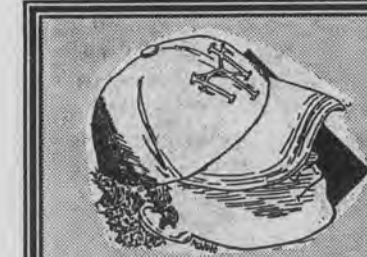
—Mary Evelyn Tucker
Professor of Religion



Treading Water

Part Three in a series

by Scott Albright



Polaroid memories of grade-school autumn afternoons develop among the numbers and theorems inside Calvin Peale's rusted cranium. He is leaning slightly over the second floor railing of the Bertrand library helix, discreetly behind a naive column, feeling the blood begin to fill up his head as he squints downward. A warm trickle of nostalgia runs down the back of his neck and shoulders as he remembers hanging over the old bridge on the gravel road near his house, his "Huffy" lying to the side in the high grass, the cool breeze evaporating the sweat from his shirtless back as he peered down at the foamy creek, letting long strands of sugar-thickened spit drop to the water so the fish will rise.

Now he is carrying an L.L. Bean book bag, observing other creatures below him as they cluster amongst themselves in their bright pastel blouses with low-cut necklines. He feels the familiar collection of drool begin to spill from his bottom lip as he admires the deep shadows of cleavage, loses some and staggers back from view in dripping embarrassment. He hopes the girls didn't look up. Especially the freshman named Beth—he's been scoping her. He is about to earn a chance with her and oddly enough, he has his mother to thank.

"But did you write down the name I gave you? Do you have a pen? That's Beth Beckett. You remember her from the Christmas party last year—her father's the cardiologist? And her mother's such a sweetheart! That's B-E-C."

"I got it Ma. I got it."

Cal's mother isn't aware that he already knows a Leslie from Susquehanna, never mind that he has sex with one on weekends. His mother still thinks of Calvin as her little cherub—there's a picture of him as a five-year-old in a blue sailor's suit on her desk next to the kitchen phone and he imagined her holding it to her chest as she talked to him last weekend, cradling the receiver lovingly.

"We love you, honey!"

"Love-you-guys-too, but really, I gotta go. Somebody's beeping in—I think I got another call."

He had hung up and left to eat with the guys at the Bison, not even bothering to look up the face of the Beth girl in the PIG-book. His mother has tried to set him up before and he has learned that most of his mother's friends are nothing more than orange-faced chameleons with aristocratic accents. Their daughters are typically beautiful but prudish; if they glance in your direction, it's only to see if you're staring at them. Cal assumed that the Beth chick was more than likely of the same plastic mold.

But then, fraternity parties can always seem to provide the mystical atmosphere in which fate seems to twist, contort and bend towards an unlikely sequence of occurrences. He had been working the door at the house that Saturday night and Beth had showed up with a group of friends tentatively holding out their black and white IDs. With the name still fresh in his mind, Cal took control and opened the gates to Beth and her freshman female friends. The brothers didn't seem to really mind after he assured them that the girls were "alright." Cal had introduced himself later with a couple of warm beers and Beth had managed to include her boyfriend in every sentence that had dribbled out of her mouth. Yes I am an engineer, but my boyfriend is really much better at it than I am—he has a 4.0! But when her flock of friends had grabbed her and stumbled out of the house together, Beth had turned and smiled—and Cal had recognized within that smile a message that suggested that her boyfriend could be forgotten for a half hour, if he needed to be. At that moment, Cal had decided he would follow it—the girl was smokin'.

The following Friday, Cal is pacing down the library steps, digging with one hand through his pack to find his Discman. His

fingers pass over a crumpled envelope instead and pull it out. It's a letter from Leslie, a long letter that he received days ago and had stuffed in his bag after only reading the first few paragraphs. Leslie is beginning to become a burden, he thinks, an uncomfortable weight against his chest constricting his very breath. Cal had once enjoyed the idea that Leslie "loved" him. But the word is beginning to swell now, to crowd and occupy too much space. She used the word four times in the three paragraphs and the final instance looked like she had traced over the letters enough to scratch a hole through the pink paper.

Cal finally finds his Discman, pushes play and hears Pearl Jam's Verses thunder through his ears. Track #9 and the soothing pounding bass sends tremors through his bones. "I took a ride today. Time to emancipate..." The rest of the lyrics meld together, yet their essence is clear to Cal through Eddie Vedder's intense, grating growl—freedom, escape from oppression and maybe, yes, positively, the shedding of over-demanding girlfriends.

The computer lab is emptying as the lunch hour approaches and Cal sits and checks his email. He has four messages, three from Leslie and one from Beth. He ignores the first three—he knows what they will say, what word will be typed over and over again. He deletes, expunges then views Beth's reply to his message from a day earlier with the subject, "Hey babe..." It is short, sweet and laden with sexual promise, Cal notices, right down to the sideways smiley face with its sly little exclamation point wink.

Cal thinks he feels a little bird pecking at his shoulder and he jerks around from the message to meet its author. He notices how unnaturally tan Beth's face is, how her blue eye shadow and thick mascara brings out the sparkle in her eyes. She looks different, sexy, more feminine. Cal wonders if she has been making more of an effort since she met him.

"Hello handsome," she sings. "Going to lunch?"

The two of them depart from the library, shuffle through the fallen leaves to fill the awkward emptiness of silence between them as they move through the academic quad. Cal feels relief as she breaks it and touches his arm again.

"So I hear you guys are having another party tonight," she smiles the familiar smile that seems to shrink his boxer shorts. "Yep, but you know our special guests don't even get Invitations in Campus Mail. They get invited in person. So what're you doing tonight?" Goddam it, Cal thinks to himself—he is *suave* as hell.

"Lots of homework," and she blushes. He understands—she will be at the house that night looking for him and him alone.

With this he reconsiders the rest of the day's schedule:

- 2 PM—Sumptuous lunch with Beth at the Bison
- 3 PM—Class
- 5 PM—Meeting on "How to talk a brother out of suicide" at the fraternity
- 6 PM—Dinner at the fraternity
- 7 PM—Party at the fraternity
- 10 PM—Charm and dazzle Beth at the fraternity
- 12 am—Go to bed
- 2 am—Fall asleep

Cal sighs to himself as Beth continues to talk and then hears someone calling his name across the quad from Vaughn Lit. It is "John" who is waving, shouting and wishing him "Good Luck," hoping that he "keeps smiling." Cal waves back uncharacteristically, places his hand on the back of Beth's neck, playfully massaging it and is assured that he will indeed get lucky and by the end of the evening, be all smiles.

Heritage, identity, and politics:
Now you see it, now you don't

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

"Black and white was so easy for me, but shades of gray are the colors I see," sings Billy Joel about the complexity of modern-day issues. Certainly when it comes to the politics of identity, things aren't as simple as black and white.

The poor people at the U.S. census bureau can't figure out what to do. It used to be that asking an American for his or her racial identity was about as easy as "white, black, or other." Then they decided to also ask everyone if they were Hispanic or not. This became a mess very quickly—the intention was to let people identify themselves as white and Hispanic, black and Hispanic, or "other" and Hispanic, but of course many Hispanic people aren't black, would never consider themselves white, and don't like the term "Hispanic" anyway, and so ended up filling in something like Mexican and Hispanic and giving the statisticians in Washington a conundrum.

The census bureau wisely doesn't even bother trying to ask us about our political opinions. The great majority of our leading politicians are either pro-life/hawkish/kill the prisoners/free trade/attack, don't negotiate/all-American/get government out of my face "conservatives" or else pro-choice/dovish/prevent the crime/pro-labor/pro-environment/government can help/wait three years to invade Haiti "liberals," but of course most Americans don't quite fit either of these pure molds. (And I'm only referring to those Americans who are even paying attention.) There are expectation-dashing organized groups in this country of pro-life feminists, non-interventionist liberals, and staunchly Republican gay men, just to name a few. Let me forget, political parties and alliances also change all the time: the Ku Klux Klan used to have Catholics high on their list of arch enemies; now they're probably successfully recruiting some. Most voting African-Americans voted Republican until the 1930's; Abraham Lincoln was, after all, the first Republican president.

Imagine what further confusion our generation will wreak on the smashed-up spectrum of American cultures. Adopted people have a whole set of identity issues of their own, which people will hopefully wake up to. Furthermore, it seems that interracial marriages and parenting will become more and more common, driving away the terribly limiting social expectation of same-race marriage that keeps the whole racial labeling game alive in the first place. After all, if we all stop being so afraid of marrying someone who looks different, in a few generations most of us won't be only one color, and then what will the racists do?

It makes Star Trek look kind of silly, really. Five hundred years from now very few people will be as light-skinned as Captain Picard, or as dark-skinned as Geordi La Forge.

The key to a happy version of this future is for us to finally realize that personal identities aren't mutually exclusive categories. All groups overlap. The assumption that one isn't this because one is that has always been insulting. (It's impolite—and incorrect—to assume that the old Norwegian bachelor farmer at the end of the road can't be a Jesse Jackson supporter, for example.)

I would go one step further, to say that we should start thinking of ourselves as potentially multiracial, multicultural, multipolitical individuals. We shouldn't shuttle the daughter of a black man and a white woman, for example, into one racial category or the other—she has the right to feel that she is both, and she has the right to be treated as a wonderful human being rather than a curiosity (or, as one misguided Alabama high school principal said, "a mistake"). Her combination of parents doesn't make her any less African-American, as many black nationalists seem to feel, or any less European-American, as the overzealous white side of her family may fear.

Although most of our lives are lived deep in one of the dozens of current American cultures, we shouldn't be prejudiced towards people who live more than one culture. America may not be much of a melting pot, but we shouldn't work against the combination.

Unfortunately, pernicious labeling and categorization continues, and more and more of us are simply rejecting labels altogether. "Independent" has quickly become the most popular political affiliation, as people fear the assumptions that people make about a Republican or a Democrat. In the TV show *My So-Called Life*, Angela complains about "how they always expect you to be a certain way." She's got that right—diversity gets good lip service, but getting too close to something new is still the big no-no.

Let's learn to be open to new cultural mixtures and possibilities, respectful of others' rights to be who they are, have the unique mix of political views they believe in, and raise children with whom they wish. And let's learn to be wary of pigeonholing each other. After all, if you think you've got someone all figured out, you're probably wrong.

OPINIONS

The "foreign" Clinton: Worthy successor or worthless leader?

Right: Mistakes aside, Clinton has delivered on Haiti
Below: Hussein sees the President as a puppet

BY BRAD PETERSEN

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

What are we doing back in Kuwait? Did we forget something there? Why does our government feel we need to send 36,000 troops over? It's not as if there are not enough Saudi and Kuwaiti troops that already live there! Does Clinton feel so successful after Haiti that now he thinks he can run a successful foreign policy program?

Let me offer an alternative view which might make the situation clearer to anyone with a light-hearted sense of humor and an IQ above that of a White House politician.

Saddam Hussein is playing a game—a game with the rest of the world in which he hopes to gain some bargaining power.

Saddam might be a ruthless dictator, but he did not become one by being stupid. He, as well as anybody else, knows that invading Kuwait now (and that's what everyone is running around screaming about) would mean the destruction of his country (or what's left of it) and I am sure that this is the last thing he wants.

Sanctions are killing Iraq (just as they were designed to), and unless Saddam does something about this—and soon—he might topple for power.

The point is, a few weeks ago, Saddam and the rest of his revolutionary command council buddies were sitting around, drinking a few beers (or whatever they drink over there), watching CNN, having the good fortune to watch our president be pushed around by another good ol' dictator, Raoul Cédras, from which he learned a thing or two.

What it really comes down to is that Saddam's revolutionary guard could be making sand castles in southern Iraq, and it would not make any difference. He is organizing his troops along Kuwait's border in order to scare the more gullible members of the international community (our President among them) into a position of stalemate until someone says, "Oh, wait, let's negotiate this. I know—we'll send Jimmy Carter over." I haven't heard anything like that happening before Haiti or North Korea, so Saddam and the rest of the revolutionary council double over with laughter while Carter lies in, sits in the middle of the desert (just like they did at the end of the Gulf War), and talks about U.S. sanctions. These sanctions, led brilliantly by Clinton's foreign policy powers, will be agreed to by Carter if Iraq behaves its troops, which will inevitably happen. Saddam gets a new lease on the fabulous life of a dictator, and billions of dollars are spent shipping troops off to nowhere (and back for a quick tan and a new slap of paint on the tank).

The American public should start counting down the days until 1996—if they are not already doing so.

The press has been filled with the good news that Rev. Jean-Bertrand Aristide has been reinstated as the legitimate, democratically elected President of Haiti. The Clinton Administration has made Aristide's restoration to presidency a centerpiece of its foreign policy success. However, whether or not Aristide will actually be the kind of leader who will follow democratic principles and work for the betterment of the Haitian people remains to be seen. The question remaining is, will Aristide carry on the tradition of Haiti's past leaders for following policies motivated by selfish gain?

The government of Haiti has a history of political unrest. During the 1800's, there was a seventy-year time span of struggle for power. Thirty-two different men, one strong-willed leader after another, seized power, resorted to harsh measures to maintain power, and were finally assassinated or removed. In 1915, President Woodrow Wilson and his Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan noted that Haiti at that time was in turmoil, having gone through six presidents in four years, all removed by force. Wilson wrote to Bryan "the more I think about that situation, the more I am convinced that it is our duty to take immediate action." Brian favored law and order and free elections and responded to Wilson with enthusiasm, "Haiti can be put on the highway to prosperity." The U.S. occupied Haiti, and a military regime ruled until 1934 when President Hoover's commission recommended the election of a legislature empowered to choose a President. Following the election, Hoover removed all U.S. military troops with the optimistic view that the installment of democratic principles into Haiti's politics would set it on its "highway to prosperity." The government, however, remained unstable.

Francois Duvalier (Papa Doc) became President in 1957. With the assistance of a private army, he presided over a brutal dictatorship until his death in 1971. Repression diminished somewhat under his son, Jean-Claude Duvalier (Baby Doc) and foreign trade was restored, but the wealth of natural resources was stolen by the leadership and the elite. Haitians have traditionally suffered poverty, hunger, and disease while leaders have lived playboy lifestyles, squirreling away hundreds of millions of dollars in Swiss bank accounts. In 1986 Baby Doc was forced out, ending a 29-year family dictatorship. After a series of coups, the Rev. Jean-Bertrand Aristide was elected President in Haiti's first free and peaceful vote. Immediately after he was sworn in as President, Aristide announced a reorganization of the army and seven months later was overthrown in a military coup led by Lieut. Gen. Raoul Cédras.

Almost eighty years after President Wilson's failed attempt to restore order to the Haitian government, President Clinton has restored Aristide to the Presidency. Past leadership has failed the freedom-seeking Haitian people, and Aristide has within his ability to permanently change this tradition of selfish leadership. Although expectations are great, the question remains: will he deliver or will history repeat itself? Success depends upon Aristide's promise to preserve the democratic government that put the election of him to office.

course of action, he would definitely capture instant applause, but ten years from now the American public would harshly criticize the decisions they once hailed.

For the midterm election, Clinton is once again promoting his "need for change" theme. Why wouldn't there still be a need for change? The problems (drugs, health care, deficit) that the United States faces today cannot be solved by anyone in simply four years, especially when the gridlock political system that exists in Washington, D.C. only hinders any progress toward change. For this country's sake, I would hope that the American people would have a little faith in the man they elected as our President. Instead of expecting immediate solutions that could not be performed instantaneously by any miracle worker from any political party.

cuts and increased spending? If Clinton took that

Meanwhile, Clinton continues to progress on the homefront amidst ongoing criticism
Foreign issues aside, Clinton shines where it counts

BY KELLY HORTON
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

My first tangible introduction to politics was when I was selected to participate in an internship in the summer before my senior year in high school. Before this trip, I was not very familiar with the way things worked in Washington, D.C., but I learned quickly, as would any person spending time on Capitol Hill. Each day that I picked up the newspaper, I am reminded of the political game that I was entangled by while in Washington, the political game that keeps the government of our country running. This political mystique that lurks over Capitol Hill intrigues me, especially the propagandized bashing of President Clinton.

I was a member of my high school Young Democrats, but I would not call myself a die-hard Demo-

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OPINIONS

A student's death proves that life, however utilized, is fleeting

BY CRISTINA TISA
Bucknellian Columnist

Editor's Note: This column is unchanged since Tuesday night.

Many of you know by now that a Bucknell student was tragically killed Tuesday night in a car accident on Route 15 and Smoketown Road. As of the time I'm writing this, there is no further information regarding the other casualty who was airlifted to Geisenger Hospital, and the specific details about the accident are still unavailable, as is the exact cause of Mike Mullins' death. Why I am writing, and what I will write about in the proceeding paragraphs, is not yet fully developed in my mind, but I do know that there are a great many people who feel his loss very deeply and acutely. It is a tribute to him that there were so many who were able to congregate and offer mutual support and condolence.

When I came here to *The Bucknellian* office to write this, I saw a poster taped to the outside door of West Main. It was a copy of Mike's favorite poem with a handwritten note conveying a final good-bye. One of his roommates put it up earlier tonight after grabbing the poem off the refrigerator door in their house in a last recognition of respect and love. I hope every one of you has seen it because it is a symbol of what so many fellow Bucknellians felt about Mike. He was a friend, a teammate, a classmate, and a cadet. It's difficult to discern which aspect meant the most to me. He was someone I had a great deal of respect for because he was a good lead-

er and constant achiever. As a fellow R.O.T.C. cadet, he challenged me to do one more solid, regulation push-up, run that last lap just a few seconds faster, and shoot just a little straighter. He didn't accept mediocrity from himself, at least, not that I, or anyone else I know of, saw. Just last night he was encouraging the Rangers to "get off your knees" while doing push-ups when all I really wanted to do was collapse to the ground and not do any more. Yesterday morning while the Ranger team was running a 10-kilometer ruck march in the early hours I could hear him shouting encouragement and cadences to coax out the last bit of energy and speed available in his teammates. When we were all back at the Spratt House and the guys wanted to know their time he told them "not to be pleased" with it because they could always be faster.

For many of us, Mike was more than a friend or fellow student. He was a member of a passionate and cohesive unit which was designed to teach the art of leadership, the spirit of team work, the virtues of discipline, and the nature of patriotism. On Wednesday, the flag at Spratt flew at half-mast to recognize the tragic loss of a soldier and friend, and cadets wore their dress uniforms as a final display of respect. It is difficult to explain the bond that exists between people who have sworn to defend their country and compatriots, except to say that it is very strong and enduring. Mike was enlisted in the Army Reserve as a member of the Cav Scouts, and he wore its symbol on his arm as a representation of his pride and dedication. Being involved in an organization like

R.O.T.C. is of special significance, especially in unfortunate times like this. It means that there are numbers of people to whom one can turn for unquestioned support regardless of personal feeling and past history. At a time like this, one needs to turn to people who shared similar experiences; it is easier to get past the horrible realities and remember the past.

The most ironic thing about this nightmare is that Mike didn't have any delusions about the fleeting nature of life. I remember him telling me that we need to seize the moment because we can never be to sure of what the future will bring. Well, his death finally kicked my philosophy of life and living into place. We all have such a casual attitude about life; we will do pretty much as we please because it "can't happen to us." So we experiment with drugs and drink to the point of alcohol poisoning.

Along these lines, how many of you have seen the flier in the student mailroom regarding Bucknell's "achievement" of being number one in the country for hard alcohol consumption? What the flier actually wants to know is how Bucknellians feel about that status. One comedian took the time to write in something to the effect that we don't drink enough and that we should be proud of such recognition. I can't think of the exact quotes, but I think the point is clear that this person obviously doesn't have the maturity to understand the implications of such heavy consumption.

Teenagers continue to experiment with sex at younger and younger ages, and a frightening few of them use

condoms all or even some of the time. The fastest growing age group, by and large, of people diagnosed with AIDS are men and women in their twenties. Since AIDS can take between seven to ten years to manifest, this means that these people contracted HIV in their teens. We all know that medical treatment for AIDS patients is improving to the point where victims are living longer, healthier lives, but no one is living through the disease, and yet we refuse to protect ourselves. Granted, the numbers are in our favor, but then again, the numbers were in Mike's favor, too.

Whatever you absorb of our universal tragedy, remember that life is not forever. In some cases, it is shorter than brief. We have to live and discover with a passion and urgency because tomorrow may not be another day. Today may be all we have left. If you go to bed at night without accomplishing all that you set out to do that day, then either you are placing life on hold or you are living so much that you need more hours per day. Whatever the case may be, we all still have the privilege of breath and life. We can still feel the breeze against our faces during early morning runs, and we can still see the sun rise as we bike up the hill to class. Even as I write this I cannot believe that he is gone. His face is still so clear in my mind, and the past tense is not something I have ever attributed to Mike. Chance robbed him of the opportunities that we still have. Get a new lease on life, and start valuing it like it is the only life you will ever have—indeed, as we have been so tragically shown, it is.

LETTERS

Some feel immune to society's emerging "Social Disease"

TO THE EDITOR:

I am amazed that here, at Bucknell, Cristina Tisa feels threatened by the "Political Correctness movement." I thought we had moved beyond this issue, but if I am unaware of a recent book release by Rush Limbaugh, I apologize. The reason I write is simple: I think Ms. Tisa has jumped on a "bandwagon" of shallow-minded, conservative backlash that is supported by little to no fact and initiated simply because PC threatens the structures that many people have decided are "correct", namely sexism, homophobia, racism, and violence, among others.

I am not sure who Ms. Tisa is attempting to reach with her opinion. Most people have accepted that PC is brainwashing, censoring, etc., which is unfortunate because there are many important issues raised by the PC movement. The backlash has made this campus, amongst other places, a very uncomfortable place to speak up.

PC brings the issues of speech and the use of institutionalized words and phrases to the forefront. Non-inclusive, even exclusive, words and phrases are offensive to a great number of people. These words and phrases also serve, I would argue, to reinforce people's minds that the current state of our society (its race relations, stance on homosexuality, and the position of women) is just fine. It is not, in my mind, "correct" to police someone's speech. However, the PC movement did initiate a great discussion within many communities, including here at Bucknell, about why "freshMAN", for instance, might be offensive or exclusive.

I would much rather people say what they are thinking. I feel that the problem lies in what people are thinking, not just what they are saying. If by using the phrase "woman" instead of "girl," "first-year student" instead of "freshman," "homosexual" instead of "fag," or "African-American" instead of "black," I can challenge that which I find unjust and archaic and make someone feel more comfortable, I think that is reason enough to use those words and phrases. However, if my

choice of words also makes someone else wonder why it is wrong (or so I think) to use exclusive language, then even better.

The PC movement contributes to a general framework used by people who point out that relying on the U.S. Constitution (no, the freedoms guaranteed in the Bill of Rights do *not* apply to everyone) and Christian morality (particularly traditional Western, male-dominated Catholicism) has not succeeded in "achieving universal tolerance and acceptance" (Ms. Tisa's goal) at this point in history. The intention of PC, in my mind, was not to point out "unflattering term(s)," but to point out the structural bias of words like freshMAN, for instance. There are deeper issues afoot here!

I think Ms. Tisa (along with Rush Limbaugh, et. al.) is of the opinion that she is cutting against the grain by writing an article like this. However, in reality, the entire conservative backlash against PC and other progressive movements simply supports and further institutionalizes the real "social diseases": racism, homophobia, sexism, classism, and the violence employed to support these. The backlash against political correctness (and similar movements) merely detracts from, or even destroys, a progressive movement aimed at inclusivity! Ms. Tisa is concerned about the tolerance of the members of the PC movement. I would argue that those interested in choosing language that is less offensive and less exclusive are far more tolerant than those who share Ms. Tisa's "conservative ideology."

I would suggest, finally, that people like Ms. Tisa ask themselves why they are so threatened by the PC movement...the answer just might be (not politically correct)!

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From Bucknell to Brazil

Study abroad students promote environmental awareness

TO THE EDITOR:

This semester I am studying in the Brazilian interior as part of a study-abroad program with the School for International Training. On our first night in Brazil, our group visited an "invasion site," which is an apt name for a place where dozens of people literally invaded an open tract of land. The gradual transformation of a community outside the city's center started less than three years ago and continues today. It is amazing how quickly and easily this community of people developed, clinging together with great strength and conviction; acting through common desires.

The forces behind the causes of deterioration of the Brazilian Amazon rain forest relate foremost to land. When left without options, people tend to create them. The invasion of this particular tract of land, like many other examples around Belém, was a classic example of this fact; like other "invasions," this one was entirely illegal. The only claim the people have to the land that they invaded was need.

In this case, that may have been enough of a claim, because of the political circumstances of the invasion. Recently, a politician in the state of Para turned the land over to the people, after purchasing it from a landowner. The landowner benefited by making an excellent deal on land that had been previously lying fallow due to its low agricultural potential, and the politician benefited from a boost in good relations with the new community of voters and the people of Belém. The new landowners benefited by receiving a chance for survival.

It may be difficult to imagine this invasion site from the United States. On one-acre plots, in an area totaling the size of Bucknell hill, several dozen homes have been constructed out of available materials, including wood, mud, ceramic tiles, and bricks. The homes typically have only one bed, in which the four to seven inhabitants of the house sleep. There are few luxuries. Electricity is a rarity; where it exists, it is carried by wires which slip off angled, makeshift poles which are constantly

threatening to collapse. Water is received from homemade wells or a nearby creek that runs through the community.

In general, the inhabitants speak with an optimistic tone. We spoke with a couple who traveled from Acre, the westernmost state known as the home of Chico Mendes, the great activist of the Brazilian rubber-tappers who was assassinated by cattle ranchers. They remain positive about the their decision to join this community, which rests on the outskirts of a very active city. The woman we spoke to expressed her hope that Belém would provide new opportunities for her and her husband, who sells clothes.

The pressures for land within Brazil are great and develop in numerous ways. This newly invading community is but one example of people struggling to survive with courage and hope.

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Name misassociation detracts from letter's original meaning

TO THE EDITOR:

As a classics major, I feel it is my duty to take a small bit of umbrage to a letter in your paper last week ("Moving" fails to capture spirit of dormitory). In the letter, Mr. Rusty Kondrath alludes to a building he calls "the Coliseum in Rome."

Now, I don't know anything about Mr. Kondrath, such as his major, his hobbies, his interests, etc., but I feel obligated to tell him, and the rest of the campus, that such a building does not exist. There is a Coliseum in Los Angeles, California, site of the 1984 Olympics and home to the Los Angeles Raiders of the N.F.L. There is a Coliseum in New Haven, Connecticut, home to transitory American Hockey League teams and the occasional tractor pull. In fact, there are dozens of Coliseums throughout our country and Canada, yet no such place in Rome.

A great building in Rome, the Flavian Amphitheater, still stands after being built in 80 A.D. after being started by the emperor Vespasian. Standing in the shadow of a magnificent statue called the Colossus, the Amphitheater to this day bears the nickname the Colosseum. A small nit to pick, yet one that had to be made. I'm sure Mr. Kondrath can see his small, significant error.

Which raises the question: was it just a small, simple error on his behalf, or was it the direct result of a

common Bucknell disease (swiftly becoming a plague) called "I don't know what I'm talking about and I don't care?" Now don't get me wrong—I'm not another hypersensitive student who gets so upset over things other people write to *The Bucknellian* that it ruins my whole week. I'm just a concerned student who sees a dangerous trend on this campus that boils down to people not really thinking about what they do or say. I'm not really that upset over Mr. Kondrath's infinitesimal error, it was just a good way to introduce my point.

Of course, the main gist of his letter was that his feelings, and the feelings of the custodians of Larison Hall, were getting hurt by a Ms. Horton's attitudes about the condition of the building. Just relax. Heaven forbid something should mar Larison's pristine, immaculate condition. And if Larison Hall lasts as long as the Colosseum, then we will all know that Rusty Kondrath was right all along, and won't we all have egg on our collective face then!

Besides, my roommate points out that his grandmother lived in Larison when she was here. I don't think a facelift or other modifications for Larison are quite so preposterous.

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Opera Company brings new worlds to Weis

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Where on campus is it possible to see an old maid, a thief, several facets of one woman's personality, and a retelling of the story of the Three Kings? There's only one time and place, and it will all come together on Saturday night at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts, when the Bucknell Opera Company, under the direction of Dr. Catherine Payn, kicks off its fifth year in existence.

According to Susan Minsavage '97, a vocal performance major and member of the Opera Company and its advisory board, three scenes will be performed on Saturday night. Minsavage describes the first, a scene from Gian Carlo Menotti's *The Old Maid and the Thief*, as a classic tale of love and misunderstanding.

The evening's dose of comedy will come from *The Proposal*, a comic opera by Milton Granger. Senior Opera Company member

Rebecca Lawson stated, "The main character is a woman who has been proposed to, and the basic premise of the opera is whether or not she should accept the proposal."

Lawson went on to explain that the six characters in the opera include the woman and five different aspects of her personality, which are portrayed by a five-year-old child, Mother Teresa, a police officer, a sensuous woman, and the Statue of Liberty. Both Minsavage and Lawson stressed the humor in the opera and stated that for Bucknellians not familiar with opera, this scene would be a good one with which to start.

The performance will close with a scene from Menotti's *Amahl and the Night Visitors*. This retelling of the story of the Three Kings will feature the Rooke Chapel Choir as shepherds in the opera chorus, Todd Griffith '91 as Melchior, and Justin Brehm, a local youngster who auditioned for and won the title role as Amahl.

Minsavage was quick to state that for an opera company as young as Bucknell's, the repertoire that the singers tackle is amazing. "It's extraordinary to have a company like this because it's entirely a collaborative effort," Minsavage said.

She credited Payn with giving the company members a great deal of leeway in interpreting their characters. "As a company, we have a sense of creative spirit and of being true to the music," Minsavage added. "Our goal as a company is to dispel the image of opera as Wagnerian Brune Hilda! Ironically, it is this (rather comic) image that adorns the company's new T-shirts, designed by Company members Minsavage, Karissa Krenz '95, and Jeanne Mellish '95. These three members, with Payn, also comprise the Company's advisory board.

The Company works hard to make opera accessible to the Bucknell community. "We try to combine the classical with the contem-

porary," Minsavage explained. The Company is also an extremely self-sufficient one in that the members often make their own props and costumes. Minsavage expressed gratitude on behalf of the Company to Dale Hourland, Technical Director of the Weis Center, for designing the set for Saturday night's performance, and to the theatre department for helping the company with props.

The thirteen-member Company will face its busiest semester next semester, when it officially celebrates its fifth anniversary. William Bugg and composer Tom Johnson will both have residencies with the Company, and some of the Company members will participate in a program to help bring opera into the local schools. The Company's goal is to show that opera is a musical form that anyone can enjoy. "We don't intend to be a bunch of music majors sitting around singing," Minsavage stated. "That's not our point."

Music Review:

R.E.M.'s *Monster* well worth the money

BY JASON SNYDER

When we last heard from R.E.M., it was in the form of their twenty something depression anthem, "Everybody Hurts." The band had just released two low-key acoustic albums, *Out of Time* and *Automatic for the People*. At the end of "Everybody Hurts," lead singer Michael Stipe told us all to just "hold on...hold on." What we have been holding for is the band's smashing return to form, which has arrived as their new album, *Monster*.

The members of R.E.M. have always been tenders. They were mumbling esoteric lyrics about "Radio Free Europe" back in 1983 at the same time that Cyndi Lauper was telling us that "Girls just want to have fun" and David Lee Roth was instructing us to "Jump" for his love. A few years later, when everyone else was still jamming away with noise and distortion, R.E.M. took a giant leap and traded their jangly guitars in for mandolins and violins, this practically inventing the term "unplugged."

Well, it is now 1994, and being unplugged has become an everyday occurrence. Mari-

trabizars, R.E.M. turned their amplifiers back up and decided to make their hardest rocking album since 1989's *Green*.

Monster pretty much picks up where that album left off. This album absolutely rocks. The band tears through twelve blistering tracks, including the distortion filled "Let Me In" and the bizarre first single "What's the Frequency, Kenneth?" It slows down only a few times along the way for the power ballad "Strange Currencies" and the soft piano number, "Tongue." All in all, there is a great mix of songs that showcases a fine band doing what it does best, that is, kicking out the jams.

The only problem with the band's return to form is, to quote the cliché, that old habits die hard. In the band's earliest releases, Michael Stipe tended to mumble and slur his lyrics so that at times, they were almost unintelligible. Well, in *Monster*, he seems to be up to his old tricks again, and this time, the problem is slightly worse. Not only is he sometimes mumbling, but the extremely loud guitars and feedback often tend to overpower his voice at certain points in the album.

This could be artistic choice, or simply the fault of the producer. Whatever the reason, this is a minor flaw in an otherwise great album. It is well worth the fifteen dollars.



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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Poetry in any language...

Peter Balakian '73 will translate Artem Haroutianian's poetry in Bucknell Hall

BY REBECCA KLINGLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With the rhythm and melody of the Armenian language and a comprehension of the English version, the poems read by Artem Haroutianian and Peter Balakian '73 this Sunday at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall will touch and heighten all poetic senses of the audience.

Although he graduated more than twenty years ago, Balakian often finds himself back on Bucknell soil. From 1985 through 1987, he taught the Bucknell Younger Poets Seminar, and he participated in the West Branch Poetry Festival.

"It's really exciting to come back," Balakian said during a phone interview. He added that when he was here in the late sixties and early seventies "poetry did not have a big profile. You wrote on your own. There was not literature magazine like *West Branch*, no poetry festival. All these things happened, and it's wonderful."

Not only is Bucknell Balakian's alma mater, it is also the place where his poetry career began. Balakian wrote his first poem as a sophomore. "Jack Wheatcroft was my most important teacher. I did most of it because of Jack," he said. He also named Karl Patten and Bob Taylor, saying "All three have done so much for me. They put the University on the map."

The support he got from his professors at Bucknell propelled Balakian toward success. Today, he has three poetry books in print, *Father Fishy*, *Sad Days of Light*, and *Reply From Wilderness Island*, in addition to several limited editions printed by The Press of Appleton Alley.

During the poetry reading on Sunday, however, Balakian will not be reading his own works. Instead, he will be translating the works of Haroutianian, a resident of Armenia.

Because he does not know Armenian well enough to translate it by himself, Balakian acted as a collaborative translator. He worked with Nedat Yaghlian, "a very talented woman," who translated Haroutianian's poems literally, word for word. From that

point, Balakian began to create the poem's equivalent in English.

Before the translation of a poem is finished, Balakian said it has "gone through a filter of my poetic sensibilities. I try to stay close to the original, but I don't hesitate to make a variation if that gives me a more powerful equivalent in English."

After translation, a poem often is not a literal copy of the original. "All translation is the creation of a version of a poem in a new language. As a translator," Balakian said, "you are not interested in getting an exact translation." Instead, he strives to create "an energetic version of a poem in English. That's my goal," he explained.

During the reading, Haroutianian will first read a poem in his native tongue, after which Balakian will read the translated version. According to Balakian, the bilingual reading allows an opportunity for people to "hear the sounds and rhythms of a language that they may not know," and then to comprehend the poem when it is read in English.

Although this is Balakian's first time reading with Haroutianian, the two are acquainted with each other. During this semester, Haroutianian is a Fulbright Scholar at Colgate University, where Balakian is a professor of English.

Well known for his poetry, criticism, and translation, Haroutianian specializes in Armenian Literature. He is fluent in five languages, including English, and has translated into Armenian such works as *Dubliners* and *Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man* by James Joyce and *Sound and Fury* by William Faulkner.

Among Haroutianian's many awards are the 1983 Newcastle Poetry Festival Award, the 1984 Moscow Festival's Rene Char Award, and the 1988 Redez Poetry Festival Award. He has over six books of poetry in print, including *Land of Signs*, *Threshold*, and *Letter to Noah and Other Poems*.

The poetry reading is free and open to the public.

The Seagull takes flight under MacLaughlin's direction

Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble member attempts to create a natural production

BY KRISTIE ROBSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Whit MacLaughlin, a founding member of the Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble (BTE), is guest directing the Parent's Weekend production of Anton Chekov's *The Seagull*. Though MacLaughlin has many years of acting and directing experience, this is his first directing project in a university setting.

Time, not talent, has been one of MacLaughlin's biggest challenges this fall. He describes his actors as "dedicated, responsive and deeply interested in Chekov's characters."

However, it is difficult to explore all the aspects of such a challenging play in a seven week span. Since academics come first, practice time may only last around 15 hours a week. This is a large transition from the usual professional practice schedule that lasts well over 30 hours per week and may run for months before final production.

MacLaughlin will be directing *The Seagull* in a naturalistic fashion. This greatly differs from the non-traditional, experimental style of directing that he has done in his past two productions at the BTE.

MacLaughlin believes that the success of this naturalistic ap-



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From right to left: Bob Gainer, director of theater, Alex Yastremski '96, and Whit MacLaughlin rehearse for Chekov's *The Seagull*. The play starts next Friday, Oct. 28, in Coleman Theater.

proach to *The Seagull* will depend upon good solid acting. Priority is focused on technique, language skills, movement, and truth in a production of this kind.

Relationships and the associated behavior are at the center of this production. MacLaughlin believes this play has great relevance to Parent's Weekend. During the play, questions are raised concerning the relations between parents and children. One question posed

by MacLaughlin in relation to Chekov's parent-child interactions is, "how can the young find a way in life, if not guided by humane unselfish adults?"

MacLaughlin has enjoyed teaching his students. When his interest in acting and directing is exhausted, he plans to further his education and obtain a master of fine arts degree.

As an undergraduate, MacLaughlin majored in the History and

Literature of Religion at Northwestern University. His extracurricular involvement was centered around the theater department and mime company. His interest in one particular Northwestern Theater Faculty member, Alvin Krause, led him out to Bloomsburg.

Although she was retired, MacLaughlin and 17 other students arrived in Bloomsburg in 1976 to study under Krause, the founder of the Northwestern theatre department.

Eventually, these 18 students evolved into the founding members of the BTE, a group that has become internationally recognized since its formation. Coincidentally, the first production in the BTE's own theater was Chekov's *The Seagull*.

MacLaughlin views the Bloomsburg theater as a form of community conscience. Theater, unlike television, can cater to the fantasies and realities of a large group of people and can force them to interpret and interact with the material at hand. Community theater has the potential to act as a central forum, a voice of the people.

The Seagull will open next Friday, October 28. For tickets and information, contact the Department of Theatre and Dance.

"Gold"en sounds to fill Bucknell Hall

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell Hall will play host tonight to an evening of music for flute, piccolo, and piano. The faculty recital, beginning at 8 p.m., will feature Diane Gold Toulson on the flute. Gold Toulson will be joined by Nancy Mulholland on the flute and piccolo, and Mary Beth Pearce on the piano.

Gold Toulson is a flute instructor at Bucknell. She also instructs at Juniata and York Colleges, as well as the Music Academy in State College, where she lives. She frequently performs in recitals, in addition to performing as principal flutist with the symphony orchestras of Altoona, York, and Nittany Valley.

Gold Toulson also keeps busy with chamber music performance; as well as being a former mem-

ber of the Huntingdon Trio. She is currently the founder and artistic director of the Eastern Chamber Players.

Mulholland and Pearce are also seasoned performers. A flute teacher in Gettysburg, Mulholland played in August at the National Flute Association convention in Kansas City, Pearce, in addition to being principal key-boardist for the Maryland Symphony Orchestra in Hagerstown, Maryland, often plays as an accompanist and with chamber groups.

Tonight's concert will feature a variety of selections spanning three centuries of music. Gold Toulson will open the program with Mozart's *Duet No. 6 in G Major*, Opus 75, No. 5. Mozart's flute compositions are beautiful works, in spite of the fact that the composer was rather public in voicing

his dislike of the instrument.

Edvard Varese's *Density 21.5* will feature Gold Toulson as a soloist. Composed in 1936, the 21.5 in the title refers to the density of the metal of the flute. The work is considered to be a standard in the flute repertoire. Following this piece, Gold Toulson will conclude the first half of the performance with J.S. Bach's *Sonata in B minor*, BWV 1030.

Thea Musgrave's *Piccolo Play*, featuring Mulholland on the title instrument, was composed in honor of the eighteenth-century French composer Couperin. A Scottish composer, Musgrave's works often depict the instrument for which they are written in the form of different characters. The seven-movement *Piccolo Play* is one such piece.

Gold Toulson and Mulholland will both perform in Gordon Ja-

cob's *The Pied Piper*, a two-movement piece with one movement for flute and the other for piccolo. Jacob was a British composer with an affinity for writing works for wind instruments. *The Pied Piper* illustrates Jacob's skill in this genre.

The concert will close with Franz Doppler's *Duetting*. Doppler, a Polish flutist and composer who later became a Hungarian citizen, wrote often for his instrument, in addition to a variety of other works that included operas and ballets.

Future performances for Gold Toulson include a summer tour of England with the Eastern Chamber Players. In the more immediate future are performances with the three orchestras of which she is a member.

The performance tonight is free and open to the public.

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A&E Calendar

Thursday, October 20
Women's Film Series: *Shoot for the Contents*, noon and 7:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center

Friday, October 21
Hilltop Film Series: *The Adjutant*, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Gay Comedian: Kate Clinton, 9 p.m., Larson Dining Hall

Saturday, October 22
Bucknell Opera Company Performance: With Rooke Chapel Choir, performing Menotti's *Amahl and the Night Visitors*, and Granger's *The Proposal*, 8 p.m., Weis Center
Acoustic Guitarist: Carrie

Sunday, October 23
Bilingual Poetry Reading: Artem Haroutianian, Armenian poet, and Peter Balakian '73, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Monday, October 24
Japanese Film Series: *Black Rain*, 7 p.m., Room 101B, Coleman Hall
Concert: *Musica Femina*, flute and guitar concert sponsored by Women's Resource Center, 7:30 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Tuesday, October 25
Guest Artist Recital: Christopher Bayers-Broadbent, organ, Catherine Payn, soprano, 8 p.m., Rooke Chapel

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FEATURES

Lewisburg penitentiary: out of sight, out of mind?

BY JOYA DASS

Bucknellian Staff Writer

"You know that there are only two reasons why people come to Lewisburg," said Deb Cook-Balducci, photographer for Bucknell University's Instructional Media Services, "to come to school or to go to jail."

Albeit a comical remark, there is truth in her quip. The Lewisburg Federal Penitentiary has a looming presence marked by a stark little nondescript sign in blue and white, deliberately set, it seems, to discourage attention from passers-by on Routes 11 and 15. As a Bucknell student, one inevitably hears about the exterior geography. The "Pen," as the building is ominously referred to with raised brows and wide eyes, shares very common ground space in this little town of Lewisburg and places two very distinct institutions in very close proximity.

When one student was asked what he thought about the proximity of Bucknell to the Federal

Penitentiary, he replied, "I really don't." This reflects the general feeling that Bucknell students have toward the jail. Another student

"You know that there are only two reasons why people come to Lewisburg, to come to school or to come to jail."
—Deb Cook-Balducci, photographer for Instructional Media Services

dent, Jessie Swols '96, commented, "People don't really think about it until something drastic happens, like someone escapes." Swols, from New Jersey, says, "You know, when I say I go to school around Lewisburg, people are like, 'Isn't the penitentiary there?' Other than that, no, I don't really think about it."

Students such as Nicole Mason '95 feel no imminent threat, especially looking back on a non-eventful four years in terms of es-

capades from the jail. "Should someone escape, they would be foolish to want to stay in the Lewisburg area. If I was a criminal escaping, I

would want to get as far away as possible." She doesn't think Bucknell would be a target refuge.

Instead of being afraid of the prison, some students take advantage of internships that the institution offers. Carolyn Mangan '95 was a legal intern with the Penitentiary her junior year. "I think that it is ridiculous what people think goes on in there," she said. Mangan was initially looking to work for the district. Her first choice was to work with an attorney's office, however, she ended up working at the penitentiary. Although a dangerous place, "I wouldn't have given up the experience for anything. I felt safe working there. It's very organized, highly secure with the walls. Actually, it's very depressing to see all the young people, our age, 18-years old..." said Mangan. Contrary to the belief that prisoners "have it all," Mangan said that there is no luxury.

In discussing interaction between students and prisoners, some students felt that we should, as an educational institution, extend ourselves more to the people who are confined for indefinite periods of time. Kathleen Smith '96 felt that we should do more service programs with the penitentiary. "We should extend ourselves more to those less fortunate than us—people who don't get visitors. I think that Bucknell and the people here stand for so many great things, but we still need to acknowledge the many bad things that occur in society."

Why does it seem the prisoners who are supposed to be punished are offered innumerable opportunities? Lucino affirms that, "They're put here as their punishment, not to be punished."

The residents of Lewisburg don't hush the prison's name in a whisper nor do they tiptoe across its property. Instead, citizens work with the prison and benefit from its assets. Since 1932, a multitude of families have worked for the penitentiary. In addition, it has been economically advantageous for the town of Lewisburg. Even local vendors benefit from the penitentiary.

Besides the maximum security facility encased by the wall, the penitentiary has two minimum security facilities outside. The federal prison camp contains 352 inmates who are non-violent male offenders. The prison also contains a historic landmark, as it is the founder of the first federal boot camp. The prison is an intensive confinement center where first time offenders under 32 years of age are sentenced between 12 and 36 months. Built in November 1990, its purpose was to create strict living conditions with strict discipline to allow the inmates the chance to improve themselves and better their ways. There are 1814 inmates housed in the three camps.

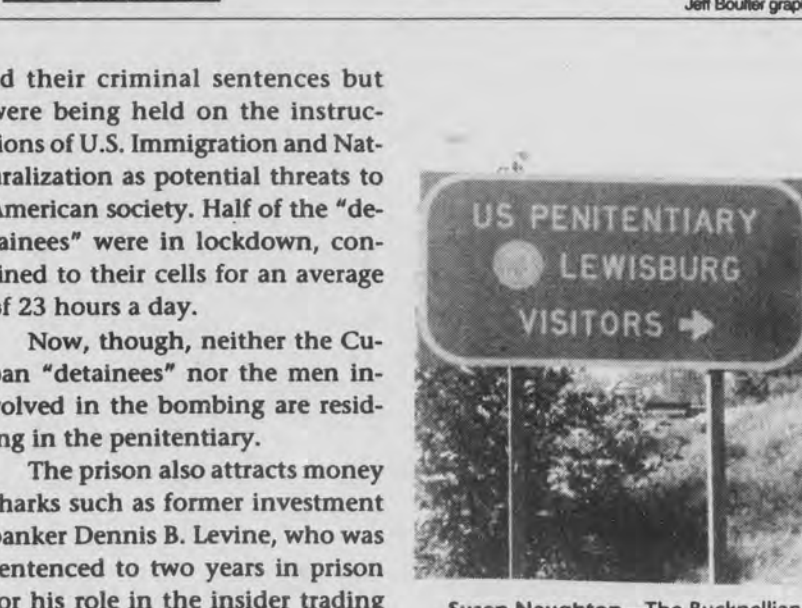
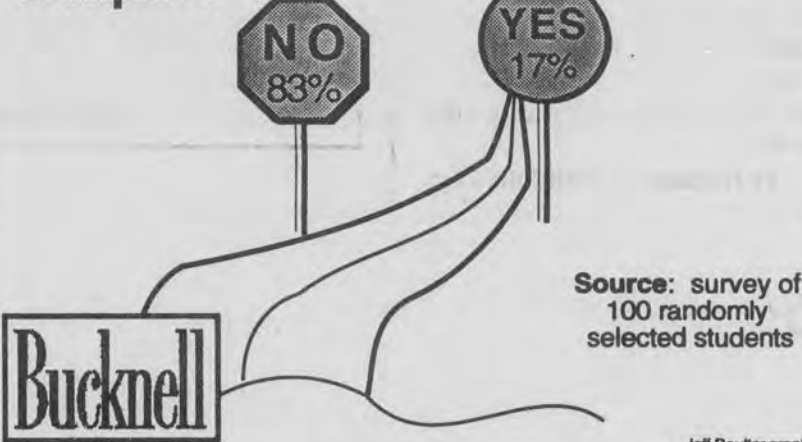
Who's lurking behind the doors of this mysterious correctional institute? Most of the criminals were convicted of drug related incidents, although there were some familiar names who were convicted of other heinous crimes. For example, the four men convicted in the World Trade Center bombing were placed in the Lewisburg penitentiary. In 1990, 125 Cuban detainees were held here. They were men who had completed their criminal sentences but were being held on the instructions of U.S. Immigration and Naturalization as potential threats to American society. Half of the "detainees" were in lockdown, confined to their cells for an average of 23 hours a day.

Now, though, neither the Cuban "detainees" nor the men involved in the bombing are residing in the penitentiary. The prison also attracts money sharks such as former investment banker Dennis B. Levine, who was sentenced to two years in prison for his role in the insider trading scandal that once shook Wall Street.

It's odd to think that the next door neighbor to the Bucknell scholar is a convict. As one of the first sites outside the University, the penitentiary boasts what some might say is an educational experience for inmates that rivals that of the University to Bucknell students.



Do you feel uncomfortable knowing a maximum security prison is just five minutes from campus?



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This obscure blue and white sign is the only indication that a federal penitentiary is located just minutes from the Bucknell campus. Last year the four men convicted in the World Trade Center bombing were placed in the prison.

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Women's Tennis served first loss

BY MATT HARRINGTON

Bucknellian Staff Writer

There is an old proverb in the world of intercollegiate athletics that is seldom heard, but still profound: "Never play at Seton Hall after winning your league's championship."

Paying no heed to past patterns or reputations, the Bison women marched bravely with their rackets blazing into New Jersey to do battle with the Pirates of Seton Hall. For the Lady Bison, there was no treasure on this island as the Pirates overcame Bucknell's women by a close match score of 5-4.

Apparently the Lady Bison were not discouraged for long as they came back to pound Pittsburgh by a count of 7-2 and Duquesne by a score of 7-0 last weekend. With the strong senior leadership of Kristina Lutter '95 and Julia Diaz '95, the women have refocused after their only defeat and will move into play this weekend with a stellar 15-1 record.

Even with the loss, the women are playing as strong as ever—a fact especially true for Lutter. She went undefeated in her three singles matches this past week, as well as in her three doubles matches with partner Diaz. In the process, she added her record career singles dual match mark to 50-8, and her career overall victory total to 91.

By teaming up with Julia Diaz in doubles, Lutter has been especially successful. See TENNIS, Page 15

Soccer shooting for best season

BY BRYAN KELLY

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The women's soccer team beat Fordham 4-2 yesterday in overtime for their fourth Patriot League win and eighth win overall. The victory was hardly surprising considering Fordham's 3-13 record going into the game. On Wednesday, the team also won 6-1 over Scranton, looking almost perfect. The defense and offense are both playing together.

Kerry McDonnell '96, assisted by Lisa Gibbons '95, scored the first goal of the game at 34:14 in the first period. Fordham came back with a goal five minutes later to tie the score 1-1. Liz Woodrow '98, assisted by Gibbons, scored 33 minutes into the second period to give the Lady Bison a 2-1 lead. Fordham tied it up at 38 minutes, and the game went into overtime.

Bucknell is no stranger to overtime play

and has collected many wins this year after the normal regulation gun sounded. Leigh Raymont '98, with an assist from Amy Riviere '98, scored at 1:20 to give Bucknell the lead in overtime. Gibbons, assisted by Woodrow, scored another overtime goal at 3 minutes, making the score 4-2.

Becky Snover '97 had 5 saves and allowed one goal in 45 min., and Kristin Coates '98 had 7 saves and allowed 1 goal in 75 minutes. Coates was also named the Patriot League player of the week. The Lady Bison cannot ask for more solid goaltending.

The Lady Bison are playing very well at this point in the season. They clinched a spot in the Patriot League tournament with their win against Fordham on Homecoming weekend. The spirit is growing on and off the field. Everyone is excited about the possibility of post-season play. Forwards

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Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Women's soccer continues their success with victories over Fordham and Scranton last week. A win against Navy on Saturday might ensure their best season ever.

Bison lose to undefeated Cornell by last-minute field goal

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA

Bucknellian Staff Writer

With the ball on Bucknell's 23-yard line, Cornell lined up for a 41-yard field goal. Eleven seconds remained and the opponent's undefeated season was in jeopardy. Big Red kicker John Rodin calmly split the uprights, snatching a 29-28 victory from Bucknell, and breaking the hearts of the Bison Homecoming crowd.

Bucknell coach Lou Maranzana once again praised his team's intensity, but was quick to credit Cornell. "It was a tough, hard fought game, and we played hard, but we've got to give Cornell their due," said Maranzana.

Bucknell opened the game with a bang, scoring on their first play from scrimmage. Tailback Rich Lemon '97 took the pitchout wide, shaking off would-be tacklers, and continued down the right sideline, not stopping until he reached the end zone 83 yards away—his seventh touchdown of the year.

Cornell responded with a touchdown of their own, tying the score at seven, and then added a field goal later to take a 10-7 lead.

On the ensuing kickoff, kick returner/cornerback Terence Parham '98 raced 91 yards for a touchdown, shedding several tackles along the way and putting the Bison up 14-10 at halftime.

On their first drive of the third quarter, Cornell drove down to the Bison 3-yard line, yet could only manage a field goal, cutting Bucknell's lead to 1.

Several possessions later, the Big Red scored on a 78-yard touchdown reception, but failed on the two-point conversion attempt, leaving the score 19-14 at the end of the third quarter.

The Bison regained the lead on the first possession of the fourth quarter, capping their drive with a 1-yard touchdown plunge by fullback Steve McHugh '95. Bucknell was successful on the two-point conversion, with quarterback Rob Glus '95 finding tight end Mark Gentile '95 in the end zone putting the Bison ahead 22-19.

On Cornell's next possession, defensive end Ed Burman '96 hit Big Red quarterback Steve Joyce, jarring the ball loose into defensive hands for the fumble recovery.

The Bucknell offense took advantage of this turnover and ended up with a touchdown, courtesy of fullback Bob Horst's '96 2-yard touchdown run. The two-point conversion was unsuccessful, leaving the Bison with a seemingly secure 9-point lead with eight minutes left to go.

The Big Red promptly scored a touchdown on a 2-yard run on their next possession, closing the gap to 2 points with the successful extra point.

On the ensuing kickoff, the Bison were unable to make a first down, and were forced to punt. With 1:21 left, Cornell was able to drive down to Bucknell's 23-yard line, setting the stage for John Rodin's game-winning 41-yard field goal.

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Men's crew rivals Ivies

Place sixth in a field of 28 competitive teams

BY BRIAN BURKE

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Some people describe the pool of intercollegiate rowing as stagnant due to perennial dominance by a handful of powerful crews (i.e. the Ivies). If this is the case, then the Bucknell Crew team threw a giant boulder into the water two weekends ago at the Head of the Connecticut. In a field of 28 Universities and Athletic Clubs, the men's lightweight eight placed sixth behind Boston Rowing Center, Riverside A and B, Yale, and Queen's College of Canada.

However, the rowers from both Boston RC and Riverside compete at a pre-national team level, thereby making the Bison athletes the third fastest collegiate crew in the event.

The lightweight men's eight, consisting of coxswain Dustin Riccio '98, stroke Marc Ortland '95, Steve Ritchie '97, Brian Burke '97, Matt Kersting '95, Brad Peterson '96, Paul Ham '96, Mike Marquis '96, and Victor Arcelus '96, used an unorthodox race strategy to pass Harvard early. Riccio reasoned that, "we knew Harvard would be fast."

"Boy, they look really good."
—Dartmouth heavyweights, on the Bucknell Men's Crew Team

ally good." It was obvious that other teams noticed the crew from Lewisburg. The Big Green's coach later congratulated Bucknell coach Jimmy King with a succinct "Nice race." King responded with "Thanks."

Bucknell Crew finished solidly in a number of other events that weekend as well. The team is not only focused around a select few.

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- Men's Soccer See page 16
- American Apathy? See page 16



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

The Lady Bison surprisingly clinched a spot in the Patriot League Tournament on Wednesday. See story, page 15.

BISON SCOREBOARD

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SPORTS

Commentary

American Apathy?

Was our interest in the World Cup only monetary?

World Cup USA 1994 was a huge financial success by any measure, which just goes to show that the United States of America can package, promote, and sell just about anything.

The most popular month in the world generated a surplus of over \$60 million with another \$15 million in bonuses to tournament employees. That means that the 52-game soccer tournament generated roughly \$16,000 in profits per minute of play! Why was the tournament so popular?

According to polls before the World Cup, less than one third of the U.S. population was interested in the soccer games—in Brazil, 93% watch. In Japan, construction workers were given time off from work on days after the matches because the games were being shown live in the middle of the night (local time). Employers did not want exhausted workers, who had been up all night watching soccer, working atop skyscrapers the following day. So how can the U.S., whose baseball league claims to be in the red, get such huge returns on a sport they are not even interested in?

Maybe it was actually the game itself—after all, soccer is a great sport to watch. In what other arena do they wait until the ball is dead before they check to see if an injured player is too? Maybe it was because the games were shown commercial-free.

Quite possibly it could have been that World Cup Soccer is something bigger than us, something at a level we have yet to attain. The United States has achieved excellence and dominance in everything from military power to basketball, but soccer is the world's pastime, and we are not the best at it. We might be able to beat Sadaam Hussein, but we could have trouble with his soccer squad.

This could have generated a new breed of soccer fans, those who want to get in on that from which they have been excluded. Americans want to know just what's so tough about this game that we cannot seem to figure out. Or maybe most of the money taken in came out of the pockets of foreigners.

Most likely, however, fans were inspired by a Hollywood-like sense of hope, a sense of possibility, that our team just might win it all right there on our own soil. The chances were slim, but one can dream... What would have been more fitting than the United States of America defeating the heavily favored Brazilians on the Fourth of July at home?

Many students on campus this summer knew very little about the World Cup or the game of soccer, but they watched every U.S. game. International competition breeds national pride, and Americans were interested in the games as long as Team USA was still playing. And everyone needed proof that they knew what was going on during this important international event, so they bought the t-shirts and the posters.

Whatever the reason, the United States got what they wanted out of World Cup 1994—money. Some of the players got the recognition they needed and hold positions on prestigious European teams, but American soccer has since fallen back to its original position.

Scott Grisin, Staff Writer

All Blacks rugby lose to York

All Blacks attack halted by York



BY BOB PATZWALL

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Last Homecoming weekend, the Bucknell's All-Blacks played their third game of the season against York College. In a hard fought match, the All Blacks lost 10-17.

York dominated the first half, scoring two tries and kicking one conversion. Early in the second half, Bucknell rebounded with two tries of their own. Soon after the kickoff, team captain Emre Sapci '95 broke free from deep Bucknell territory and sprinted for the try line. He was tackled, but passed the ball back to Gabe Miller '95. Playing with an injury, Miller went on to score. Only minutes later, an almost identical play occurred, this time Sapci passed the ball back to John Olivo '95 for a similar score.

The All Blacks held close for the rest of the half, coming within a few yards of the try line several times. York sealed their victory with a late try. The last game of the season for the All Blacks is Oct. 21 at Shippensburg University.

Golf falls short of expectations

BY ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Despite bright, sunny weather, calm winds and experiencing a high from two third place finishes the previous two weeks at the Patriot League championships and E.C.A.C. Southern Section qualifying, the golf team placed 19th out of 20 teams in the E.C.A.C. championships at Seven Oaks golf course at Colgate last weekend. Bucknell hoped to fair well in this prestigious event. It was the only

tournament of the fall season that the Bison finished lower than sixth and in the bottom half of the field. The Bison are not accustomed to being outshot.

The team shot 333 on Saturday, and led only Oswego State, as the Bison had to count four rounds in the 80s including one 87. The team improved 10 shots on Sunday as captain Paul Gregory '95 came back with a 79 after a disappointing first round, but were still unable to move up in the field. The E.C.A.C championships

are comprised of the best teams on the East Coast.

The team was without low scorer Josh Hartman '98, who sat out the tournament with a back injury, but is expected to be ready for spring play. Hartman finished the fall season with 77.5 scoring average followed by Jeff Graf's '96 79.3 average. Graf could only say that the weekend was "disappointing." He was excited to finally qualify and participate in this event.

The Bison's two-day total of 656 fell well short of tournament winner Harvard's total of 612. The Crimson upset pre-tournament favorites Connecticut, Central Connecticut State and Division III powerhouse Skidmore.

This was the first time the team qualified for the E.C.A.C. championships in eight years. This tournament brings a close to the Golf team's fall schedule. Bucknell will shoot to qualify next year and improve this spring.

Men's soccer stunned

After two losses, the team prepares for Lehigh



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Brian Breslin '95 moves the ball upfield in hopes of a goal. The Orange and Blue must beat the Engineers Lehigh this weekend to have a chance at the Patriot League playoffs.

BY KEITH NIGRO

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Brandon Gaetano's '97 head is still spinning and the men's soccer team dropped another game Tuesday.

"Everybody was just running to the corner... then things went foggy," offers the sophomore defensive back who is still trying to piece together a fight that ensued after Bucknell's 2-1 win over Fordham. Gaetano was blind-sided by "8" against the Rams and was knocked unconscious.

After the game, a Fordham player began kicking Gaetano which started a miniature melee. In seconds every player was involved in the altercation. Each bench emptied and the coaches tried to stop potential chaos.

According to Dan Holton '96, "the [Fordham] player had a 20 yard running start" when he struck Gaetano. Brandon still has headaches and feels "groggy" five days after the incident and will miss at least one game after consultation with a doctor.

Last Saturday the Bison were lead by senior Pete Radano's two goals, which tied a team season

record. Radano would be named the Patriot League Player of the Week.

In this game, the Bison defense looked more aggressive compared to recent outings. More opportunities were created by quickly pushing the ball upfield.

In the beginning of the year, the Bison had problems with controlling the ball. Bucknell's win offers the team with a slim chance at making the league tournament and gives Bucknell a 2-4 Patriot League record.

"There's a great deal of optimism... We are having fun once again despite Tuesday's loss," adds Gaetano.

The Orange and Blue were unable to score in a 6-0 loss to Penn State which featured a plethora of defensive third mistakes. The Bison were outshot 34 to 5. Penn State is ranked 7th in the country, however a 6-0 shutout tells a great deal about a team's defense.

The Orange and Blue are still collapsing to opposing team's offense and not clearing the ball as efficiently as they should. Corey Harbold '97 is faced with too many quality shots.

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Bison Calendar

Week of October 21 through October 27

Fri. Oct. 21	Women's Tennis at Towson Invitational	4:00
Sat. Oct. 22	MEN'S SOCCER vs. FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON	2:00
	Women's Soccer at Navy	10:00
	Football at Lehigh	1:00
	Field Hockey at American	1:00
	Volleyball at St. Francis, (PA)	4:00
	Volleyball at St. Francis w/Niagara	7:00
Sun. Oct. 23	JV FOOTBALL vs. LAFAYETTE	3:00
	Crew - Head of the Charles at Boston, MA on the Charles River	
	Field Hockey at Georgetown	1:00
Tue. Oct. 25	Men's Soccer at Mt. St. Mary's	3:45
	Field Hockey at Lock Haven	5:00
Thur. Oct 27	WOMEN'S SOCCER vs. LYCOMING	7:00

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Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who holds Bucknell's football record for 100-yard rushing games in a career?
2. Who hit the first 3-point shot in NBA history?
3. How did Muhammad Ali lose his first heavyweight crown?
4. Who are the only two college basketball players to lead the nation in scoring and rebounding in the same season?
5. What quarter back has rushed for the most yards in NFL history?

Answers to last week's quiz questions

1. Georgia Tech crushed Cumberland College 222-0
2. Five players threw 7 touchdowns: Sid Luckman ('43); Adrian Burk ('54); George Blanda ('61); Y. A. Tittle ('62); and Joe Kapp ('69)
3. Frank Selvy and Bevo Francis
4. Jack Morris
5. Tug-of-war, back stroke, high jump, and rowing

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Partly cloudy. Lows around 30. Highs near 50.
Friday—Fair. Lows in the 30s. Highs 50 to 60.
Saturday—Fair again. High from the mid 50s to mid 60s.
Sunday—Partly cloudy. Chance of showers. Lows in the low to mid 40s. Highs from the mid 50s to mid 60s.

—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Candidate addresses campus

Florida congressman Bacchus vies for presidential position

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

One of Jim Bacchus's goals, if he became president of the University, would be to help give Bucknell even more reasons to celebrate.

Saying that Bucknell already had many reasons for it to be proud, this democratic congressman from Florida maintained that he could help the University add even more reasons to the list.

When asked why he wanted to serve as president of the University, Bacchus replied, "Why not? It's a new challenge, a new way of life, and a new way to serve. Bucknell and I have a common thread—one of service to the community."

Bacchus said that he believes in active citizenship and community service ideals. Were he president of the University, he would try to further implement those values into the University community through projects such as Citizen Saturdays—an opportunity for people to go into the streets and aid their communities through community service projects.

Bacchus said that the list of challenges that the University faces is long, but that the community, the faculty and students, have profited greatly from the extraordinary leadership of President Sojka.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian

Rebecca and Jim Bacchus, during their campus visit last Wednesday and Thursday. Bacchus is one of three final candidates vying for president of the University.

Referring to his decision not to run for a third term as a congressman, Bacchus said, "Bucknell is at a crossroads right now. I'm at a crossroads in my life. I promise that no one will try harder to serve more and do more so that we have even more reason to celebrate."

Bacchus attributed to fate the fact that his career was not in academia (his career has been in corporate law and government). He received a M.A. in history from Yale University, intending to teach. Currently, he teaches political philosophy in the Department of Politics at Rollins College in Florida.

He admitted that some mem-

bers of the University community might be concerned by his lack of teaching experience. Noting that he understands that he needs to make an extra effort to promote higher education, he said that he would continue to help Bucknell to be an example of quality teaching.

Bacchus said that he believes the faculty, students, and alumni to be the most important constituents of the University. "When thinking about a new president, the faculty should make sure that the president shares the values of Bucknell and understands what

See CANDIDATE, page 4

Seeking a remedy for health care

Some grad students frustrated with changes in insurance policy

BY KATE ARDINGER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Is health insurance a concern at Bucknell? The graduate student population seems to think so.

All undergraduate students are required to have health insurance to enroll, whereas graduate students are not. This past summer, a new University sponsored health insurance policy was revised for undergraduates, Residential Directors (RD) and Managers (RM), and Language Teaching Assistants who are all able to purchase the University sponsored policy if they want. Graduate students are not able to purchase that policy.

The University revised the policy in order to remedy the problem of undergraduates—who are required to have health coverage before registering for classes—slipping through the system without coverage.

To accomplish this task, a group of people representing a number of different constituencies met with John Hulse, an insurance consultant, to come up with a plan that would offer maximum coverage for a reasonable premium and extend the coverage beyond that of past policies. Barbara Shailor, vice president for student services, Richard Chapman, dean of students, Don Fox, registrar, Donald Stechschulte, medical director of student health services, Elias Abelson, University counsel, and Rick Hartzell, director of athletics, were some present at the meeting.

The outcome was clear that a sounder system in which no undergraduates slipped by, was necessary to ensure the good price

and extended coverage that Bucknell wanted. But for the policy to be extended to graduate students, the University would have had to require all of them to have health insurance before enrollment and registration.

The University was concerned that such a requirement might turn away potential full and part-time graduate students who couldn't afford the coverage of a health insurance policy. Therefore, the University decided that it would not require graduate students to have health insurance. At the same time, however, graduate students were no longer able to



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian
William Kupinse, GR, maintains that Bucknell should provide its graduate students with an opportunity for insurance coverage.

"I feel that the University has formulated a flawed insurance policy that puts the health and well-being of its graduate community at risk."

—William Kupinse
GR

purchase the same policy as undergraduates.

University Elias Abelson, University counsel, indicated that the insurance consultant to the University offers other health insurance plans with different coverage and different premiums for students who are interested.

Yet one graduate student, William Kupinse, has found the alternative policies to be unsatisfactory. "The independent plans offered by Bucknell's insurance agent charge about twice as much as the Bucknell policy for a similar level of coverage. This is because they are individual plans—available to anyone—and do not make use of the group purchasing power of the University," said Kupinse.

Many factors besides group purchasing power are taken into account when an insurance consultant formulates the cost of an insurance policy. These individual policies tend to be short-term, which must be renewed about every six months. "If a student developed an illness during the first six months of the policy, the insurance provider would almost certainly not renew the policy, leaving the student without access to medical treatment," Kupinse said.

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Watching for wild winter weather

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

What's cold, wet, and white all over?

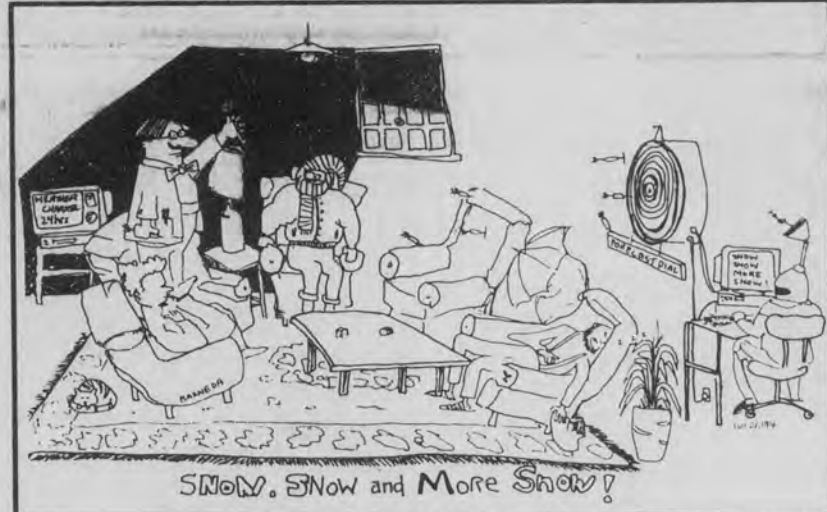
If your answer is last winter, your attitude might change with the latest predictions for what the coming winter has in store for central Pennsylvania.

The latest edition of The Old Farmer's Almanac predicts "well above normal snowfall" and "frequent cold and snowy periods" through March of 1995.

But before you start investing in snowblowers and squirreling away food for another long haul, skeptics and meteorologists insist on looking at the facts about long-term forecasting.

Jonathan Merritt, coordinator of the weather observatory and meteorologist at Penn State says the "ubiquitous" almanac is a fun method of predicting the weather, but is not the most reliable source.

Ned Dunkin, a retired meteorologist from Selingsgrove, said that the almanac predictions were generally "60 percent cor-



Graphic by David Barneda

rect." Almanac predictions, he said, use persistence forecasting, which use the previous year's weather as a basis for predictions.

Observing that the Farmer's Almanac predicted a mild winter last year, Dunkin said, "they do foul up at times."

According to Merritt, "the greatest variable in weather forecasting is how much moisture (is in the atmosphere), and it is impossible to predict that variable on a long-term basis."

Forecasting weather, said Mer-

ritt, started with our ancestor's "desire to know" what the weather had in store for them. Knowing the weather in advance was "a matter of life and death" for those exposed to the harsh elements of a rough winter, Merritt said.

And from that desire to know sprang the unusual methods of observing the natural world in order to forecast the weather. The folklore surrounding weather predictions is rich with intrigue and

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Fire blazes at Bloomsburg University, claiming five lives... Fire alarms at Bucknell examined

BY JEN ANDREWS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

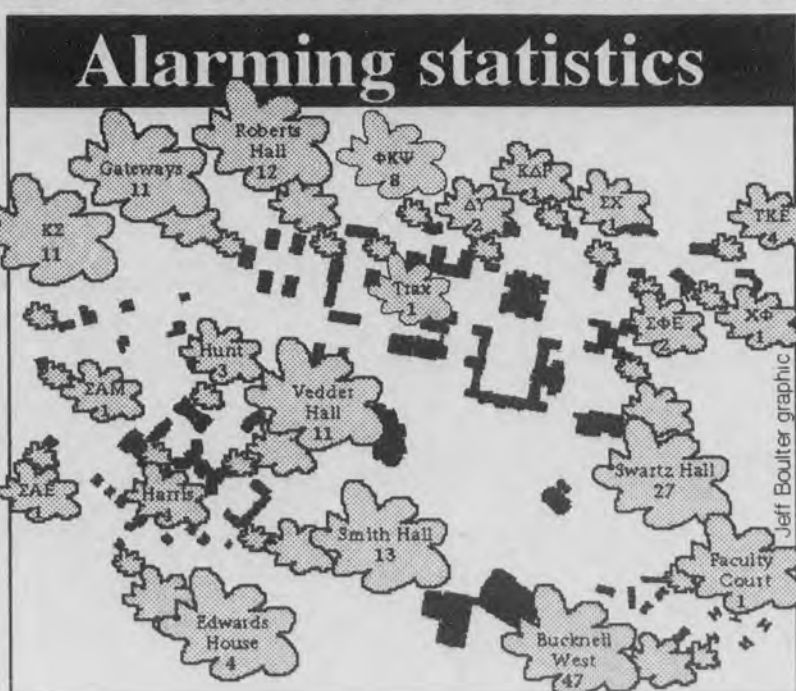
A fire swept through a house belonging to Beta Sigma Delta fraternity at Bloomsburg University on Friday Oct. 21 at 5 a.m. claiming five lives.

According to Bloomsburg Fire Chief Ralph Magill, the fire started with a burning cigarette in a couch located on the back porch of the house. The batteries had been removed from the smoke alarms.

Although sixty firefighters reported to the scene, it took 45 minutes to get the fire under control.

When Jim McCormick, Safety Manager for Bucknell University, was questioned about the fire he said, "The Bloomsburg fire is my greatest nightmare times five. We lost five young adults; that potential for loss of lives exists here."

See FIRE, page 4



The graphic above depicts the number of fire alarms that Public Safety answered in fraternity houses and residence halls from August 24, 1994 through October 15, 1994. Note: Not all the alarms occurred as a result of actual fires. Some occur due to people activating them with no due cause.

The Seagull ready for take-off

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Ralph Waldo Emerson once wrote "I have been to the Opera, and thought three times, the price of a ticket, rather too much for the whistle. It is doubtless a vice to turn one's eyes inward too much, but I am my own comedy and tragedy."

Anton Chekov's play *The Seagull* which will be performed in the University Theatre, Coleman Hall this coming weekend, urges viewers to take an introspective look at contemporary parent-child relationships.

According to Alex Yastremski '96, who plays the lovelorn Treplyov in *The Seagull*, Chekov sets up a dynamic world where children and their needs have fallen to the wayside of parents' careers and evidently more pressing issues than their children. Treplyov is a progressive playwright who clashes with a more traditional actress, his mother.

All the dramatics, Yastremski said, occur offstage—the arguments, the fights, the breakups, etc. And onstage can be seen the very mundane and the very casual times that characteristically occur between these dynamic occurrences.

"Lives are made or lost in those casual moments. On the contrary, everything is happening," says Yastremski. "It is a play about love and art."

Yastremski, a double major of English and Russian is a veteran of Bucknell's Theatre Department. He immigrated to the United States with his parents when he was a year old. Why Chekov? "For me, Chekov is everything. He's Russian. He's English Literature. He's

comedy. He's drama. He makes a radical, unique and amazing combination of elements that no other author can [make] come together. It's pertinent to today's society and problems. It had to be done."

The play is also very Russian, he says, in that

"For me, Chekov is everything. He's Russian. He's English Literature."
—Alex Yastremski '96

everything is about battles. The duality in the stage setting conveys Chekov's view of art by pitting old artforms next to new artforms: young versus old, nature versus science, intellectual thought versus passion.

"Life consists of what is between them," says Yastremski. There is contrast set up in the parent child relationship between Treplyov and his actress mother. The point for the children is to "just endure" says Yastremski "or fall to the wayside."

This two and half hour long production is being guest directed by Whit McLaughlin from the Bloomsburg Theater Ensemble. The impression that one gets is that the characters are very generation acts, very much 'today's kids.' They are intelligent, but they have no skills. They want to

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Female student reports assault

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

A Bucknell student was assaulted last weekend as she walked along Fraternity Road between Chi Phi and Sigma Chi, according to a flier published by the office of public safety.

The incident occurred between 1 and 2 a.m. on the morning of Sunday, Oct. 23. A male emerged from the bushes along the road and grabbed the woman, trying to pull her into the bushes.

After struggling with the male, the student pushed him away and ran into the Sigma Chi

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Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian
Connie Chappell, waitress at the Bull Run Inn, pours a tall one. See feature story on page 13.

HEALTH CARE

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Adding that graduate students on this campus are taking a risk by not having health insurance, Kupinse said that many are in an age-bracket when they are being dropped from their parent's health insurance policies and have to purchase a policy on their own which can be very costly for a full-time student.

As a full-time student, Kupinse feels that graduate students should be offered a health insurance policy similar to that of the undergraduates. Kupinse, age 27, does not currently have health insurance.

"I feel that the University has formulated a flawed insurance policy that puts the health and well-being of its graduate community at risk and up to this point this year they've been unwilling to remedy this problem," he con-

cluded.

Kupinse is not alone, for graduate students as well as faculty and administration have expressed their concern with the health insurance situation at Bucknell. Jean Peterson, assistant professor of English said, "A number of members of my department have expressed their support and concern and are very hopeful that the University will resolve the situation in favor of offering the graduate students this basic and important protection."

President Sojka, who expressed serious concerns with the graduate students' predicament, said that he is in the process of trying to find some answers.

"I have told Jean Peterson and Lois Haffines that I'm going to speak to Mr. Abelson and make sure that if he has not already

done so, he will try to locate the most attractive policy available under the circumstances for Mr. Kupinse or any others in a similar circumstance," Sojka said.

There are graduate students currently without health insurance due to the change in policies available to students. Graduate student Jeff Dell (GR) said, "As a grad student the only practical way I can buy health insurance is through the University. As an assistant, this is my employment. So when they decided to discontinue offering health insurance to the graduate students I was simply out of luck. I thought it was underhanded that they didn't notify us that they were changing the policy at all. So now I don't have any health insurance."

Corrections

In the last issue of *The Bucknellian*, a story implied that one Departmental Review Committee exists when, in fact, one University Review Committee exists. Each department has its own departmental review committee.

A story on Harold Schweizer incorrectly stated that the English department awards the National Endowment for Humanities chair. In fact, the University awards the chair. Also, Harold Schweizer was not the only NEH chair named. Mary Evelyn Tucker, associate professor of religion, was also named as NEH chair.

The story on the automobile collision that ran on the first page incorrectly stated that Michael Mullins' mother requested that no students attend his funeral. This was not the case, as later clarified by Rev. Jack Kelly.

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DATABASE

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liminary look" to see what kind of work they have ahead of them with their subject.

When asked about student feedback, both Fulton and Van Fleet agreed that they had received some very positive impressions. The students seemed to like the system because they know if the source is in the library. To make it easier for the students, the librarians want it so that, "there are terminals here in the library that will do everything you need

to do, so there is not this confusion of 'what terminal do I use?' 'Which data base do I go to?' said Van Fleet.

Tom Parsons '95 found the system especially helpful. "I was doing some research for my Hazardous Waste Management class and [the data base] really sped up the process of getting information," said Parsons, "I was not limited to just science journals like before, but I was able to get information from all sorts of disciplines."

FIRE

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In the past four years at Bucknell, there have been 55 fires, 30 of which have been in Residence Halls. In comparison from 1991 to 1993 the number of fires around campus has gone down; however, they still occur at a high rate in Residence Halls.

According to McCormick, "The most frustrating part of my job is fire safety. A lot of fire safety depends on occupants. The students control a lot of situations that they are in."

One of the many things Mc-

Cormick's job entails is overseeing that all buildings on campus have the proper safety precautions. They are built with noncombustible materials, have a sprinkler system, and electronic smoke detectors which connect to the dispatch at the Public Safety office.

McCormick speaks with some fraternities, at RA training, and makes himself available for hall programs about fire safety. Practice drills are executed; but in doing so, the seriousness is sometimes avoided.

CANDIDATE

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the faculty does," he said.

"We should think of the students who are here right now as our future," he said. "And our 33,000 graduates are all living statements about Bucknell."

Bacchus said that as president, he would make efforts to increase the size of Bucknell's endowment and increase the amount of funds raised through annual giving. "One of the resources that I have is the capability of raising money," he said. "But it would be nice to have a job that didn't depend on my abilities as a fundraiser," he joked.

He also commended the University's efforts toward a multicultural approach to the future, as well as for making concerted efforts to attract quality students during a time when budget constraints might have induced Bucknell to accept less qualified students who might not have required financial aid in order to attend Bucknell.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
Jim Bacchus, one of the three final presidential candidates, spoke in the LC Forum last Tuesday.

News Briefs
Off Campus

Hockey players suspended

Five senior players on the William's College men's varsity hockey team were suspended from play for the 1993-94 season, placed on year-long disciplinary probation effective immediately and prohibited from hosting any parties.

Individual punishments stem from a hockey initiation party which took place on Sept. 22. The five seniors were penalized because they organized, planned and hosted the initiation party.

The initiation party generated significant violations of college rules and expectations with regard to serving and consumption of alcohol, fire safety, hazing, endangerment of health and safety, and destruction of college property.

Members of the team do admit that the initiation party did break some rules, but maintain vehemently that their punishment does not fit the crime they have committed.

—The Williams Record

Teen shooting sparks racism

The situation on the streets of Lexington, Kentucky, has calmed down considerably. There was a series of civil disturbances after a white police officer shot and killed a black teen-ager.

About 100 officers have been deployed to restore calm, after roving groups of youths hurled rocks and overturned cars.

The police chief says the shooting was accidental. He says, "the teen-ager was shot after five officers arrived at a home with arrest warrants."

The officer has been relieved of duty, pending an investigation. About 30 black youths met with the police chief and were then escorted from the building by club-toting police. The chief says, "they apparently didn't accept his explanation of the shooting."

—Associated Press

Peace treaty opposed

Voices of opposition to the Israel-Jordan peace treaty are being heard throughout the Arab world.

Islamic guerrillas in south Lebanon launched rockets into Israel just before the pact was signed today. There were no injuries reported.

Police in Jordan banned protest rallies. The country's largest muslim fundamentalist group brought 5,000 people together for a protest.

In Syria and in Lebanon, radical Palestinian factions say there have proclaimed a day of mourning, and called a protest strike in Lebanese refugee camps.

In Iran, a newspaper warns that any Arab ruler that makes peace with Israel will meet the same fate as Anwar Sadat, the Egyptian president who was assassinated.

—Associated Press

Students seek financial aid

More than half the students in post-secondary schools need help paying for it.

The census bureau says that of the more than 20,000,000 people enrolled in colleges or vocational or technical schools, 51 percent got financial help from at least one source.

The authors of the census report conclude that for many students, it's as much of a challenge to pay for the classes as it is to master the course work.

According to the report, loans were the largest source of the cash, averaging more than \$3,100 for over 3,000,000 students. Others got help from employers, or pell grants, fellowships, scholarships or other aid.

—Associated Press

On Campus

SBDC to Offer Seminar

The Small Business Development Center (SBDC) at Bucknell University will offer the seminar, "Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting," Nov. 9 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. in Room 17 of the Rooker Chemistry Building.

The seminar, which will be led by Jeffrey Hart, product development engineer with the SBDC, will include an introduction to computer-aided drafting (CAD); a discussion of the benefits and costs of computers and software; and fundamentals of the package CAD-KEY.

Each participant will have access to an IBM personal computer for supervised, hands-on experience. Arrangements can be made through the SBDC office for more training after the seminar.

Hart, who graduated in 1993 from Bucknell with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering, has been working as an engineer with the SBDC counseling companies with technology-related problems.

Enrollment is limited to 23 persons. To register, mail a check for \$20 (payable to Bucknell University) before Nov. 6 to Charles Coder, director, Bucknell SBDC, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA 17837.

Prof studies skin color

Black faces which look "black" and are broad are more attractive to white college students than broad, black faces with "white" features, a study by a Bucknell psychologist has found.

"I was surprised by the findings. This says something good to me," said T. Joel Wade, associate professor of psychology. "I don't think 20 years ago we would have had the same results."

Wade expected that the 113 white students who participated in the study would think the broad black faces with white features were more attractive.

The results may reflect "changes in whites' knowledge of and increased exposure to blacks with broad faces and black facial features in music, television, movies and multicultural education," Wade said.

Wade said that although more research is needed, "knowledge that whites value black features on blacks may help foster increased acceptance of black features among blacks themselves," Wade said. "Furthermore, corporate America may be encouraged to present more positive images of blacks who do not approximate whites in features and/or skin tone and facial width."

News Briefs compiled by Karen Waters

Capping off the college experience

Capstone Experience implemented in curricula this year with the Class of '96

BY CATHIE ANDREASEN

A memo from Eugenia Gerdes, dean of the college of arts and sciences, is forcing the Class of '96 to think about their future.

Focusing on the Capstone Experience, the memo, dated Oct. 20, dealt with the latest graduation requirement for the class.

The Capstone Experience consists of blending and reflecting one's entire studies from students' undergraduate years. It should have connections their focus of study and provide interaction with other students. Capstone courses can be within one's major, interdisciplinary, or involved in student teaching. One alternative Capstone Experience might be an independent research project, or an internship as long as they meet with the goals of the Capstone requirements.

Elaine Garrett, director of the French program and associate professor of modern languages, described the Capstone Experience as "a mirror image of the Foundation Seminar."

Garrett explained that, "They

are transitions. One is a transition into college level work, where you learn from people and not sitting there passively while the teacher tells you "the truth." The Capstone is the transition out of college and into a world that is not divided into departments, where more than one perspective is generally needed to solve problems."

"In the real world," Garrett said, "things are not organized by departments, by disciplines, or by majors. Our students need to be both productive citizens and intellectually mature, self-aware individuals. This whole program is really towards making students independent active learners, who can collaborate with others, and know that there are many ways to view a problem."

"This was put into writing to the class of 1996, that they would have to take a Capstone course. I know that a lot of them have probably forgotten, and this is why the dean has sent them all a letter. They will have an advantage that the classes that come after them won't have. This Spring, some pilot Capstone courses are being offered even though the requirement doesn't take effect until their senior year. So they will actually have three semesters in which they'll be able to fulfill this requirement," Garrett said.

In the Proposed Structure for Curricular Change: A Common Learning Agenda For the College of Arts and Sciences, the proposal states that the curriculum Bucknell's College of Arts and Sciences, adopted for B.A. degree students in 1970 had only been formally changed by faculty once. This occurred in 1983, with the addition of the University Writing Requirement. As part of a national movement this proposal was drafted in 1992 in order to provide Bucknell with a more purposeful general education curricula.

A General Education Council (GEC) was elected in 1987 with three basic missions. These were: to review current courses and programs, to draft a mission statement for the general education proposal, and to issue a final report and proposal for general education in the College of Arts and Sciences by the Spring semester of

'90-'91. The GEC noted, "Many faculty members characterize our students as, for example, lacking a general background of information that provides an historical, cultural, and geographic context for the study of their own society and the societies of others; lacking



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Elaine Garrett, director of the French Program and associate professor of modern languages says that the Capstone Experience is the transition out of college and into a world not divided into departments.

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Thursday, October 27
Parents Panel: Perspectives on Employment in the 90s and Beyond, 4:30-6 p.m., LC Gallery Theater.

Friday, October 28
Anton Chekhov's *The Seagull*, 8 p.m., University Theatre, Coleman Hall.

Bucknell Singers and Ringers, Parents' Weekend Concert, 8:30 p.m., Weis Center.

Movie on the Lawn: Jurassic Park, 10 p.m., Rook Chapel Lawn (Rain location, Vaughan Literature Auditorium).

Saturday, October 29
Academic Department Open House, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Terrace Room, LC.

Student Panel: Creating Leaders and Scholars: Making the Most of Your Bucknell Experience, 10-11 a.m., Gallery Theatre, LC.

President Gary Sojka's address to parents, 11:15 a.m.-noon, Rook Chapel.

All-University Picnic, 11:15 a.m.-1 p.m. Fieldhouse.

Bison Football vs. Lafayette, 1 p.m. Christy Mathewson Memorial Stadium.

Anton Chekhov's *The Seagull*, 8 p.m., University Theatre, Coleman Hall.

Slovak Philharmonic Orchestra, 8:30 p.m., Weis Center.

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ASSAULT

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fraternity house where some fraternity members assisted her in checking the area for her assailant. They did not find him. The female student was unharmed.

The student anonymously reported the incident to a former Resident Assistant (RA) on Sunday, Oct. 24. She said that she did not wish to report it to Public Safety or to the police.

The former RA spoke with a Public Safety Officer later that evening in order to relay the information. Public Safety filed an anonymous report at that time. The investigation is continuing.

The assailant is described as a white male, average build, approximately six feet in height, with long hair. He was seen wearing a brown leather jacket and jeans.

The office of Public Safety requests that anyone having information regarding this incident should notify the Department of Public Safety at 524-3333. All names and information will be kept confidential.

This is the second of two assaults this semester about which the office of Public Safety has notified members of the University community.

Vince DeCerio, director of public safety said that students should remember that they are always susceptible to becoming a victim. "No community is completely crime free," he said.

The numbers of public safety

officers on patrol on Friday and Saturday nights is always increased, but it is "hard to be everywhere all the time," DeCerio said.

DeCerio said that he is planning to meet very soon with representatives from the physical plant to conduct a lighting survey of the campus. Also, there will be an open forum on safety issues on Wednesday, Nov. 2 in the LC Forum to discuss what safety measures are in place on the campus, precautions people can take to lower their risk, self-defense techniques, and what to do if you or someone becomes a victim of crime. DeCerio, Donald Heiter, Lewisburg Police Chief, and representatives from the Women's Resource Center will be in attendance.

The office of public safety advises students to plan their travel at night, travelling in small groups and using well-lit paths. They suggest that people know their surroundings, avoid shortcuts and be alert to strangers.

Also, the office suggests that people use the "safe rides" escort service on campus and know the location of campus emergency telephones.

Finally, the office asks that people report suspicious persons or situations immediately to the police or to Bucknell University public safety.

CAPSTONE

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in analytical tools and the ability to reason; lacking initiative and motivation to learn or preferring passive forms of learning; lacking in basic skills, particularly study skills, writing skills, quantification skills, problem-solving skills, and information-retrieval skills. At the same time, our students bring to Bucknell qualities that other institutions envy: a drive to succeed, a curiosity to understand, a desire to find meaning in the mass of particulars to which they are exposed in the classroom and daily life.

To help alleviate these deficiencies and to nurture those favorable qualities, the Common Learning Agenda was written and instituted in the Spring of 1992. Within this agenda, the Capstone Experience was written as a requirement for students.

"People shouldn't be upset about this," Garrett said. "They're going to be fabulous courses. Some faculty have been developing brand new courses just for this requirement. I think that the word will get out, and then people will not look at this as a burdensome requirement but as an exciting opportunity."

—Dave Taylor

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—Jae Park

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I knew him as C-4.

I knew him as a pledge brother.

I knew him as a friend.

But most important of all, I will always know him.

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Nothing Golden Can Stay

By Robert Frost

Nature's first green is gold,
Her hardest hue to hold.
Her early leaf's a flower;
But only so an hour.
Then leaf subsides to leaf.
So Eden sank to grief,
So dawn goes down to day.
Nothing gold can stay.

It is extremely difficult to try to comprehend the death of a close friend and future brother. It cannot be overstated how Mike personified the very essence of life. He was an incredible kid, and he and his constant smile will never be forgotten. I miss you Mike, good luck in your journeys.

—Sean Bonyun

For MIKE

Jeff Boison

I took my dog outside today for a very long time. We climbed down, into a slow moving creek to enjoy each other's company. I set by the side of the water watching him play, and realized just how much I missed him. I see my dog continuously each and every day, but often do I, really?

II.

This evening my dog and I went outside taking a long rest amidst the cool grass. A steep, sloping hill held us tight, until he decided to let us go rolling with a small shift in stability until we came to the bottom, lying motionless, facing upwards, entranced by the sky, counting every star.

III.

Tonight I lost track of my dog or did he lose track of me? I found him outside, but he flashed a grin, darting out of the moonlight, commencing his game. After the regular chase, the pursuit ended at his regular haunt. If it hadn't?

I'd feel less.

The trees would look greener, every day would be brighter, to make up for my loss.

The extinction of unattentiveness, The mediocre...massive, And the true value of memory would be blinding, our times together priceless.

Knowing now that all good things come to pass, I've got to get a good grip.

—Chris Patton

—Mike Hauser

Always one with the task at hand; he led with enthusiasm.

Always among his friends, he smiled with joy.

Always remembered, he shall never leave my thoughts.

Always my brother, he will remain so after life.

Rest well Michael... farewell my friend.

—Eric Fredericks

For those that didn't know him, Mike was the kind of guy who was always smiling. His constant good mood was contagious, and he was really fun to hang out with. Nobody is perfect, but I don't have any trouble remembering Mike for his good qualities.

—Chris Edwards

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—Chris Roome

Community Service Day Students lend a helping hand to area organizations



Photo courtesy of Laura Madden
Stephanie Stalano '96 helps to clean a floor during Community Service Day last Saturday. Through the organizational efforts of several different campus groups, students were able to participate in activities not only in Lewisburg but also in surrounding communities.

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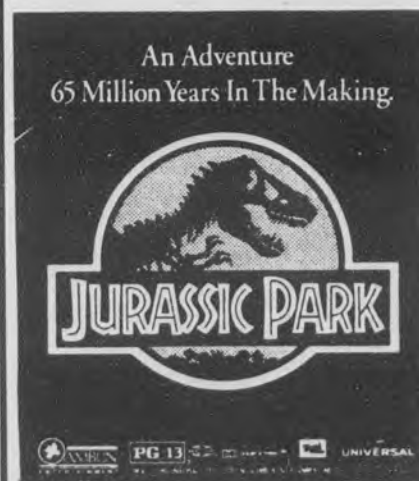
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Mike Mullins (upper left) celebrates with his fellow Kappa Sigma members on bid day.

"The Star and Crescent shall not be worn by every man, but only by him who is worthy to wear it. He must be a gentleman... a man of honor and courage... a man of zeal, yet humble... an intelligent man... a man of truth... one who tempers action with wisdom and, above all else, one who walks in the light of God."

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EDITORIAL

Public Safety alerts vital to campus security

The blazing pink or yellow Public Safety alert we received in our mailboxes this week may seem a bit alarming to those who insist that we live in a protected 'bubble', but it should serve as a constant reminder to us all that although we live on a relatively safe campus, random attacks and violence acts are a constant risk on any college campus.

The officers and staff of Public Safety should be commended for maintaining the safe atmosphere at Bucknell that we tend to either take for granted, or forget until a serious incident occurs. The alerts that are issued may take us by surprise because of their infrequency and our conviction that Bucknell is safe, but the warnings are nonetheless necessary. Rather than sweeping these isolated attacks under the rug of Bucknell's protected image, Public Safety has consistently issued safety alerts and warnings to students almost immediately after an incident occurs.

One might argue that these warnings only serve to needlessly alarm students about an isolated incident, or that such alerts and high-profile crime statistics might deter prospective students from coming to Bucknell. But the truth of the matter is that students not

only have a right to know about these incidents, but that we need to know about them in order to be aware of the dangers. Only when we are made aware of these incidents can we take preventive steps to minimize these dangers.

Too many students let the "Bucknell Bubble" stereotype falsely lead them into believing that we live in a crime-free, danger-free area. Buildings are left open until late at night, and security checks in dorms are unheard of. These privileges that we are given are typical for any rural University like Bucknell, but they reinforce a naive resistance to the common sense safety measures that should guide us in our daily routine on campus. Walking across campus alone, even in well-lit areas, seems to be a harmless, moderately safe venture. Calling Bucknell's escort service for a ride from the library to the Langone Center seems silly, but the alternative—being approached by a stranger in the dark—is far from ridiculous.

We certainly wouldn't want to revert into a police state, where student IDs are security passes and cameras and spotlights monitor and follow our every move, which is why Public Safety

alerts are vital to the safety of the campus. The only way to make students aware of the real dangers/risks is to issue these warnings.

It may be shocking, even disturbing to pull one of the alerts out of our mailbox once or twice a semester, but when the shock wears off, caution sets in. Once we're made aware of these incidents, students are reminded to use those common sense safety measures that we tend to forget or dismiss as paranoid when we are 'inside the Bubble.'

A student's safety ultimately lays in the hands of the student. Students should bear the weight of the responsibility in protecting themselves. Using common sense in potentially dangerous situations, or taking the extra time to be a little more cautious and aware is not asking too much of students. But, we need to be reminded every now and then that we have reason to be cautious, and have reason to be concerned about our safety. Public Safety has done an excellent job keeping us informed and reminding us of our responsibilities as members of a campus community.

OPINIONS

Government control should be evident, but not overbearing

By JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

Is big government the monster of our times? John Steinbeck knew the true monster, describing it as the bank repossesses the Joad family farm in *The Grapes of Wrath*:

"The bank is something else than man. It happens that every man in a bank hates what the bank does, and yet the bank does it. The bank is something more than men, I tell you. It's the monster. Men made it, but they can't control it." Steinbeck writes not only of banks, but of all business. Business is something we all do, but no one really controls. The runaway train of capital makes some people rich while flattening others.

If the riches choose to leave you, or your town, or your company, there's not much you can do. An angry speech won't help. You can't circulate a petition and send it to the economy. You don't have a vote.

Yet the free market has proved to have its positive sides as well. Although the successes of the U.S. economy have been built on the backs of enslaved African people, animals, the environment, and the Third World, the free market itself is responsible for some of our success. And since Steinbeck's Great Depression days, the reason our nation has achieved much is because the economic fast train we ride has had a good conductor. Strong government.

It's distressing to hear Republican candidates decry our government as meddling, intrusive, and generally evil, for a strong government provides necessary control over a marketplace that is centered on dollars, rather than the welfare of human beings. We have learned this from the terrible conditions of the Industrial Revolution and the Great Depression. Government, when democratic, is the process through which people work together to address their common concerns. Rather than vilifying it, government should be praised as the forum that enables society to exist.

Consider what we have achieved by working together. In the free market, those who are too old, sick, or disabled to work receive nothing. So Americans have created Medicare, Medicaid, and Social Security to provide these people with necessary income. In the free market, if your work place closes, or you are at home raising kids, you receive nothing. So we have unemployment benefits, Aid to Families with Dependent Children, and other pieces of a "safety net" to provide these people with the money they deserve.

In the free market, people can do whatever they wish to other people and the

environment. So human beings from thousands of years ago to today have created laws, administered by government. We decide as a unified people to defend each other from harm, and defend our environment for future generations. We subscribe to a code of morality in which we are supposed to refrain from stealing or killing our adversaries. All of these actions are necessary; none are part of the free market.

A better term for government is simply society. There are two ways for society to be weak. One, which we see in many nations today, is for there to be general disrespect for the moral code of human rights. In poorer nations many powerful people—those riding in the dining car of the economic train—regularly harass, intimidate, and murder any poor people who dare to protest. These nations have a failure of democracy, of government, and of society. The increasing crime in our own country—including "street crime," "white-collar crime," and political crime—also indicates a weakening society.

The other ways societies become weak is when they fail to work together. This is often a problem in the United States, where so many people wish to tear down government, rather than use democratic procedures to address our many problems. There are so many people who only receive nominal help from society, if any at all, thanks to the obstruction of conservatives. It's much easier to tear down government as conservatives do than to create good responses to crime, poverty, unequal opportunity, and oppression. Yet running away from our problems, hoping that people will become little angels any day now, is unrealistic and unwise.

There are two ways in which Americans must address their problems. We must spiritually change, by not committing crimes, voluntarily sharing our wealth with the hungry and homeless, and improving our feeble respect for the right of others to not be exploited. We must also work together through a strong government to prevent crime, deliver aid, and protect people's rights.

These two approaches are good medicine for a sick society: they are not at all incompatible. And there is so much more to do on both fronts. As we seek to be a better people, we must also be willing to pay the taxes necessary to support "big government" programs that people need. A commitment to both the spiritual and government approaches, popular among Democrats, will make America a great nation. A commitment to only one approach or the other, popular among Republican candidates who attack "big government," brings our nation closer and closer to derailing. For without strong government's taming of the monster of capitalism, the monster will get all of us someday.

many of which are dangerously negative.

Unfortunately, what is oft forgotten today is that the father of existentialism, Søren Kierkegaard, was a profoundly religious and moral man who believed in an absolute, transcendent, and personal God. Indeed, there is ample evidence that billions of people have determined that God does exist. Religions the world over have been created by humanity, each with the intent of correctly worshipping this omnipotent, omniscient, and omnipresent being of creation called God. By establishing holy locations, relics, and ritualized worship, by indoctrinating one faith and one truth to be strictly adhered to, and by assuming that God could not have cultivated other truths for other peoples in other lands, humanity has, in effect, institutionalized its relationship with God. The institute of religion, as a result, has become the object of worship for the vast majority of humans. Conflicts of religion result in exclusion, discrimination, hatred, and killing. Where is the spirit of the God they worship in all of this? Surely one must say that they are determined that God exists, but surely they have not determined the true image of God. Encapsulated, this kind of disillusionment with religion is at the root of modern existentialism and the secular humanist movement. I do not mean to convey that nothing good comes of religion. There are vital truths to humanism.

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OPINIONS

Tolerant = politically correct

By CRISTINA TISA
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

One really cool thing about being an Opinions columnist is that I have the distinct pleasure of receiving responses to what I write. However, since I am also a columnist, I get to have the last say whenever someone responds to my column. So, this weeks column will be dedicated to Mr. Michael O'Heany, who responded in opposition to my article concerning the politically correct movement.

I completely agree with O'Heany in just about everything he wrote. In fact, if you reread my column, you will note that he and I are truly in agreement. We even used the same phraseology (note paragraph four, opening sentence of his response and paragraph six, sentence four of my column) when we discuss our common desire to know up front what others are thinking. I even agree that the movement has introduced "some things I agree with." Where he and I seem to have crossed our paths is when he incorrectly and unjustifiably assumes that I am ideologically against the movement and all that it stands for. If he paid greater attention to what I was truly saying, and not what he assumed would be a Rush Limbaugh-like opinion, he would have recognized that I was trying to convey my distress at the apparent misnomer and obvious injustice done to the legitimacy of the movement by labeling it the "politically correct" movement. Paragraphs one through four are all dedicated to why I think that the movement should be termed something other than the "politically correct" movement. In fact, I even printed the numerous synonyms that Microsoft Word assigns to the word "politic." I would reprint all of them for his benefit, but my editor wouldn't allow me because his section was spatially challenged.

The rest of the column, paragraph seven, deals with what my junior high school writing teacher would have called the "clincher" statements. I recognize the greatest tenet of the movement: TOLERANCE, and that it is universal. Everyone has the right to be offensive because we all have the right to believe as we choose. It is that offensive to you, then I recognize that. I do not apologize for my opinion or the belief upon which it was founded. If you choose to believe that the Bill of Rights cannot be applied to everyone in the present day and age, then so be it. As for myself, I will continue to pledge my life in its defense. Yes, I would also give my life for you, freely, and with no regrets, if it were ever required to preserve your right to disagree with me. This is not rhetoric. Considering that Mr. O'Heany was one of the first men on this campus to influence my thought processes as a JF in the International College ('92-'93), I thank you for challenging me. Reread my article, Mr. O'Heany, and you will see that you and I do not differ very much at all.



Treading Water

Part four in a series

By Scott Albright
with Brian Stolarz

Early Saturday and the morning light has succeeded in smearing around the edges of the drawn shade of the Swartz double to produce a monochromatic scene of crunched aluminum and crinkled cellophane. A disheveled pyramid of "Coors Extra Gold" cans is stacked in the center of the room like a desperate offering to the Great God of Inebriation and Hangovers or like a shaky tower of cheerleaders balanced on top of each other, with the top one having fallen, laying soaked in a puddle of its own fermented fluid.

Calvin Peale had managed to slip under the covers the night before, Polo shirt covering his back, but naked from the waist down. His boxes had slipped off somewhere underneath and had been conveniently forgotten within the throes of careless and indiscriminate passion. He is dead asleep now and hasn't moved since the girl had pushed him aside to leave the room. He has been sleeping soundly, his id well content, his liver still processing, his conscience passed out in a corner somewhere.

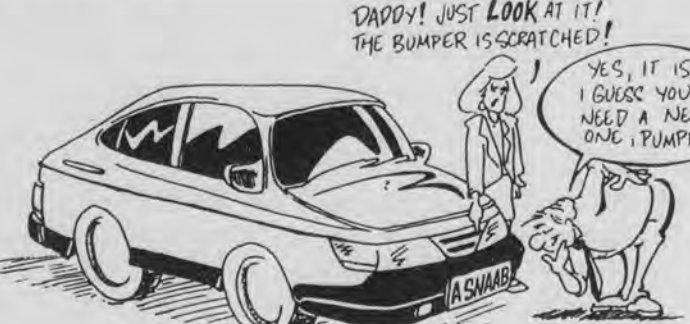
But there is a sound which seems to grow louder as does a train thundering closer from the distance causing Cal to stir, lurch and reflexively swallow. There is a thump-thumping resonating nearby and it finally awakens him, echoes through his skull. Someone is knocking, pounding on the door, Cal realizes, and his roommate, Frank, who could sleep through an anal rectal inspection, is still snoring soundly with his hands crossed peacefully over his chest. Cal is annoyed that somebody has the nerve to disturb him at such an early hour. And on a Saturday morning? What kind of geeky doo would be able to locate consciousness at 8:30 in the AM? Cal decides the caller must be one of Frank's gay friends.

"Hey! I'm trying to get some sleep here! For Christ's sake, the sun just came up, you damn fruitcakes!" The knocking stops, there is silence for a few moments and Cal lets his red head drop loosely to the pillow. But then he hears someone clearing his throat outside his room. It is a low, foreboding noise, like a pitbull growling.

"Young man, this Franklin's father! You're wasting a beautiful day! Is my son there? Franklin?" Dates flash through Cal's mind and he freezes with the panic of an elderly husband who fears he has forgotten his anniversary or Mother's Day or his wife's birthday. Franklin's calendar is hung on the side wall and today is circled conspicuously. Cal groans and presses the heels of his palms into his eyes—Parent's Weekend and he had completely forgotten about it. His own folks are also early risers and will assuredly be arriving within hours to ruin his two days of deserved rest.

By ten, the room is looking more respectable: beer cans out the window before he had unlocked the door to Franklin's parents, laundry and porno magazines shoved together behind a locked closet door. With Franklin and his parents gone for breakfast at the Country Cupboard, he can only sit there, pop "Excedrin," and watch the parking lot from his third story dorm room. He sees them then, his father in his pastel silk jacket covering his cardigan sweater and his mother dressed with conservative taste, the highlights laced elegantly through her crafted hair that had set her back sixty five dollars plus a tip at the "Elite Women's Shop" back home. With a grace and presence that is not unique to the check signers that parade across campus twice a year, the Peales enter Cal's dorm.

After checking his bloodshot eyes in Franklin's pastel-rimmed mirror for the seventh time Cal takes a swig of Listerine and grabs a book from his desk. He flips through the chapters of an economics book that hasn't been touched since he used it to swat a mosquito in the beginning of the semester: Supply and

Jeans, Sigs, and Signs:
The homosexual issue

Student attempts to find the joke in racist flyer

By RICH DIONNE

Sigma Chi's
are
HOMOSEXUALS.

I want to let that sink in a minute. This was a poster I found tacked to one of the doors of Vaughn Literature a few weekends ago. That's it. It didn't say anything else. Just Sigma Chi's are HOMOSEXUALS.

I want to pose a question to whoever posted this. (In case that person is wondering, I took it down.) Was this meant to be an affirmation? Are the brothers of Sigma Chi really homosexual and coming out en masse? If so, I'd like to congratulate every one of them, and thank whoever hung this sign.

Maybe this poster was an insult. (No...) I wonder at that, too. What an awful insult that is. To be gay. To find yourself attracted to...men. I couldn't imagine. It's just so...wrong. There is something immoral about finding a man more attractive than a woman.

If I told you I were a woman, then my being attracted to a man would be normal. Finding a man sexually appealing, fun to be with, smart, inspiring, would be what is expected of me. To feel the same way as a man is considered gross.

I don't want to go on a tirade about homosexuality. I already know where I stand on this issue, and where most everybody on this campus does as well. I'm interested instead in opening a dialogue with whoever hung these signs. And with the brothers of Sigma Chi through this column. What was meant by the poster? Why? Why is this an insult, if it was meant to be such? What do the Sigma Chi's think of the whole thing? (I bet most don't even know the signs were hung.)

I don't particularly care who hung the posters. I am just curious about the motivation for it. Reply through the Opinions section anonymously if you want. Tell me I'm full of shit and it was just a joke. Tell me they are all gay.

I wonder—would this be a similar kind of comment:

FLAG&B's
are
heterosexuals.

Refusal to wear jeans on Jeans Day shows
more than just ignorance

By BENJAMIN SCHOMP

Last Friday was Jeans-Day, the day when the students at Bucknell could show their acceptance of homosexuals and bisexuals in our community by wearing jeans. Surprisingly to me, a great number of people went out of their way to wear anything that wasn't considered jeans. I don't know what the original intention of this day was, but I assumed that it was to build support for the gay community. However, I think it did just the opposite: it publicly exposed a large number of students who are still caught up in mid-80's stereotypes. Even though Jeans-Day didn't create waves of support towards the homosexual population, the overwhelming amount of people that went out of their way to say "I HATE GAY PEOPLE!" actually says more about our school than any other type of response could.

In a way, I think that what happened on Friday actually helps the groups that sponsored Jeans-Day. Essentially, now they can say "I told you so. We are still hated. We are not accepted in society and we are not accepted at Bucknell. Let's try and change that." At least now we know that we have a problem. A problem that, in my opinion, should not exist. Ever since junior high, I had pictured college as a place that opened minds and encouraged new and expanded thinking. Seeing such a large percentage of our campus still caught up in a web of stereotypes and prejudices was quite alarming and very disappointing. Its obvious that we have a problem. Jeans-Day showed us that. I guess the question now is, do the students at Bucknell want to fix it?

OPINIONS

A separation between God and State is more prevalent than ever

From page 6

mans in religion. This is merely a reminder that all the schisms, reformations, and disillusionments people and religion have undergone are testament to religion's natural tendency to suppress or deny new-found truths or the truths of strangers. As such, the mixing of religion and power has been seen as a threat to the freedom of the individual to think, behave, and interact socially in ways that reflect his or her inner sense of truth, justice, and morality. America's Founding Fathers understood this problem and adopted the principle of separation between the church and state. Their hope was to ensure, in the democratic experiment, that no single religion would be advocated by the government and that no religion controlled the government. The freedom of worship, so valued by colonists who fled the Old World, was a commodity to be preserved.

At the same time our Founding Fathers did not attempt to separate God from the republic, publicly or privately. Quite the opposite, they were counting on God, as the Higher Element in every religion, to be a unifying force in our society. They were counting on the American people to set ideology aside and to incorporate spiritual essence into the public arena, thereby allowing for the conduction of right human relations. They were after qualities like honesty, truth-seeking, justice, moral direction, and a sense of civic responsibility.

Yet the high ideals that once marked American life are passing by the wayside. Otherwise, why the crusade for the recapture of "family values?" Why do we suddenly feel the need on a national level to amend

the Constitution to include term limits and the balancing of the federal budget? Why is it that in the last 34 years violent crime has increased by 560% and the number of unmarried pregnant teenagers has nearly doubled? Why are politicians, lawyers, and doctors, once considered "noble" professionals, now viewed with cynicism and distrust?

In an effort to free ourselves from the negative aspects of our former American identity, we have also lost touch with our uplifting and wholesome parts.

In our haste to prevent church meddling in public affairs we have gone to the extreme and not only subtracted dogma from law, but we've subtracted a sense of God from people's lives. In the effort to not be narrow minded fundamentalists or neanderthal conservatives, our educational system and other public institutions have excluded all modes of thinking other than secularism, existentialism, and the scientific method. That which is not handled in these settings is viewed as un-intellectual, unscholarly, and unfit for advanced endeavor. The result is to remove the thought of God, or any sort of Higher Principle, from people's minds. Along with it, we lose motivation to act out virtue in the world. This has translated into serious skepticism over what constitutes right and wrong. For the past 34 years we have been blazing new trails, redefining morality, without a compass to go by. With so much moral "grey area" citizens are given a lot of room to wallow in confusion and ignorance.

In 1929 seven gangsters were killed in the St. Valentine's Day Massacre. The nation was shocked. Deviant rule could not be allowed, even remotely, and Prohibition was ended. In 1991 rioters ravaged commu-

nities nationwide after hearing the Rodney King verdict. Some Congressmen hailed them as heroes. Many made excuses for them. Is doing harm to innocents something to be glorified? Must we embrace the actions of all people as acceptable, criminals and pervers included? Through calling society the force that causes evil and shifting the blame away from individuals for their own actions, people take less responsibility for formulating an inner sense of morality. Character and integrity are all the harder to develop without the social guardrails that God provides.

Alas, we do not have to subtract God from our institutions or from our lives. We do not have to call our belief in God into doubt simply because religion does not make sense to us or because we fear it. God is not religion—the two are distinctly separate—God being the reality and religion being the human-fabricated image of God that often does not reflect truth. I challenge you America: think about God. Think about how you can act out benevolence, and formulate a sense of order in your lives and in your country. Confront the issue. Here is a jump-start to get you going. What is your position in the universe as an American citizen? Here's mine:

*I pledge allegiance to the flag
Of the United States of America
And to the republic for which it stands;
One nation under GOD, indivisible,
With Liberty and Justice for all.*

LETTERS

The internet is unattainable to some, detrimental to others

TO THE EDITOR:

I suppose there is a lot I should be grateful for at Bucknell. The campus is so well-maintained, that some people feel *compelled* to litter and make a mess of the residence halls. I guess they know in the back of their mind(s) that things will be cleaned up by someone else. The professors here care more about the students than at *any* other school. I have never heard of a student here that was unable to get help from a professor outside of class. Yes, indeed, there is a lot for which I should be grateful.

Not everything here is "perfect," though. Students have a lot of gripes, some petty, some not. I try not to complain too much, since Bucknell's costs are significantly lower than other schools in its class. This past summer, however, I had an experience with one particular branch of Bucknell's "service" sector that I found to be everything but satisfactory.

In late June or early July, I sent an email message to one of the co-directors of Bucknell's Computer and Communication Services (CCS). This message contained a simple request. In short, I was asking if it would be possible for my room to be "wired-in" to the campus network via Ethernet. Let me sum up exactly what my message said. I stated that I was to be living in Smith Hall as an RA on the first floor. I noted that as an RA, I am required to spend as much time as possible in my residence hall room. If my computer was "wired-in" via Ethernet, there would be no need for me to go to the computer lab(s) to do my homework assignments, since my computer already has *all* of the necessary functionality I need to do the assignments—*except* a network connection. Since Smith Hall already has Ethernet going to it, the work involved in wiring my room would have been minimal. I offered to bring in my *own* network engineer to do all of the wiring. I also said that I would pay for all of the hardware as well as any other costs that would come up. All that CCS would have to do (without getting into technical details) would be to "plug me in" to a hub and assign me a node address—two very simple tasks, technically speaking.

I received a message back about a week later from the co-director stating that he was in the process of "discussing it" with other CCS staff members and that he would get back to me. A few more weeks passed with no further

response from CCS. In late July, I was visiting some friends who were at Bucknell during the summer, and I decided to contact CCS personally. I telephoned the co-director to see if I could set up an appointment to discuss my proposal further. He was very cordial and set up an appointment for me that afternoon. In this brief meeting, he explained that CCS could not grant such "onesie-twosie" requests for students. He said something about a "five-year plan" in which CCS would be looking into wiring in the entire campus with Ethernet, but quickly added that "serial connections with SLIP and/or PPP would have to suffice for now." I reminded him that I offered to pay for any and all expenses, but he said that it was more of a policy issue than a cost issue. I was *more* than satisfied with this explanation, as I didn't even expect CCS to consider my proposal. I thanked him and promptly left.

My computer has complete network functionality, so there would be no need to go to the computer labs to do homework—if I had an internet connection.

Here's the kicker. Early this semester, I learned of a "Computer Theme Hall." This theme hall consists of two adjacent gateways in Roser Hall which are being hard-wired (i.e.—via Ethernet) into the network. I believe eight students live in the two apartments. My research into this "Computer Theme Hall" has been minimal, so forgive me if my statistics are not completely accurate. I honestly tried to reason it out to myself, thinking that there *must* have been some reason their request was granted and mine was not. Since both residence halls already have Ethernet running to the building, that can't be the reason. And since I offered to pay for everything in my request, their theme hall must be costing the University more money than my request would have. Finally, since only two rooms are being wired in for their theme hall, compared to my one room, their request is still a "onesie-twosie" request. I was (and still am) puzzled as to exactly what the reasoning was behind granting their request and rejecting mine. It's important, though, that I make a distinction here. I am not angry because my (onesie) request was denied; I'm mad because another (twosie) request was *granted*. In addition, I am not mad at the people whose request was granted—more power to them; consistency is the issue here. Does anyone else see an inconsistency here, or am I missing something?

JEFF WESCOTT '95
OCTOBER 18, 1994

TO THE EDITOR:

Most of us at one time or another have had Internet communications with our fellow students. I have recently had an experience that I must share with you with the hope that you will learn from my mistakes. Most of my wrongdoing was because I overlooked the fact that though I frequently used foul language when communicating with friends, I failed to abide by the University rules regarding proper language and content of any messages sent by Internet.

I came to the conclusion that what might seem like a bad joke to one person can be highly offensive to others, and that the use of foul language will be construed as sexual harassment when used against a person of the opposite sex. I would like everyone to be aware of the provision of the policy for acceptable usage of computing resources. Charges may arise from committing the following actions:

- Use of Bucknell computers or networks that violate federal, state, or local laws or statutes
- Providing, assisting in, or gaining unauthorized or inappropriate access to Bucknell's computing resources
- Use of Bucknell computers or networks for unauthorized or inappropriate access to systems, software, or data at other sites
- Activities that interfere with the ability of others to use Bucknell's computing resources or other network-connected services effectively
- Activities that result in the loss of another person's work or unauthorized access to another person's work
- Distribution of obscene, abusive, or threatening messages via electronic mail or other means
- Distribution of chain letters or broadcasting to lists of individuals in such a manner that might cause congestion of the network
- Use of Bucknell computers or network for commercial use or profit-making enterprise, except as specifically agreed to with the University
- Use inconsistent with the acceptable use policies of PREPnet or the NSF network

Being impetuous and careless, I found myself in a situation which, out of thoughtless action, was harmful to someone else. Through my mistake, I have learned that we must be aware of the feelings of our fellow students and be very careful in our communications so that we do not cause pain and injury to someone who does not deserve it.

RODRIGO BURLAMAQUI FONECA '96
OCTOBER 18, 1994

The elements in fighting violence are as diverse as the victims

TO THE EDITOR:

Violence calls for a response from the heart. This one lesson I have learned in the censure and disapproval that is the everyday life of many lesbians, bisexuals, and gay men.

Mostly it takes love, this response. Love for myself and for my neighbors demands that I answer to the little jokes and misinformations that vilify my extended family. I think of the odds against which lesbians, bisexuals, gay men, and many heterosexual allies learn to respect each other, and I know they are not shamed with ink on a bathroom wall or a t-shirt. But, being indebted to their kindness and to their commitment to live free of discrimination, insult, and injury, I need to ask, *what is an adequate response to these incidents of violence against gay people?*

On Saturday, October 22, a workshop titled "The Politics of Homophobia: Combatting Hate On Campus," gave me the opportunity to consider these responsibilities with over thirty students, faculty, and staff from Bucknell and surrounding area universities.

I discovered that articulate responses to violence are as diverse as the women and men who experience violence. Humor, direct confrontation, letters to the editor, chalk talk, e-mail, coming out as lesbian, gay, bisexual, or heterosexual ally, scholarship, prayer, research, Jeans Day—the number of examples multiply with each individual's testimony. I am reassured that life is infinitely more complex

than a vulgar slogan or a fist.

I heard many voices raised in affirmation of my civil rights. I heard many stories untelling the lies that make antigay sentiments acceptable. I recognized the urgency of conversations that include gay issues along with issues of race, gender, ethnic and national origin, age, disability, faith, access to material resources, and education.

Since Saturday, I notice that, more and more, the people I meet are weary of blind judgement and quick generalizations. They want to loosen from the hold of stereotypes that do not hold up to experience. They want to learn the value of dissent and differences—difficult and important work.

I commend the efforts of the attendees at Saturday's workshop, of the Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual Concerns office that organized the program, and of FLAG&B, who keep reminding the Bucknell community that we are many faces, many colors. Living in visible and invisible violence, it takes a lot of love to resist cynicism and respond from the heart. To echo Audre Lorde, we must be the people we were waiting for.

ARNALDO J. LÓPEZ '87
OCTOBER 26, 1994

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FEATURES

Colonial Candlecrafters—a scentful, glowing experience

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Lewisburg hobby shops and novelty stores are abuzz with preparations for the onslaught of activity and business that Bucknell parents bring to the area this weekend.

An average of about 100 to 150 parents will visit Colonial Candlecrafters this weekend, making it the second biggest business day for the shop, next to Black Friday, according to Patricia Hess, a co-owner and operator of the small candle store.

Hess, along with her husband George, purchased the business from her parents Howard and Beverly Bird. The store has operated from the same location on Route 15, two miles south of Lewisburg, since March 3, 1972.

Boasting the slogan "Open 361 Days a Year!" Hess says the family candlemaking business began with



Photo by Longeneckers Photography
Candles of all shapes, sizes, and scents are on display at the local Candlecrafters shop.

a mere ten pounds of wax and one candle mold to use on her parent's kitchen stove in 1970.

Hess, a graduate of Bloomsburg University, remembers her parents having to move everything downstairs from their upstairs residence in 1975 to operate the fast expanding business from the first floor. Hess began her career in the wax-crafting trade when she was only fourteen working with her parents in the shop.

Today the business has expanded into the first floor of the modest red brick home of the Birds. With inviting candleabras in every white paneled window, their house suggests the intimate warmth that a candle conveys to a winter evening.

Hess said the first thing patrons sense when they walk into her store is the aroma. "The aroma is marvelous," Hess boasted. A plethora of inviting fragrances greet the newcomer as "each individual candle is giving off its fragrance."

Hess remembers sitting idly in her basement one day hammering candles "or beating on a candle" when she noticed the mold markings that remained on candles that had to be painted over. Hess decided to hammer a pattern into a candle. And from this idle activity, she created the signature leaf pattern that truly marks her candles from the rest.

Hess, upon request, will show her hammering skills to patrons who wish to see them. She says that men who accompany their wives or

girlfriends into the shop are often turned out to a shop that traditionally caters to feminine wiles. "But when they see me hammering candles, they are like 'Wow! That is so neat,'" Hess said. She quipped "We've been beating on our candles for 22 years."

Though 40% of the candles are manufactured on the premises of the shop, Hess purchases candles from over 100 different locations spanning from from Maine to Southern Florida, and from Texas to California. Why so many sources for Central Pennsylvania candle buyers? "The diversity," says Hess. Maine is the place for beeswax candles and the source of the original tapers for the holidays. Bayberry candles are the big sellers at Christmas because when burned over New Year's Eve, tradition has it that the scent ushers out the old and brings good luck to the owner "provided they start early in the evening and let it burn all the way down," said Hess.

Hess. Wax melts easily in Florida, so Hess takes advantage of the heat by importing crystal oil lights that are a specialty in the southern state. Another specialty that Hess carries is the country jar candle that give off four times the scent to eliminate household odors like pets, cooking, or smoking.

"We're basically the Cadillac of candles," said Hess. "They're a good quality candle. A lot of care and background goes into the process." The candle trade requires knowledge of little details like the

melting points of wax to maximize a particular effect, and so sets her candles apart from the ones sold in Wal-Mart or the Country Cupboard.

Though Parent's Weekend is a



Photo by Longeneckers Photography
Colonial Candlecrafters, located south on route 15 is a business owned by Lewisburg residents. Ten pounds of wax and one candle mold initiated the family business in 1970.

great source of business for Colonial Candlecrafters, Hess said that her mainstay in business has been by referral and word of mouth. She has made many long lasting friendships with Bucknell parents over the years who continue to order from her long after the students have graduated. Hess says that she has patrons from California that still refer to her

way to make a room pretty and smell good too...for those who don't have ten thousand dollars to redo an entire room," said Hess. In the past, she has done custom colors for living rooms in the span of a few weeks. "If I don't have the color, they don't make it!" said Hess.

For those planning weddings af-

ter graduating, Hess makes special candles that incorporate the invitation and/or the color theme of the occasion. "I go from real simple to real elaborate," says Hess. All one needs to do is bring in the swatch of color and the invitation. For Hess, the elaborate ones requires whipping the wax until it reaches a creamy consistency and the surrounding the invitation with silk flowers, sea pearls, or other materials.

No two candles will be the same, Hess promises.

What started with ten pounds of wax and one candle mold has expanded into a profitable business for a Lewisburg couple. These artists derive pleasure from designing candles of all sizes, shapes and aromas.



Photo by Longeneckers Photography
Patricia Hess, co-owner of Colonial Candlecrafters, hammers candles to create her signature leaf pattern.

Shedding a little light on Lewisburg history

Unique lamp posts offer a traditional touch to the main streets of Lewisburg

BY MATT COTTONE

In the beginning, there was darkness. Then, in 1912, the Borough of Lewisburg decided it was time for light. It commissioned an electric lighting manufacturer to construct and install 48 street lights along Market Street over the course of one summer in 1917.

Originally, the lights were funded by the owner of the store in front of which each street lamp would appear. Since then, it has become the responsibility of the township to pay for the lamps.

The Borough designed the lamps to be cast out of iron with two arm lamps and one head lamp, all three encased in glass globes. Once out of the cast, the lamps were wired with two different electrical circuits, one connected to the head lamp and one connected to both the arm lamps.

When the lamps were lit at dusk they were the talk of the town on Saturday night, which was the traditional night for all the country folk to come to town to socialize and shop together. The lights were kept on for most of the night. Late at night, after socializing hours, the two arm lights were shut off, leaving only the head lamp on until the morning.

Originally, the lamps were controlled by a timer which was often thrown off by frequent power surges or outages. In the 1940s, the electric eye was developed, which corrected the power surge problem and made the timers obsolete.

The long history attached to

the unique lamp posts shines the light on a town of people proud of the distinct lights. In fact, Lewisburg residents like them so much that the township council constantly receives petitions from residents who want to have the lamp posts installed on their own streets. The township does the best it can, within its budget, to comply with these requests, but the Borough decided not to extend the lamps out of the 17837 zip code.

During past Christmas seasons, citizens decorated the town by replacing the ordinary white bulbs with red and green bulbs. Unfortunately, the colored bulbs dimmed the lights considerably to the point that no one could see, so the practice was discontinued.

In times of crisis, the lights also served a purpose. When hurricanes or other natural disasters struck, all three lights on each post were left on. Since the middle of the century, activity on Lewisburg's main street has increased so much that all three lights are left on now as a matter of routine.

The Borough of Lewisburg, however, was not always able to make its own lamp posts. Originally the patterns belonged to the Westinghouse Corporation. Later, the pattern was bought by the Citizens' Electric Company and through a series of transactions, the patterns ended up in the hands of the township of Lewisburg. The cast iron boulevard standards serve as a historic reminder of the past in which the people of Lewisburg take great pride.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

The unique three bulb lamp posts that line the streets of Lewisburg were installed in 1917. In the past, residents shared their festive Christmas spirit by replacing the ordinary white bulbs with red and green bulbs. Though the unique lamp posts are desired by people living outside of Lewisburg, the township has decided not to extend the lamps out of the 17837 zip code.

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FEATURES

Lewisburg a pleasant, accessible place for students

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

While the Bucknell community is self-sufficient and could survive even if students were not allowed to venture past the campus boundaries, most students choose to access the town of Lewisburg for one reason or another.

Most students find that the town is receptive and inviting. Students do feel, however, that while Lewisburg is an interesting, safe town, it is not a typical college town and there are limits to the options that are available.

"It's a cute town, it's quaint, I like the architecture of the older buildings. But it's a small town with few social options," said Alice Hanson '95.

Jim Heizman '96 said, "It's not much of a college town compared to other places I've seen. Not much goes on and there's not much to do." However, Heizman did acknowledge that he is comfortable living in Lewisburg. "As far as crime, I feel very safe, which is good," he said.

It is not necessary to leave campus in order to complete many errands. Withdrawals and deposits from banking accounts can be performed in the Langone Center lobby and checks can be

cashed in Marts Hall. Receiving and mailing letters and parcels occurs in the mail room and in Marts Hall. The basic necessity of eating is covered by the cafeteria, Terrace Room, the convenience store, the Bison and Seventh Street Cafe.

With such easy access to and availability of necessities on campus, why are students seen so frequently in Lewisburg? An obvious conclusion is that the town is beautiful and has shops and eateries that interest students.

CVS, Donohoe's, and Perkins are pretty standard as far as places of which students tend to know and take advantage. Joe Somerset '97 said, "I go into Lewisburg to eat at places like Subway and La Casa de Pizza."

Like many small towns, Lewisburg has always been somewhat of a secret. Those living here know why it is special, yet others without personal experience may have the tendency to disregard it. Perhaps residents prefer to keep their town quiet in order not to have it overrun with people.

However, secrets can't always be kept. Lewisburg was mentioned in *The 100 Best Small Towns in America* by Norman Crampton. After giving a statistical look at Lewisburg, Crampton printed the views of several residents. D. Anne

McClure, resident of Lewisburg, said, "Basically the town has kept its personality, structure, and character...." McClure also mentioned that often times young people leave to see the world but ultimately return to the Lewisburg community.

When asked what she thought of Lewisburg, Nada Gray, borough manager and resident of Lewisburg said, "I moved here with my husband and small children in the 1960s because it had what we were looking for. It was a small, safe town to be in with the advantage of the University....Over the years it has proven to be a friendly community where it is easy to get to know people. It is still a wonderful place for children to grow up in." Gray mentioned the advantage of the town's close proximity to some major cities including Washington D.C., Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York City.

This well-reputed small town has a long history. Lewisburg dates back to 1785 when Ludwig Derr divided his land into plots. Lewisburg originally was called Derrstown, in honor of Ludwig Derr. The exact date of the name change is not known, though historians say that because Ludwig is Lewis in English, the same individual is honored.

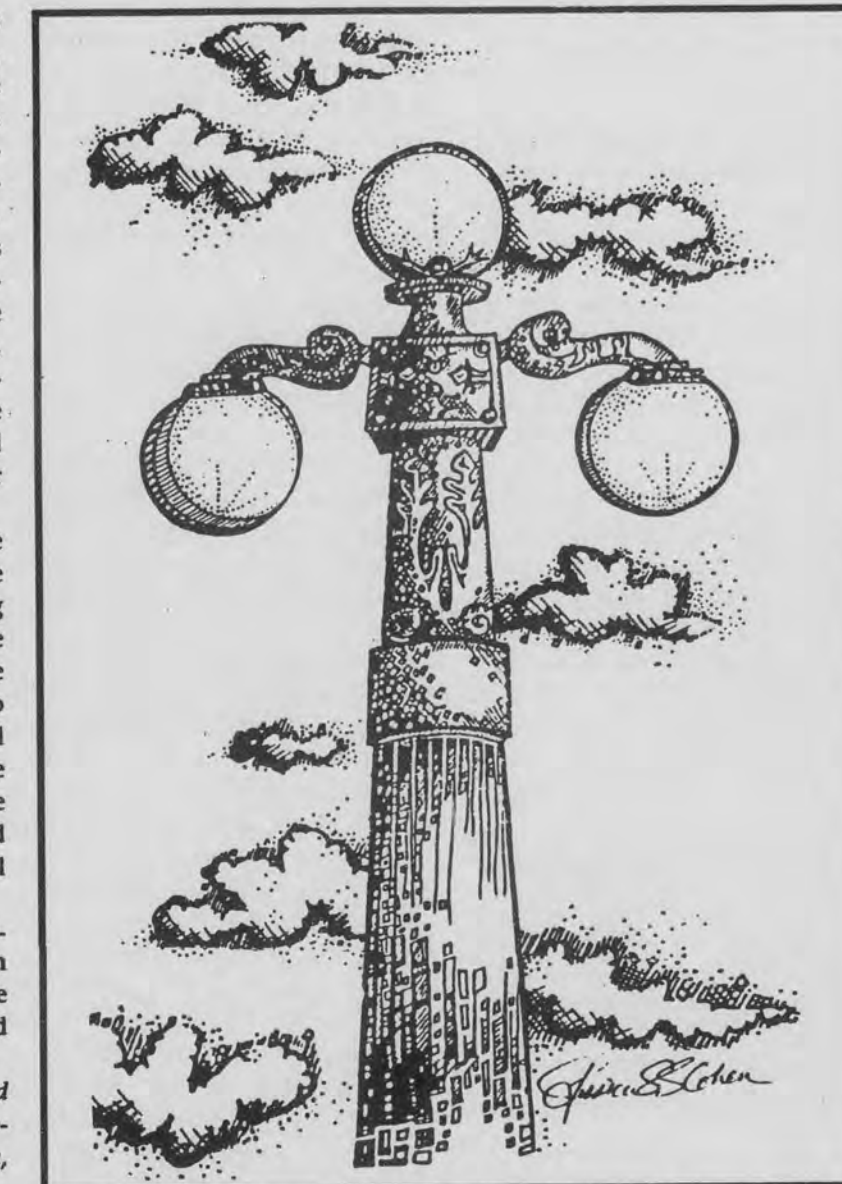
Transportation difficulties slowed the growth of the town, but with the completion of the Lewisburg/Mifflinburg turnpike in 1829 as well as a ferry built by William Williams across the Susquehanna River, the town prospered.

One reason for Lewisburg's success is its industry and employment. Besides the University, the Lewisburg Federal Prison System, the Evangelical Community Hospital, and Pennsylvania House Furniture Co., provide financial security and job opportunities for Lewisburg residents.

It is impossible to know the entire history of Lewisburg. One could spend years investigating the town. Many citizens take pride in their town's heritage and have made the history more available to those who are interested. Several museums such as the Slifer House and Packwood House can be found on the town premises and there is an active county historical society as well.

Though students may be dissatisfied with the social scene on Market Street, they do not refute the uniqueness, tastefulness, and safety of the town of Lewisburg.

Additional information provided by the brochure on Lewisburg, published by Profiles of Pennsylvania, Milton, PA



Courtesy of brochure by The Lewisburg Business and Professional Association

The Bull Run Inn—refuge from the campus scene

BY ADAM SHEYA

With wide eyes the freshmen gaze at the campus and the beginning that it represents. A wave of curiosity overtakes them and they ride it into their college lives. The spirit of the explorer has possessed them pushing them to find their new niches. Their days are filled with classes and studies, but their nights are for discoveries. They search through fraternities, clubs, the Bison, and the Seventh Street Cafe looking for somewhere that they can call their own.

Off campus in the small town, laid back setting of Lewisburg, some seniors have found a place to call their own. In-between walls covered with advertisements for beers and specials and under dim lights, they have found a relaxing setting in which familiar faces abound. On wooden tables and booths are carved the names and years of previous and current Bucknell students, along with a few interesting messages. In the background, a juke box can be heard playing soft songs that melt into the atmosphere without a disturbance.

The Bull Run Inn bar and grill, named for the Bull Run Creek that runs through Lewisburg, has been



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

This sign marks the entrance to a Lewisburg bar and grill which is popular among Bucknell students.

open to Bucknell students since 1969. In January of 1972 it burned down, but in March of 1973 it reopened. It has since become the night spot of choice for many seniors.

Brooke Gilmour '95 enjoys going to the Bull Run Inn because its peaceful setting provides an atmosphere where she can sit and talk

with her friends. For Gilmour, the Bull Run Inn is an alternative to the fraternities. Instead of being subjected to the loud music and unfamiliar youthful faces that make up the fraternity scene, she can sit with friends, order a drink and snack, and play a favorite song on the juke box.

Another senior sees the Bull

Run Inn as place to be with friends if there are no off campus parties. Occasionally the Bull Run Inn becomes over run with students. For example during homecoming weekend, there was a line to get in to the bar. Even with this type of crowd, the Bull Run Inn is far from the wild party scene. Stacey, a waitress and bartender, has found that overall Bucknell students, who make up the majority of the bar's customers, are good patrons and decent tipsters. She said that outbursts of rude and loud behavior by students are very rare. From the end of last year to now there have been few instances of students drinking too much.

The Bull Run Inn appeals to Bucknell students who are not twenty-one because of its good food and peaceful atmosphere, but at nine o'clock they are separated from the bar by years and a doorman who checks IDs. Every once in a while a student is caught using a fake ID and he or she is held at the bar until the police arrive.

For those Bucknell students who are at least twenty-one the Bull Run Inn is a welcomed off campus alternative to the on campus night life.



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

The Bull Run Inn is a popular nighttime gathering place for the over twenty-one crowd at Bucknell.

Students 'phone home' via the internet

BY JEFF BOULTER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"Dear Mom and Dad, Very busy week. I have two tests and a paper due too. Send food!" Twenty seconds later, the electronic plea for food arrives at its destination, whether it be a few minutes' road travel away in Philadelphia or several hours away in Los Angeles.

Students have begun using email in increasing numbers to communicate with their parents back at home.

"It's cheap, it's fast, and it's convenient. I don't have to get out a pen and paper and I don't have to lick a stamp," said Doug Sackin '97 who writes regularly to his parents in New Jersey. Sackin's father, Jerry, uses America Online to keep in touch with

his son. "We enjoy the frequent quick messages that keep us informed of the daily events," he said.

Beginning this semester, all Bucknell students, faculty, and staff were given an account on Coral, Computer and Communications Services mainframe computer. With this account, one can use a variety of internet services. The internet is a collection of worldwide networks that all speak the same language or 'protocol' which allows the exchange of mail and information among connected computers.

One of the services students can also use is 'talk,' which allows two people to type messages to each other across the internet. One parent commented, "we can 'talk' with each other without running huge phone bills." Parents

typically internet access through a national on-line service which can be dialed up with a personal computer and a modem. Internet mail access with an on-line service such as America Online, Prodigy, or eWorld typically costs about \$15 or less per month.

Will electronic mail and programs like 'talk' replace the telephone and the postal service? Probably not. "It's not as personal (as a phone call). You have no way of finding out that you have mail unless you go check the computer," said Jen Ball '97, who also writes to her parents via email.

While the internet may have made it quick and easy to send for care packages via email, the reverse is not. You still can't email M & Ms.

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A twist in the Center Gallery: photographs of China

BY JENNIFER KELLEY

Looking for a quiet place on campus to relax, study, or just escape from the everyday pressures of a busy Bucknell life? Take advantage of both culture and quiet at the Center Gallery, where the current exhibit, "Visits to the Homeland: Photographs of China," will be on display through Nov. 13.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
This photograph by Melbae Nee on display in the Gallery is entitled "The Shout." It was taken in 1980.

In tribute to this semester's focus on Chinese and Japanese Studies, the exhibit features 10 photographs of Chinese descent. But there's a twist. Each one has spent most of their lives outside the Republic of China and is, consequently, connected to more than one cultural identity.

According to Cindy Peltier, assistant director of the Center Gallery, "each has some insight on the Chinese language, but comes at it with an outsider's point of view." This allows for the photographers' personal histories to blend, a process which reflects in their photography.

Depictions of family, food, and typical Chinese small towns fill the white walls of the Gallery. Taken during the 1980's, the photos themselves reflect the inner tension caused by living with a dual cultural identity.

Leong Ka Tai was born in Hong Kong and studied engineering in both the United States and Paris. He realizes that "all these years abroad have no doubt had an effect on [his] cultural makeup," consequently allowing him to capture images of China from a "detached viewpoint." "Looking at

China in the context of the outside world," he said, "I have a cooler assessment of it, for I am in the culture and out of it at the same time."

Similarly, Joseph Fung's pictures of the basic living environments of ordinary Chinese people reveal his feeling of being "attached and detached" from the root of his cultural heritage. Educated in Chicago, Fung has returned to China every year for the last twelve. "I started photographing China like a tourist, trying to rebuild a long lost dream," he said.

In many cases, the opportunity to return to their homeland and capture its images on film has been a cathartic experience, a journey to find roots, identity, and self for these "Westernized" Chinese.

Yves Lieou, who was born in China and currently resides in Massachusetts, said of his visit to China that he felt the "urgent need to relate" to a culture which is inherently his own, yet about which he knows little. Black and white photographs document Meibo Nee's re-acquaintance with that "part of [herself] that had lain unknown and dormant for so long."

Similarly, in his article "One Journey to China," originally published in the Spring 1987 issue of *Aperture*, Reagan Louie explained, "the China that I experience and photograph is created as much by my need to join together a divided self as it is by the country's dramatic technological and social transformation."

A common theme among the photographs is the modernization of China. Many capture images of "old" China being replaced by a newer, more technological China. Yves Lieou describes the current state of China as "an ancient civilization in the throws of renewal."

"Visits to the Homeland: Photographs of China" is a visual Studies Workshop Traveling Exhibition, curated by Sandra Matthews, associate professor of photography and film at Hampshire College. It is sponsored jointly by a grant from the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts and the Association for the Arts of Bucknell University.

Next month's exhibit "Original Place: The Work of Two Contemporary Artists" will be on display from Nov. 19 through Jan. 8, and will include an opening reception with the artists on the 19th.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
Taken in 1989, this photograph by Joseph Fung is taken in Kunming, Yunnan, China. The exhibit "Visits to the Homeland: Photographs of China" is in the Center Gallery.

tion with the artists on the 19th. The Center Gallery is in the Langone Center and is open 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Residency to focus on Japanese theatre

BY ARA METJIAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Usually, for grand artistic performances, Bucknell University brings in an outsider to perform. However, this upcoming semester, Bucknell students, faculty, and community members will have the opportunity to perform.

As part of the Focus Semester Program, the opportunity will focus upon Japanese Theatre as a way of exposing people to international themes through a variety of activities. Through funding by the Bucknell Arts Association, a theatre company, *The East West Fusion Theatre*, will be in residence to train people to perform.

The *East West Fusion Theatre* will be arriving this coming Tuesday to prepare for the auditions for *Live at Tustin Kabuki-za*, plays which will be performed in February. The auditions, which are open to everyone, will be held next Friday, Nov. 4 at 4 p.m. for dance and next Sunday, Nov. 6, and Monday, Nov. 7 for theatre.

Dancers, actors, and musicians from the faculty, student body, or the community will be auditioning for many parts that will be available. Musicians that audition can have their talents showcased as a musical back-drop for the plays.

Discussing the significance of the focus semester on China and Japan, Gary Grant, professor of theatre and dance, said that the company allows "Bucknell students to investigate the theatre traditions of Japan." *The East West Fusion Theatre* specializes in travel-

ing to college campuses and creating art festivals.

In a like manner, various campus groups are attempting to create a festival on Japanese theatre. With experts in Japanese theatre coming to Bucknell, this represents a chance to learn a fascinating art form.

Western theatre is characterized by dramatic set designs and is permeated with a sense of realism. However, Japanese theatre is much more presentation oriented, and is much more physical. There will be two basic forms of Japanese theatre represented by the *East West Fusion Theatre*. *Kyogen*, which are very short comic versions of more refined note plays, are "short farces."

Kabuki, a more dramatic form of theatre, is longer than the *Kyogen* plays and tend to be "operatic spectacles" which may be interwoven with comic scenes. However, Kabuki commonly involve themes of love and death. Unlike Western sets, Kabuki theatre tends to have simple and basic sets which leave the actors room to perform.

Although the plays are not scheduled for performance until February, the preparation is well on its way. There will be a January session devoted to intensive study of the Japanese art form, in addition to the study during the *East West Fusion Theatre* residency. No prior experience is necessary to audition, and all performances will be in English. The plays will be performed at 8 p.m. from Feb. 17 through Feb. 20 in Tustin Studio Theatre.

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House tour offers glimpse at beautiful homes

BY LISA ZICCARDI

With only one day remaining until the arrival of parents on campus, anxious students wonder how they are going to occupy their parents for an entire weekend. The annual tour of historic homes in Lewisburg, held on this Saturday from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m., provides an opportunity for students, parents, and townspeople alike to explore the seven homes that will be open downtown on the day of the tour.

The homes will include the Powers house at 20 South Water Street, which was built in 1864 by Samuel Wolfe. This white brick double town house has a lived-in feel, and holds collections reflecting the 42 years that the Powers family has lived there.

The Groover cottage at 119 North Third Street originally had only one room downstairs and two upstairs. Over the past hundred-plus years, the owners have made additions according to the styles of the times. The highlight of this home is the ornate Victorian mantel in the living room. Furnishings include many family heirlooms.

The interior of the two-story home at 24 South Eighth Street, renovated by the Becks in colonial-country style, serves as a backdrop for many collections. Dolls are exhibited in the sun room, Raggedy-Anns are displayed in an antique armoire, Noah's Ark sits in the stair nook, and bird houses, dried flowers and baskets hang

from the exposed ceiling beams in the kitchen.

In the two years since Timothy and Terry Stockdale moved into the house at 102 South Fifth Street, which was previously owned by Terry's grandfather. It has been completely renovated. Traditional and Victorian decor contrast with the contemporary kitchen and bath.

The Morgans' unusual house at 60 South Third Street features high ceilings and tall windows, dark woodwork, massive sliding doors and elaborate chandeliers reflecting the Victorian influence. In 1890, a room-size entry, a six-sided living room, and a library were added to the front of this mid-nineteenth century house. A functional kitchen is one highlight of recent remodeling by the current owners.

The Lewis Johnson brick house at 46 South Fifth Street, built in 1860 in the Federal style, is representative of many of Lewisburg's older homes. The original glass and frames, old oak flooring and ten-foot ceilings typify the period. Furnishings are mostly antiques, primitive and country painted pieces.

Finally, Bucknell's President's house, at 103 Loomis Street, will also be open as part of the tour. The house was built in 1855 by Justin Loomis, second president of the University. It is constructed of brick in Gothic style, with graceful Gothic windows in the east gable. Period furnishings from Bucknell's extensive attics and col-

lections grace the room.

The annual house tour is sponsored by the Civic Club of Lewisburg, the Lewisburg Garden Club, and the Lewisburg Women's Club. Proceeds for the tour will be used by the three clubs to support their community service projects. A committee, which includes six to eight members of the three organizations, organizes the tour and seeks out homes to be included in the program.

Committee member Florence Pyle, who is in charge of publicity for the event, is expecting an excellent turnout. "It has always been very well attended, and visitors seem to really enjoy the tour. It serves as a major fund-raiser for the three local clubs," said Pyle.

While Pyle said that it is attended by townspeople and members of the university community alike, she anticipates the bulk of the visitors to be Bucknell parents.

Amy Dean '96 participated in the tour last year, and agrees that it is an excellent Parents Weekend activity. "It gave me a sense of the often ignored historical aspect of Lewisburg. My parents loved it; they want to go again this year!" said Dean.

Tickets are \$5.00 and may be purchased at the Union County Court House beginning at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the tour. Advance tickets are available at the Union County Chamber of Commerce, the Susquehanna Valley Visitors' Bureau, and several downtown businesses.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
One of the houses on the tour is the President's house. This Gothic-style house was built in 1855 by Justin Loomis, the second president of Bucknell. The tour will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday.

Duo adds some jazz to the "heart" for Parent's Weekend



Photo courtesy of Public Relations Office
Performing in the Center Gallery at 8:30 p.m. tonight, this jazz duo, *Heart Like a Feather*, consists of Mary Knysh and Jonathan Edwards. The concert is free of charge and is sponsored by the music department. In addition to the concert, this duo also presented a workshop earlier today.

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Concert Review: Tori Amos gives powerful performance

BY JASON SNYDER

Never before have I heard such a silent crowd as I did Sunday night at Penn State's Eisenhower Auditorium. When the lights fell, the crowd roared with unbridled excitement, but as soon as the striking strawberry-haired goddess known as Tori Amos glided on to the stage, a hush fell on the crowd. All were silent so that they could experience the ethereal whisper that is her voice and to hear her poignant lyrics ring out over the sound system.

What was experienced was almost magical. This woman's voice has incredible range and depth. It is an incredible instrument that can produce sounds ranging from the screaming voice of "an angel with her throat slit" to quote Kristy Schiano '95, another con-

certgoer.

The stage on which this siren delivers her songs was simple: it merely consisted of Ms. Amos, her grand piano, an upright piano, and various stuffed animals. However, the show was anything but simple. She belted out two hours of mesmerizing music, including covers of Bruce Springsteen's "I'm on Fire," Nirvana's "Smells Like Teen Spirit," and Don McLean's "American Pie."

These and her own compositions, with wide ranging subjects such as rape, incest, blasphemy, among others, were sung with such a fierce intensity that the sometimes weeping audience was "emotionally drained" by the end of the show, to quote Edmund Rhoads '95.

After "Me and a Gun," a heart-wrenching number about a woman who is raped, a female member of the audience in the front of the auditorium screamed out, "Thank you!" Responses such as these do

not happen at your everyday live show. Such things are however, everyday occurrences at Tori Amos concerts. People go to her concerts for personal experiences such as this one, and everyone, regardless of gender, has a moment of the show that touches his or her heart.

Interspersed with her brilliant performance were a few monologues on which Ms. Amos waxed philosophical, sometimes shockingly so, about such topics as blasphemy, sex, and believe it or not, Penn State football.

Unfortunately, one cannot do justice to this wonderful woman's fantastic performance with mere words. To simply read about a show such as this is just not sufficient. If you have the chance to see Tori Amos, by all means take it. It is an invigorating and yet exhausting experience that will not soon be forgotten.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
This house is one of the many that can be visited during the house tour this Saturday. Tickets can be purchased at the Union County Court House for \$5 dollars starting a half an hour before the tours are scheduled to start. The money that is raised from this tour will be used by the three sponsors, the Civic Club of Lewisburg, the Lewisburg Garden Club, and the Lewisburg Women's Club, for their community service projects.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Known around town and on campus as the purple house, this house is one featured during the house tour. Although most of the tourists are parents, residents of Lewisburg can also be found touring the houses of their town.

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Internationally known pianist to perform in Bucknell Hall



Photo by Jack Vartoogian

A native of Singapore, Margaret Leng Tan, an internationally known artist, will perform at 8 p.m. this coming Tuesday, Nov. 1, in Bucknell Hall. She will perform several pieces by twentieth century composer John Case. During her stay on campus from this Sunday, Oct. 30 to Thursday, Nov. 3, Tan will attend several classes and will meet with faculty and students.



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Good times move to Larison

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It's new, it's improved, and it's even been moved! "It" is Christy's, a Parent's Weekend entertainment staple that features the humor, good tunes, and general a cappella madness of Bucknell's own Silhouettes and Bison Chips. This year, in anticipation of a continued increase in audience size, Christy's has been moved from the Terrace Room to Larison Dining Hall. The evening of music will begin on Saturday at 9 p.m.

Named for baseball great and Bucknell graduate Christy Matthewson, Christy's has become a Parent's Weekend tradition, one in which the Bison Chips and the Silhouettes are pleased to participate. This weekend, the evening will include a "mystery surprise group" in addition to Bucknell's class acts.

According to Michelle McGasko '95, the Silhouettes have an incredibly busy year ahead of them. This ten-member group features McGasko, Malena Moore '95, Jodie Eash '95, Tara Eberhardt '96, Marianne Elma '96, Holly Steger '96, Cristina Tisa '96, Megan Allen '97, Sarah Nelson '97, and newcomer Meghan Marshall '98.

Since their Homecoming Weekend performance, the Silhouettes have been preparing for Christy's. After Christy's, the group plans to pursue the recording of a compact disc. "This idea is still in the beginning stages," McGasko stated, adding that if all goes according to plan, the CD will be recorded in January.

The Silhouettes are also working on building up their repertoire. The group's new arranger is Matt McGasko (Michelle's uncle), and with his help the singers hope to have at least four new numbers by the time A Cappella Night in the Bison rolls around in December.

Road trips are definitely a part of the Silhouettes' future. They plan to make a return trip to the University of Delaware to perform with the Hen Harmonics, a Delaware a cappella group. "We're thinking

about meeting the Hen Harmonics at Ursinus to do a performance there as well," McGasko said. She also spoke of the possibility of traveling as a group to California for spring break to do some performances. "Dana Lehr '92, a former leader of the Silhouettes, is in a capella group at Stanford, and we plan to swap music with them and maybe travel to perform there in the spring."

McGasko expressed the group's enthusiasm for the upcoming year and for Saturday night's performance. "It should be a really classy event in Larison," she stated.

The Bison Chips are also anticipating a good turnout for Saturday night. The Chips, who performed along with the Silhouettes during Homecoming Weekend, include Brian Frutchey '95, Bryan Gess '95, Joe LaFalce '95, Tim Anderson '95, Mike Phillips '96, Matt Mehaffey '97, Matt Rhoads '97, Ryan Zollner '97, Trey Helms '98, Leeds Allen '98, and Ashwin Mehta '98.

Like the Silhouettes, the Bison Chips are planning to record a new CD during January. Their live CD of last year's twentieth anniversary homecoming concert is about to be completed, a fact for which the Chips would like to apologize. "It should have been finished earlier; it's been out of our hands for months now," Frutchey explained.

On a higher note, Frutchey stated that the Chips are happy with newcomers Helms, Allen, and Mehta. The three first-year students are looking forward to Christy's. Speaking in a voice that could only come from the south (North Carolina, to be exact), Helms claimed, "The concert will be better than grits!" His fellow Chips concurred.

Like their female counterparts, the Bison Chips are planning to road trip sometime in November. Other concert plans include December's A Cappella Night in the Bison and the annual Chipfest, which takes place during Parent's Weekend in the spring.

Christy's promises an evening filled with refreshments, music, and good times. Bring your parents to Christy's—they'll thank you for it.

The Seagull to be performed

From page 1



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Bernard Zilinskis will perform in this weekend's production of *The Seagull*.

be rich and famous and once there, they are miserable. And so they move back in with their parents. "Inasmuch as the children feel the need to rebel, they need their parents," said Yastremski.

Thus, we have a demonstration of one of the many contrasts that Chekov sets up in the play. Bob Gainer, associate professor of theatre, also stars in the play. He plays the oldest character as an ineffectual sickly man. Yastremski laughs that one would think that such a character would impart wis-

dom to the young people in the audience, and instead he makes them laugh. "Also featured are Bernie Zilinskis '95, Larissa Grason '96, Jessica Alexander '95, Brian Vettoso '95, Vanessa Danwhite '99. Nicole Cobban '95 is stage manager. The inspiration to do the play is an attempt to contrast to last spring's production of a more lighthearted *Mulder*. Zilinskis saw the play production in London and returned to Bucknell to rally McLaughlin and others into doing the play.

The question audience members can ask is "Who is the Seagull?" This is one symbol in the play that is unanswerable. In essence, every character gets stuffed and put on a shelf—but not quite," said Yastremski. *The Seagull* will be featured in Coleman Hall at 8 p.m. on Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. Admission is \$4.00 on Friday and Saturday and \$3.00 on Sunday and Monday. On Sunday there will also be a forum to discuss the play after the performance in the LC Forum.

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Old and new Halloween hauntings: a cave and poetry

Reading their personal writings and other published works, thirty-five people gathered for an unique Halloween experience

BY CATHIE ANDREASEN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It was 7 o'clock. A waning full moon illuminated the road which led to Woodward Cave. Occasionally wisps of clouds would shroud the light building on atmosphere that already had me anticipating the evening's events.

I was winding my way to a Hal-

loween Cave Party. Not just a typical Bucknellian bash, but a poetry and prose reading designed to captivate any audience.

The October 22nd evening was a concoction of masterminds Bill Kupinse and Kevin Clark, graduate students of Bucknell, with help from Vanessa Jones '95.

Approximately 35 bodies macabrely in the macabre listened

to readings which consisted of both published and personal works. Edgar Allan Poe seemed to be the selected favorite.

There was a chill in the air as a

slight breeze breathed across the candles, causing them to flicker and throw ominous shadows upon the rocky walls. A stalagmite seated upon the stone floor was

often mistaken as a person, and bats nestled amongst the stalactites would screech their approval as each reading came to a close.

"I think that seeing the breath of the readers as they read by flashlight really added to the atmosphere," said Majorie Priceman an attendee who also help set up the atmosphere of the cave herself.

In between readings, music, and mingling (in that order), cave owner "Pete" conducted small informational tours of the various "rooms" and formations.

"This is quite a success, to get this many Bucknell students to drive 30 miles just to sit in a cave and listen to poetry," stated Kevin. "We'd like to try to make this an annual event."

Excerpt from

A Lot of Night Music

by Anthony Hecht

Out of the woods and woodwork poets come,
Hauling their truths and booty,
Each one a Phosphor, writing by his own lights,
And with a diesel haum
Of mosquitoes or priests, proffer their wordy duty.

They speak in tongues, no doubt;
High glossolalia, runic gibberish.
Some are like desert saints,
Wheat-germ ascetics, draped in pelt and clout.
Some come in schools, like fish.
These make their litany of dark complaints;
Those laugh and rejoice
At liberation from the bonds of gender,
Race, morals and mind,
As well as meter, rhyme and the human voice.



Photo courtesy of Cathie Andreason

Over thirty people attended this unusual Halloween bash. In addition to the reading, tours of the cave were given.



Photo courtesy of Cathie Andreason

Dressed in a bat costume she put together herself, Sally Ryman '97 contributes to the evening's eerie readings in a cave. The cave is located thirty minutes away from the campus.

Bussler '98 is on the funny side of things

BY LAINA WILK
Bucknellian Staff Writer

One doesn't normally associate cartoons with seriousness, but for Mark Bussler '98, "not taking things too seriously" is exactly the point.

Bussler, a business major from Pittsburgh, has been "drawing forever" but just recently embarked on a quasi-side-career in cartoonography. His series "Bolfar" is a continuing 20 part series featured in *The Bucknellian*, his first major publication outside his high school newspaper.

Bussler first imagined the series in the middle of his high school physics class.

Bolfar, as Bussler puts it, is "a cross between He-man, Star Wars, Conan, with some disco thrown in." Careful not to delve too deep into an analytical tirade, Bussler describes the plot as a simple one of a young "super-study" guy who "gets superpowers (and must) save a princess" in a non-typical, non-politically-correct way.

Although Bussler admits with a smile that "I just like seeing my stuff in print," he also admits that he would like to continue drawing cartoons after college. However, it would most likely remain a hobby or side job as comic book authors

"don't make a lot of money." Bussler doesn't foresee himself becoming a comic strip writer either, claiming that "strips limit my space." If anything, he would enjoy writing comic books where he can take a theme or an idea and expand it into a continuing story. Even book writing is not high on Bussler's life agenda.

Citing financial concerns as a factor, "if I can make money in it, I'll do it," Bussler smirks. More likely, he says, he'll obtain a degree in business and work in marketing or advertising.

In the mean time, Bussler is concentrating on his work for his own pleasure. While he feels that drawing comes naturally, he wants to improve on the general artwork and thinks he "needs to work on [his] inking," the process of shading and clarifying images.

Realizing that his cartoon and sense of humor may "not appeal to everyone," his hopes for the series and the demands he asks of his audience are minimal and humble.

"I hope to entertain some people. I'm extremely thrilled if people actually read it. But nothing would make me happier than to see a response to it in the editorial section." To him, its worth reading if for no other reason than "it's completely different than anything you've ever seen before, especially here at Bucknell."



David de Vitry—The Bucknellian

Although he does not plan to pursue a professional career as a cartoonist, Mark Bussler '98 keeps on drawing for personal satisfaction. His series "Bolfar" appears weekly in *The Bucknellian*.



A&E Calendar

Thursday, October 27
Jazz Concert: Heart Like a Feather, 8:30 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center

Friday, October 28
Hilltop Film Series: Late Spring, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Mainstage Play: *The Sea Gull*, 8 p.m., Coleman Theatre

Parent's Weekend Concert: Rooke Chapel Choir, Bucknell University Concert Choral, and Rooke Chapel Singers, 8:30 p.m., Weis Center
Movie: *Jurassic Park*, 10 p.m.,

Rooke Chapel Lawn (rain location, Vaughan Literature Auditorium)
Saturday, October 29
All-University Picnic: 11:30 a.m., Fieldhouse
Mainstage Play: *The Sea Gull*, 8 p.m., Coleman Theatre
Concert: Slovak Philharmonic Orchestra, Ondrej Lenard, conductor, and Claudio Jaffe, cello soloist, 8:30 p.m., Weis Center

Sunday, October 30
Mainstage Play: *The Sea Gull*, 8 p.m., Coleman Theatre

Monday, October 31
Japanese Film Series: Tokyo Story, 7 p.m., Room 101B, Coleman Hall
Mainstage Play: *The Sea Gull*, 8 p.m., Coleman Theatre

Tuesday, November 1
Guest Artist Recital: Margaret Leng-Tan, piano, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Wednesday, November 2
Writer's Harvest: The National Reading, 7:30 p.m., Bucknell Hall

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Next Week:
Cross Country
Championships

Football takes on
Holy Cross

Women's Volleyball

SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"From day one of the season, I was confident we could win it all."
—Eric Marsh '95

Awakening to the call... Swimming to open season

BY SCOTT WOODWORTH
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The alarms around campus begin sounding around 5:30 a.m. As most of Bucknell dreams, about 60 Bucknellians sleepily migrate towards the Freas-Rooke pool. Freshman bundled in blue parkas hope to get picked up by one of the many upperclassmen speeding by. At 6:00 a.m. most of the swimmers are sleeping on the gym floor awaiting instructions from the coach. As 6:05 a.m. rolls around, the hell begins.

For the swimmers on the Bucknell swim team, especially the men of the old school, this season is different. The difference is Lynn Kachmarik. Lynn is taking over the men's team, adding it to her list of duties, which include coaching the women's team. Lynn has brought with her a positive attitude which has rubbed off on the rest of the team. To put it in the words of Lynn herself, we are all "totally psyched" about this season. Doug Monty '96 summed it up best when he said, "we should have a great year with a great freshman class and a senior team which has shown its leadership abilities."

This year's captains are Stewart Harris '95, Doug Reid '95, and Rick Stenson '95 on the men's side, Colleen Brooks '95 and Jeanne Klawon '95 on the women's side. Last year's graduating seniors will be missed, but they have been compensated for with a strong first-year class. This class includes Doug Kazley, Antonio Lannes, Elio Comfort and Vadim Turkoglu for the men, and Jen Myers, Stephanie Coleman, Andrea Stanley and diver Cory Feulner for the women. Even though the season has yet to start, the team has been training since the second week of school. The team is looking forward to their first meet on Saturday, Nov. 5 against Cuyahoga State. The season goal is to win the Patriot League championship and place well at Easterns. With hard work and dedication these goals can be achieved.

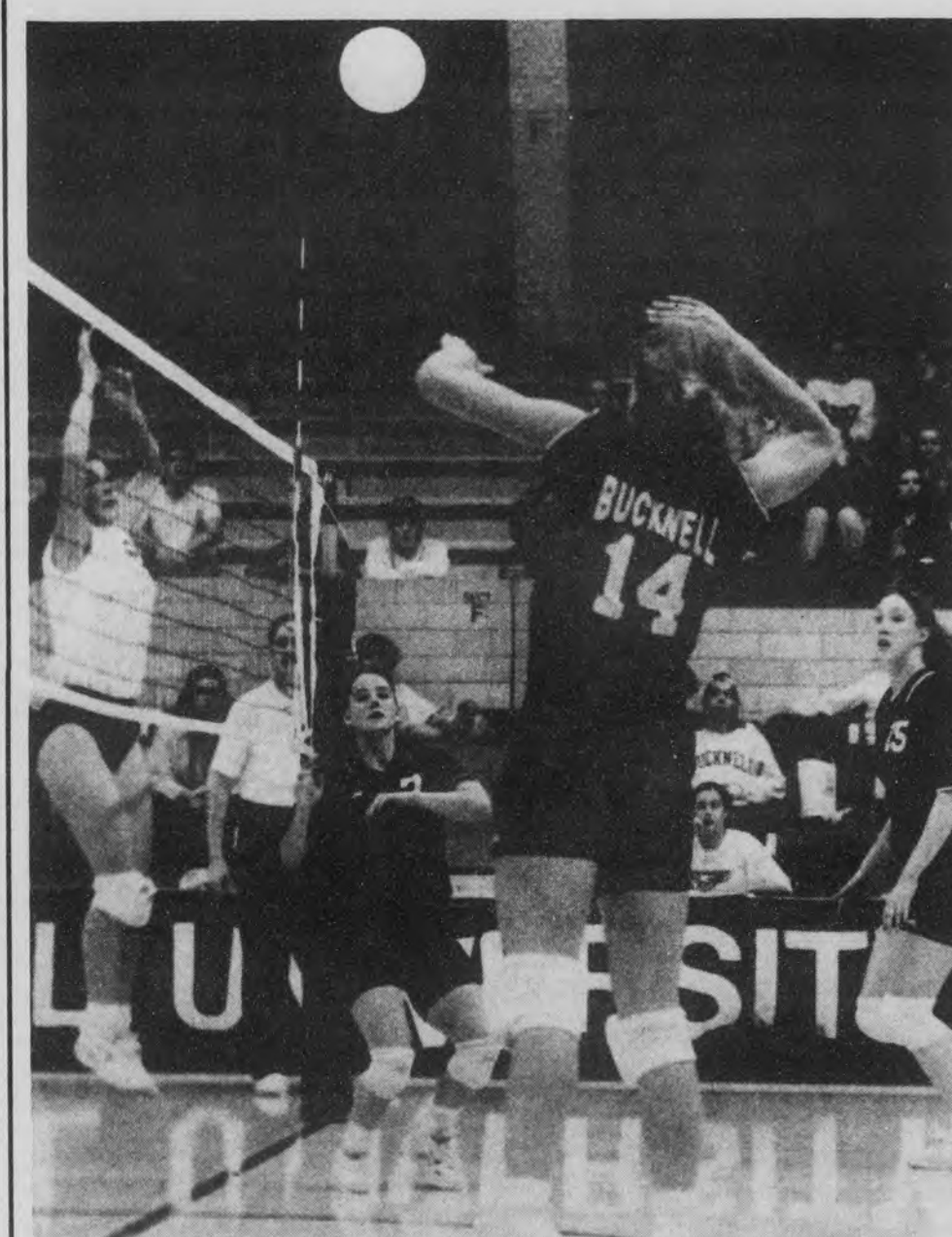
Women's soccer upset by Army

BY BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

In the last Patriot League game, Bucknell was upset by Navy 2-1. This is Navy's first year in the Patriot League, and the Mids were picked to finish eighth (last in the league). Their overall record at the season's midpoint was 5-6 to Bucknell's 7-4. Coming into the game with a 9-4-1 record, Bucknell was a heavy favorite. The first period of the game was scoreless on both sides. The Lady Bison jumped out to a 1-0 lead at 6:00 in the second period when Lisa Gibbons '95 scored off an assist from Liz Woodrow '98. Navy tied the game up at 15:00, and scored the go ahead goal at 37:00. Both Navy goals were scored by Cori Thornton who has had an excellent season. At the half, she was second in the Patriot League in points with 28. Goal tender Kristin Coates '98 had a below-average game, allowing 2 goals and making 3 saves in 45 minutes. Also, the Lady Bison only out-shot Navy 16-11 and the Mids had 3 corner kicks to their 2.

The game against Navy, however, is not indicative of the team's potential or their performance in previous games. Since their win against Army, the Lady Bison have out-shot their opponents in six games straight. In their three games prior to the Navy game, they beat Stetson 5-1, Fordham 4-2 on Homecoming weekend, and had an impressive 6-1 win against Scranton. In that game, they out-shot Scranton 29-6, and had 5 corner kicks to Scranton's 3. In that game, Lisa Gibbons '95 set a new team record for assists in a game with 4, and, Kerry McDonnell tied the team record for goals in a game with 4. That victory also gave the Lady Bison their ninth win this season, which is another team record. Their record this year has also earned the lady Bi-

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Bucknellian File Photo
L-R: Brenda Hayduk '96, Sarah Kukanskis '97, and Katie Steele '96 hope to smash both Fordham and Army this weekend.

Volleyball to challenge Cadets; Fordham next

BY JONATHAN MICHAELSON

Riding a four match winning streak, the Bucknell Women's Volleyball team, who are currently 16-9, hope to sustain their momentum this weekend in upcoming matches versus Patriot League rivals Fordham and Army.

Even with Patriot League leader Army waiting in the wings, the Bison have no intentions of looking past the cellar-dwelling Fordham.

The Bison are led on the front line by first team All-League junior tri-captain Katie Steele, Sophomore middle blocker Heather Rendel, and first-year big hitter, Melissa Wharton. Steele leads the Bison in kills (223), hitting percentage (.292), and in solo blocks with 58. The 5' 11" Rendel has continued her consistent play throughout the year, posting 176 kills and a .275 hitting percentage. Wharton has impressed many during her first Bison campaign, racking up 138 kills to go along with a .263 hitting percentage.

Sophomore sensation Susie Teisworth '97 has come on strong this semester to lead the Patriot League in service aces. With 65 service aces, she is ranked seventh in the nation. In addition, Teisworth leads the team in digs (258) and is second on the Bison in kills with 178.

First-year phenom Amy Turnshek '98 and tri-captain Brenda Hayduk '96 have split time contributing at setter this season. The slightly more effective Turnshek is averaging 7.43 assists per game while Hayduk is dishing out 4.09 assists of her own per game.

With a 2-19 record going into this weekend's games, first year Fordham coach John Wyles hasn't had much to smile about this season. Once again, the Rams find themselves bringing up the rear of the Patriot League. With a team hitting percentage of .170 (6th in the Patriot League) good defensive play has been one of the few highlights of the Rams 1994 season to date. Senior Outside hitter Jennifer Shea leads the Patriot League in digs per game with 3.90. Not far behind her is junior middle blocker Suzanne Meehan, who averages 3.51 digs per game.

On the opposite end of the spectrum, Army has played extremely well this season. Although their 13-13 record suggests mediocrity, the Lady Knights are the class of the Patriot League. Army's ace-in-the-hole is senior captain Sunny Barse, who leads the league in kills (278) and is an impressive second in hitting with a .299 percentage. Not only do they have one of the most productive players in the league, Barse, but Army is also number one in the Patriot League with a .231 team hitting percentage. In addition to playing a tough schedule, Army's opponents have included UMass, Rutgers, Syracuse, and Illinois.

According to Bucknell's 4th year coach Cindy Opalski, this weekend's game will be pivotal in terms of seeding for the Patriot League Championships, which will take place on November 12-13.

"As long as we get by Fordham, we have a really good chance to play the spoiler in this one," said Coach Opalski. "With Army coming off their biggest game

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Women All-Blacks shutout F&M

BY ERICA YENCHA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell's women's rugby team finished up their regular season with a 16-0 win over Franklin and Marshall. Despite missing several veteran players to injuries, the All-Blacks dominated the entire game. The women ruggers came out strong and quickly dove down the field commanding the first ten minutes of play. Although shaken up by a previous play, Jung Lee '96 was able to rally and took the ball in for Bucknell's first try. Alyssa Gady '98 came in to make the extra point, putting the score at 6-0. The All-Blacks continued to push back any attempts by Franklin and Marshall. Jen Andrews '96, was able to put the ball in the try zone, and the All-Blacks

retired the half leading 11-0.

The second half was just another 35 minutes of Bucknell domination. After having two Bucknell tries called back, Sue Affronti '95, was finally able to score, pushing the lead to 16.

"The team was really able to pull together. People were put into positions they had never played before, and they did a great job," said Affronti, who is the captain of the forwards. Jen Andrews '96 agreed, saying "...this was the best game we have ever played."

The women ruggers' regular season is officially over. However, a place in district play is not impossible. A loss by the University of Scranton this weekend may assure Bucknell's position in play-offs as a wild card team.

Experience key for field hockey Two remaining games before big tournament

BY COLEEN P. ZOLLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With two games remaining before the Patriot League Tournament on November 5-6, the Field Hockey team needs "to get back on track," says Tina Jones '98.

This week the Bison suffered two disappointing losses at American and Lock Haven, 5-0 and 5-1, respectively. The Orange and Blue were on an impressive winning streak. Sally Keith '96 explains, "They were disappointing losses because we have a lot of talent. We could have done better."

This losing streak could be a bad omen in the waning moments before the Patriot League Tournament. However, these defeats could also be due to the proximity of the Patriot League challenge. "American and Lock Haven were a half step ahead of us," claims Sarah Catlin '98. "They had more intensity than we did," she explains. Jones notes, "For some players these weren't as important as other games, but they are supposed to be." Midfielder Keith continues, "We played sporadically. But those two games taught us how important it is to come out and compete, no matter who we are playing."

This weekend's match-ups with Fairfield on Saturday and LaSalle on Sunday will be key for the squad's outlook heading into the Championship Tournament. The Bison need to work on some basic aspects like shooting and passing in these

upcoming matchups. Keith stresses, "It is very important for us to get back into the right mood. The two upcoming games will set us up really well for the Patriot League Tournament." In addition to concentration and intensity, the group will look to strengthen their passing which should improve their transitions from defense to offense. Perhaps this rough patch in the season is a symbol of the inability of the Bison to close out individu-

"It is very important for us to get back into the right mood. The two upcoming games will set us up really well for the Patriot League Tournament."
—Sally Keith '96

al games convincingly, which was a weakness cited by Captain Kelly Seed '95 after last week's 2-1 win over Colgate. In general, the experience to be gained in the next two contests should be tell-tale of the fate of the team. Catlin forecasts, "It is Parent's Weekend, so there is added excitement for the games which will bring up our game. Then we can save that for the Tournament."



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Kate McIlvain '97 carries the ball upfield in hopes of a goal against Lehigh.

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Bruce MacKenzie '95 strides toward self-satisfaction.

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BISON SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL (4-3)									
October 22, 1994 (away)									
Lehigh	7	7	0	13	27				
Bucknell	7	7	0	10	31				
BISON BOX SCORES:									
Lehigh: 19 yd pass from Aylerworth, kick good.									
Bucknell: 4 yd run, kick good.									
Lehigh: 8 yd rush, kick good.									
Bucknell: 15 yd pass from Aylerworth, kick good.									
Lehigh: 36 yd pass from Aylerworth, kick good.									
Bucknell: 1 yd pass from Aylerworth, kick good.									
Lehigh: 20 yd pass from Aylerworth, pass failed.									
FINAL TEAM STATISTICS:									
First Downs	13	26							
Rushing	6	4							
Passing	7	20							
Penalty	0	2							
Rushing Attempts	167	92							
Yards Gained Rushing	53	65							
Net Yards Rushing	114	27							
Net Yards Passing	233	395							
Passes Attempted	19	53							
Passes Completed	11	34							
Yards Per Pass	4.7	7.4							
Total Offensive Plays	60	89							
Net Yards	347	422							
Avg Gain Per Play	5.8	4.7							
Fumbles-Lost	2-0	2-1							
Penalties-Yards	3-42	6-68							
Number Punts-Yards	6-231	6-231							
Avg Per Punt	47.0	38.5							
Punt Returns-Yards	4-40	4-40							
Kickoff Returns-Yards	4-57	4-57							
Int Returns-Yards	2-14	2-14							
Interception Time	27:19	34:41							
Out of Down Conversions	5-14	12-21							
Sacks	7	4							

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Passing

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Tackles

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Next Game: Saturday, Oct. 22, 1994, vs. Lehigh, at Lehigh 1:00 pm.

MEN'S SOCCER

(6-7-1, 2-4)

October 19, 1994 (away)

Name ATT YDS TD LONG

Lehigh

Bucknell

Volleyball

(15-9)

October 22, 1994 (away)

Game 1

Lehigh

Bucknell

Bison Box Scores:

Goals

PSU-Reid (2), Wilmot,

Cafferky, Guster, Gouverneur

Assists

PSU-Coll, Lear (2), Well

WOMEN'S SOCCER

(9-5-1, 4-3)

October 19, 1994 (home)

Bucknell

Scranton

Goals

Bucknell-McDonnell (4),

Gibbons, Crane

Assists

Bucknell-Gibbons(3),

Raymont, Ravetz, Crane

Shots

Bucknell-29

Scranton-6

Corners

Bucknell-5

Scranton-3

Goalie

Name School Saves GA

Bucknell-9

American-0

Towns-0

October 22, 1994 (away)

Bucknell

USNA

Goals

Bucknell-Gibbons

Assists

Bucknell-Woodrow

Shots

Bucknell-16

USNA-11

Corners

Bucknell-2

USNA-3

Goalie

Name School Saves GA

Bucknell-16

USNA-11

Corners

Bucknell-2

USNA-3

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Next Game: Saturday, Oct. 22,

1994, vs. Lehigh, at Lehigh 1:00

pm.

MEN'S SOCCER

(6-7-1, 2-4)

October 19, 1994 (away)

Bucknell 1 2 OT Final

PSU 0 0 - 0

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Goals

PSU: Reid (2), Wilmut,

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WOMEN'S SOCCER

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October 19, 1994 (home)

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Scranton 1 0 - 1

Goals

Bucknell: McDonnell (4),

Gibbons, Crane

Assists

Bucknell-Gibbons (3),

Raymont, Ravetz, Crane

Shots

Bucknell-29

Scranton-6

Goals

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Dickinson-12

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Dickinson-5

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Bucknell 1 2 OT Final

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Bucknell: Gibbons

Assists

Bucknell-Woodrow

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USNA-3

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Bucknell 1 1 - 2

Colgate 0 1 - 1

BISON BOX SCORES:

Goals

Bucknell-Goodall, Hauck

Assists

Bucknell-Goodall

Shots

Bucknell-13

Colgate-19

Corners

Bucknell-9

Colgate-10

Goalie

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October 22, 1994 (away)

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American 5 0 - 5

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American-30

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SPORTS

Commentary

Will the best team in college football please stand?

The mid-term election for Bill Clinton is less than two weeks away. Republicans are looking to take control of Congress for the first time in 40 years, yet talk is small and debate is uninspired when compared to arguments made over that most vital question that seems to arise annually when the leaves begin to fall in the autumn and lasts until the snow melts in the spring.

Yes, that most vital question is of course: Who is the best team in college football?

More than halfway through the season there are still eight undefeated major college teams. The two most unlikely candidates for a perfect season, Duke and Utah, are better known for three-point shots than blitzing defenses. The last time Duke had an undefeated team two-thirds of the way through the season a guy named Hurley was dishing the ball off to a certain lanky lad named Laettner. However, the honeymoon for these teams won't last much longer. The Blue Devils are destined to lose their last four regular season games as they have to face four Top 25 schools, and Utah isn't much better off since I can't remember the last time a WAC school won the Holiday Bowl. Besides the thought of a western school winning the national title just makes me sick.

The next two teams, Auburn and Texas A&M, could both quite possibly end the season undefeated, but can't go to a bowl since they're on probation. Can you really give the championship to a team on probation? Remember, Texas A&M plays a perennially soft schedule, but it only plays one other Top 25 team all season, which ironically just happens to be Alabama, the fifth undefeated team. What's with the Crimson Tide. They just don't know how to lose. They're not a real talented team, but they play tough, tenacious defense and seem to win every game by a field goal.

Colorado ventures to Lincoln to play Tommy Frazier-less Nebraska this Saturday, in one of the most anticipated match-ups of the season. One team is sure to see its untarnished record so far render meaningless as its national championships dreams will have to wait another year, while the other becomes the co-favorite for the title along with Penn State.

It has been eight years since Penn State has finished on top, defeating Miami 14-10 in the Fiesta Bowl, and all the Nittany Lions have to do for a repeat performance is to beat Ohio State and Illinois, along with three other Big 10 doormats and probably Arizona in the Rose Bowl.

The problem this year is that if Penn State remains undefeated and goes to the Rose Bowl, it won't be able to play another national championship contender such as Alabama or Colorado because of the Big 10's tie to the Rose Bowl. You can't forget the two undefeated teams on probation.

So the debate will continue for many months after it's decided by the coaches and sportswriters about who is the college football's best?

Eric Shortz

Eric Shortz, Staff Writer

Victorious women's tennis season reluctantly closes



The 1994 Women's tennis team proudly displays their Patriot League title.

BY MATT HARRINGTON AND SARA ALLEN
Bucknellian Staff Writers

There is a sense of both fulfillment and sadness as Julia Diaz '95 and Kristina Lutter '95 pack up their racquet bags and turn in their uniforms. These emotions will not soon fade.

Julia Diaz has certainly left her share of memories behind her, from her dominance at number one singles her freshman and sophomore year to the pain of missing her entire junior year with a severe knee injury. But who will forget her senior year—her climb

back to the top of her team and the top of her game. The numbers tell only part of her story. Her matches, wins, and winning percentage at first singles all greatly exceed her nearest follower in Bucknell history. But there is a faint echo in the tennis team's locker room and on the courts where they play; a ghost of her junior year, and her season lost, a ghost of that which could have been.

Like a silent predator, Kristina Lutter tore her unexpected Patriot League prey apart. She ripped through her opponents

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Bison to challenge stingy Leopards

Narrowly defeated preseason favorite Lehigh to capture first Patriot League win

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

In a battle of Patriot League rivals, Bucknell defeated the Lehigh Engineers 31-27, the difference being a 44-yard field goal by kicker Rich Miller '97. Bucknell advanced to 4-3, while Lehigh dropped to 3-3-1. Coach Maranzana was pleased with the balanced effort, commenting, "It was an important win since it was our first league game, as well as being on the road. It took a team effort across the board."

Lehigh struck early in the first quarter, capping off their initial drive with a 19-yard touchdown pass for a 7-0 lead. Later in the first quarter, Bucknell tied up the game at 7-7. A 55-yard bomb from quarterback Rob Glus '95 to wide receiver Steve Noteboom '96 set up junior fullback Bob Horst's 4-yard touchdown run, his third of the season. Bucknell scored again early in the second quarter on an

8-yard reverse by wide receiver/kick returner Troy White '95, giving them a 14-7 lead. On the Engineers' next possession they drove down to Bucknell's 3-yard line. There, the Bison defense stiffened, dropping Lehigh for a 2-yard loss. On the following play, linebacker Russ Strohecker '95 came up big, intercepting Lehigh quarterback Bob Aylsworth in the end zone for a touchback. The defense came through in another pressure situation on the Engineers' next possession. With the Lehigh offense threatening to score at the Bucknell 5-yard line, strong safety John Henry '95 forced a fumble, and defensive tackle Jeremy Patty '95 recovered the loose ball. The Engineers went on to tie up the score on a 5-yard touchdown pass later in the quarter, and the score remained 14-14 at halftime.

Bucknell took the opening kickoff of the second half 82 yards for a touchdown on tailback sophomore Rich Lemon's

'97 15-yard touchdown reception from quarterback Rob Glus. With the extra point, the Bison led 21-14, and would continue to do so for the rest of the game. Bucknell increased its lead to 28-14 when a halfback option pass from tailback Craig Svendsen '95 to wide receiver Mike Phillips '96 went for a 36-yard touchdown. Lehigh responded quickly and scored on their next drive, making the score 28-21. With 7:16 left, and in danger of losing momentum, Bucknell was able to mount a sustained drive, making use of their strong running game. On the fourth down at Lehigh's 27-yard line, kicker Rich Miller '97 proceeded to nail a career-best 44-yard field goal, extending the Bison lead to 10 with 2:13 remaining. Lehigh took the ensuing kickoff and marched down the field, scoring a touchdown with 19 seconds left to play. However, the Engineers' two-point conversion attempt was unsuccessful, leaving the score

31-27. Bucknell then recovered Lehigh's onside kickoff, extinguishing any hope of a comeback for the Engineers.

The Bison used a balanced attack on offense and an opportunistic defense in their victory. On offense, tailback Rich Lemon recorded his record 11th straight 100-yard rushing game with 110 yards on 21 carries, maintaining his status as rushing leader of the Patriot League. He also tied a Bucknell record with his 13th career 100-yard game. Quarterback Rob Glus had a good day, completing 10 of 17 passes for 197 yards and a touchdown. Glus ranks first in the Patriot League in passing efficiency. The majority of those receiving yards went to tight end Mark Gentile '95, who pulled in 3 catches for 89 yards to lead the team.

Sacks were quite abundant on defense, with the Lehigh quarterback feeling the ground 8 times. Senior defensive ends Ed Burman and Pat Feeley led the team in

sacks, racking up 3.5 and 1.5, respectively. Strong safety John Henry '95 led the team in tackles, with 11, while linebackers Russ Strohecker and Andrew Welty '95 each picked off a pass. Strohecker is first in the league in interceptions, and Rich Miller ranks first in punting.

The hard-working Bucknell defense continued to make big plays. Ed Burman, who leads the Bison with 8 sacks, was pleased with the quarterback pressure exerted against Lehigh, "The whole defensive line in general played really well. We used a combination of all of our attributes to get to the quarterback," he said.

Saturday, the Lafayette Leopards (1-6) will be coming to Christy Mathewson Stadium. Lafayette has a strong ground attack, with All-Patriot League runningback Erik Marsh, and a recently stingy defense. This battle of Patriot League rivals will commence at 1 p.m.

Bison Calendar

The sporting events for Bucknell University for the

week of October 28 through November 2.

Fri. Oct. 28	Volleyball at Navy vs. Fordham	7:00
Sat. Oct. 29	FOOTBALL vs. LAFAYETTE	1:00
	FIELD HOCKEY vs. FAIRFIELD	
	MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY -	
	PATRIOT LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS	
	WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY -	
	PATRIOT LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS	
	Volleyball at Navy vs. Army	12:00
Sun. Oct. 30	Field Hockey vs. LaSalle	
	MEN'S SOCCER vs. NAVY	2:00
	WOMEN'S SOCCER vs. GEORGETOWN	3:30
Wed. Nov. 2	MEN'S SOCCER vs. PHILADELPHIA	7:15
	TEXTILE	



Bucknellian File Photo

The Bison will face a tough Lafayette team this weekend. Contributions from Rich Lemon '97 and Rob Glus '95 helped the Orange and Blue narrowly defeat pre-season favorite Lehigh.

?????????? Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. What was the highest combined runs in a MLB game?
2. Who holds the record for home runs? How many?
3. What Bucknellian holds the record for consecutive 100-yard rushing games?
4. Can you name the NHL player with the most goals in a season? How many?
5. Who was the first NBA player to shatter the backboard?

Answers:

1. Philadelphia 27, Chicago Cubs 23; 2. Hank Aaron (755); 3. Rich Lemon '97 with 11 games; 4. Wayne Gretzky 92; 5. Darryl Dawkins (1980)

With the futures of baseball and hockey in question, there may be a glut of unemployed sports writers. Don't be one of them. Write for Sports today. Call Keith at x5624.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Mostly cloudy. Low near 40. High around 60.
 Friday—Mostly cloudy. Low near 40. High around 60.
 Saturday—Fair early. Increasing cloudiness late with a chance of showers. Low in the mid 40s to lower 50s. High in the lower 60s to lower 70s.
 Sunday—Showers ending in the morning. Low in the mid 40s to lower 50s. High in the mid 50s to 60s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

THE BUCKNELLIAN

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State votes to be counted Tuesday

Ridge favored among Bucknellians for top position in PA government

Editor's note: All text and photos for the information presented in this article is courtesy of The League of Women Voters and the Pennsylvania Family Institute.

PENNSYLVANIA GOVERNOR

Term: Four years
 Salary: \$105,000
 Vote for one.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Term: Four years
 Salary: \$83,000
 Candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor run as a team. Cast a single vote for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

GOVERNOR

Democrat
 MARK S. SINGEL
 Johnstown, PA
 D.O.B. 9/12/53
 Education: Magna cum laude grad. of Penn. State Univ., B.A.
 Occupation: Lt. Governor of Pennsylvania
 Qualifications: Acting Governor: six months; Lt. Governor: seven and a half years; State Senator: six years.

Issues Statement: Mark Singel is on the side of working families. Mark Singel will put his on-the-job experience to work by expanding jobs in new industries. He'll require welfare participants to get a job—and make it possible for them to do so. He'll help working families to make ends meet with tax cuts, financial incentives, and secure health care. To make families safer, he'll implement tough, new anti-crime strategies. Mark Singel will make government work better on less with a complete audit.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Democrat
 THOMAS P. FOLEY
 Flourtown, PA
 D.O.B. 12/31/53
 Education: Dartmouth College, B.A.; Univ. College Dublin, Graduate Fellow; Yale Law School, J.D.
 Occupation: Former PA Secretary of Labor and Industry
 Qualifications: I am the only candidate for Lt. Governor who has been on the front lines statewide in the fight for good jobs in Pennsylvania and I have a strong record on matters of equal opportunity.
 Issues Statement: My priorities upon election:

THE PENNSYLVANIA GUBERNATORIAL ELECTIONS: Do BUCKNELLIANs CARE?

We asked 103 students:
 Do you know who the candidates are?



66 % NO



33 % YES

Why aren't you interested?

"The Bucknell Bubble" 35%

Just not interested 35%

Don't read newspaper / watch TV 26%

Other 4%

Whom do you favor to win?

No candidate 40%

Ridge 34%

Singel 26%

Jeff Boulter graphic

Phone survey conducted by Karen Waters '96, Jen Andrews '96, Sara Allen '96, and Kate Ardinger '97

1) Jobs. 2) Jobs. 3) Jobs. The best answer to most social problems is a good job. Keeping good jobs in Pennsylvania, bringing new jobs here, and investing in the one resource that stays here—our workforce—must be the top priority of the public and private sectors.

GOVERNOR
 Republican
 TOM RIDGE
 Erie, PA
 D.O.B. 8/26/45
 Education: B.A. with Honors, Harvard Univ., 1967; Major: government studies; J.D., The Dickinson School of Law, 1972
 Occupation: U.S. Congressman, 21st District
 Qualifications: Staff Sergeant U.S. Army (Vietnam), 1969-'70; Assist. D.A. Erie County, 1980-'82; U.S. Congressman, 1983-'94

Issues Statement: Pennsylvania can and must do better. As governor, I will change Harrisburg by: fighting back against violent adult and juvenile crime, reforming our antiquated rape and domestic violence laws, and imposing the death penalty; cutting \$2 billion in wasteful government spending to put Pennsylvania back to work; empowering Pennsylvanians with Initiative and Referendum and more responsive, accountable government; and creating a balanced, environmental partnership thorough reform of our Department of Environmental Resources.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Republican
 MARK S. SCHWEIKER
 Langhorne, PA
 D.O.B.: 1/31/53

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Final candidate visits campus

Peter Berek talks with University last Thursday

BY COLLEEN RUSH AND
 KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writers



Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

Peter Berek, the current Dean of Faculty and Provost, and Professor of English at Mount Holyoke, visited campus last Thursday. Berek was the third candidate vying for the presidential position.

Peter Berek believes that one of the roles that the president of Bucknell plays is that of an interpreter.

Berek, dean of the faculty and Provost at all-female Mount Holyoke College in Massachusetts, said during his talk in the LC Forum with members of the University community last Thursday that an important aspect of the position of president is to be able to explain and articulate University issues to the Bucknell community as well as to the outside world.

The last of three presidential candidates to visit the campus, Berek actually ran for the position of dean of arts and sciences in 1990. At that time, Berek withdrew from the candidacy for the position of dean after his visit to campus.

In the Forum Berek was, in the opinion of some faculty members, "confident, experienced, and self-assured."

"I had a very favorable reaction to him," said Robert Taylor, professor of English, in an interview. "He was very forthright in his answers, was sincere, and he has had a very impressive background both as a teacher and administrator."

Although Allen Schweinsberg, chair and associate professor of mathematics said that he felt that many of the questions his colleagues asked were "soft," or "a little bland," and that Berek didn't have to take any risks, he handled himself well.

"Berek has had a solid record at institutions like Bucknell," Schweinsberg said.

Responding to a question about the Greek system, Berek acknowledged that he had deactivated from his fraternity because he did not agree with its stance on certain social justice issues. He said, however, that he knew the Greek system was a large aspect of student life at Bucknell.

Referring to Berek's response, Schweinsberg said that he was delighted to hear that Berek shared his wariness of the Greek system. "But he was careful not to rush to judgement," Schweinsberg said.

"I thought that he was comfortable on his feet. He answered questions very well but sometimes with more length than was necessary," Charles Root, acting chair and professor of chemistry said.

Berek's visit followed William Adams, vice president and secretary at Wesleyan University and Jim Bacchus, democratic congressman from Florida.

Search Committee decides upon candidate

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Presidential Search Committee has selected a candidate for the University presidency.

Although members of the committee would not disclose which of the three candidates they had selected, two members did say that the group had made a decision as to which candidate they will recommend for the position.

Meeting Tuesday in Philadelphia, the committee discussed the recommendations that the campus presidential search committees had made. Associate vice president and committee member, Judith Becker, said that the committee "had a good discussion" about each of the candidate's qualities and then made their decision. "It was not a difficult decision," she said.

What the committee still has to do, said Becker, is to notify the University Trustees of their decision. The Trustees will then vote on the candidate whom the committee selected when they meet on Saturday, November 12. They will

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Pet pig parades through town

Lewisburg residents raise eyebrows as owner walks pig

BY KRISTIE ROBSON
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Sighted walking on Third and Fifth street, the couple was the latest dinner talk at the Temperance House. Although everyone seemed to have seen them, no one knew where the duo lived.

Hairdressers, veterinarians, and shopkeepers could not provide the location of their home. When asked if they had seen the woman who walks her pig and if they knew where she lived, most people simply replied with, "It was quite a sight...I had to look twice...I couldn't believe my eyes...I think they turned down that alley..."

Two older women provided a particular area of the pig and its owner's whereabouts, as well as the name of the pig. So with this information, and a few more knocks on neighbors' doors, the residence of Charlie, the pig, and his owner, Jennifer Johnston, assistant director of Alumni Relations, was found.

Johnston has been collecting pig paraphernalia since she was in the fourth grade. Now 26, Johnston has had Charlie for two years.

And because Lewisburg has no ordinances against pigs as pets as do Sunbury and Selingsgrove, Johnston is able to live with her ideal pet.



Photo courtesy of Jennifer Johnston

Jennifer Johnston, assistant director of Alumni Relations, and her pet pig Charlemagne. Weighing in at 130 pounds, the pig lives with Johnston in her home.

Charlemagne, or Charlie for short, is a 130 pound, pink and black bristly pot belly pig. He has a long straight tail and comparatively small ears for a pig. At two years of age, he manages, like many of his two-year old human counterparts, to cause much of

mischief.

From dumping drawers to getting into the Halloween candy, Charlie even has a unique way of waking Johnston up every morning. "He used to lift up the couch

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Benefactor wills estate to University

BY ANDY SANTILLO
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Lillian and Michael Fremont of Lewisburg weren't alumni, yet they were extremely generous to the Bucknell community.

So generous, in fact, that when Fremont died in March he left his estate to Bucknell. The bulk of his estate will go toward funding scholarships for international students.

Referring to Fremont as "a long-time friend of the University and a long-time personal friend of mine and other people at the University," President Gary Sojka described Fremont as a man who

"had an appreciation for other people of other cultures."

Sojka, who served as executor of Fremont's will, said that although Fremont "never did international business, he was a real internationalist in terms of what he believed in and he enjoyed meeting people from other places."

The international arena was the area in which Fremont saw a way to give back to the community.

"He was always involved in either sending Lewisburg kids overseas or hosting kids from other countries coming to Lewisburg," Sojka said. In addition to his contributions to the Lewisburg community, his involvement with Bucknell provided him with another avenue to do so.

Fremont's daughter, Marcia, was a 1950 graduate of Bucknell. Following her death, Fremont and his wife, Lillian established the Marcia R. Fremont scholarship in 1963. When Mrs. Fremont died, he established a memorial scholarship in her name in 1993 for international students attending Bucknell.

In an article that appeared in the November 1993 issue of *Bucknell World*, Fremont was quoted as saying, "Because I knew that Buck-

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Alum charged in poisoning death

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Columbus police charged Michelle McDermott Barrett '90 with homicide yesterday in the death of her husband, Kirk Barrett '87.

Originally reported to police on September 25 as a suicide, an investigation revealed that Barrett died as a result of potassium cyanide poisoning, allegedly administered without Barrett's knowledge.

According to an article that ran today in the Columbus *Dispatch*, the two went out together the

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Lori Ann Woods—The Bucknellian
 Lorette Schroth '96 works out on the Stairmaster. See story on exercise, page 9.

PIG

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with his nose and drop it over and over. And since I was conscious of the sound, I would rush and get him something to eat."

In addition to his daily schedule that includes two meals consisting of a half-cup of pig food and wheat bran mix per day and an occasional rice cake or dish of applesauce, as well as two walks down the streets of town, Charlie spends his days in Johnston's living room with two cats and a variety of pig toys. Johnston said that she rewards the pig with dog biscuits for sitting, turning around, and rolling a soccer ball across the floor.

The stereotype of a fat, mud-rolling, stupid, easy-going, com-tusk eating pig does not apply to Charlie. Given the choice between a pool of mud and a pool of water, Johnston said that Charlie would opt for water. And his temperament is far from easy-going. Moody and territorial at times, Johnston said that Charlie knows that he can scare people.

When asked what she liked most about Charlie, Johnston said, "He's smart, funny, unlike any other animal, endearing and has a special vocabulary." She said that Charlie often talks to the cats, laughs, and complains. During the interview, when Johnston asked Charlie if he wanted to go back into his kennel, Charlie replied "Noooooowaaa!"

And in an effort to be fair with the questions, Charlie was asked what he liked most about Johnston. Translating Charlie's reply, Johnston said, "He likes that I feed and walk him, moisturize his hooves, kiss and cover him up at night, and scratch his belly." Charlie squealed in agreement to the translation.

According to Johnston, Charlie the pig is the "ultimate family pet. He does not bark at all hours of the night; nibbles people's limbs but doesn't bite; and can 'talk' as well as walk."

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Corrections
In last week's issue, the story that ran on Colonial Candlecrafters incorrectly identified Greg Hess as George. Also, the story unintentionally implied that Country Cupboard's candles are inferior to those produced at Colonial Candlecrafters.

Something interesting happen in town or on campus that you know about? Pick up the phone and call Krissy at 523-6573.

Tuesday, October 25

At 7:30 p.m., officers responded to Tustin Dance Studio for a reported injured person. On the officers' arrival the victim declined any medical assistance.

Wednesday, October 26

Officers were requested at 12:55 a.m. to investigate a possible harassment incident. Investigation revealed that the incident had merely been a sorority related incident.

Thursday, October 27

At 3:52 a.m. a student reported that the recycling bin on the west side of the Library was on fire. On officers' arrival, bin was in flames. William Cameron Fire Co. responded to extinguish the blaze. Cause of the fire is unknown at this time.

Officers responded at noon to the Rooke Chemistry building regarding the theft of two hallway signs. The person(s) who removed these signs also damaged the walls from which they were removed.

At 7:30 p.m. a resident assistant requested assistance for a student who had sustained an injury. Student health services driver was dispatched and transported the victim to student health service for treatment.

Friday, October 28

Residential Life staff member reported at 6:24 p.m. that unknown person(s) did accidentally break a streetlight in the downhill quad while playing football. Work order filed to repair the damage.

Saturday, October 29

At 1:15 a.m. officers also responded to Harris Hall Fourth floor regarding a fire alarm activation. Unknown person(s) did discharge a fire extinguisher for no apparent reason, causing the fire alarm system to activate.

Officers were dispatched at 1:27 a.m. for a Carey House fire alarm activation. Unknown person(s) did activate a pull station on the first floor back hallway for no legitimate reason.

At 3:08 p.m. officers were dispatched to Hunt Hall for a visitor in need of medical assistance. On arrival it was determined an ambulance was needed. Victim was transported to Evangelical hospital for treatment.

At 11:40 p.m. while doing a party check at Kappa Sigma, officers did identify a individual in possession of a can of beer. Individual was under 21 years of age. Charges pending.

Sunday, October 30

While conducting a party check at 12:04 a.m. at Tau Kappa Epsilon, officers identified two individuals to be under the age of 21 possessing alcoholic beverages. Charges pending.

At 12:32 a.m. while conducting a party check at Delta Upsilon, officers identified an individual under the age of 21 possessing an alcoholic beverage. Charges pending.

While on routine patrol at 1:38 a.m. officers observed an individual walking on Fraternity Road with an open container of beer. Individual was found to be under 21 years of age and a student from Lafayette College. The man was cited by East Buffalo Police Department.

At 2:26 a.m. a custodian reported various acts of random vandalism outside the L.C. Unknown person(s) did turn over trash bins, flower planters, benches, and picnic tables.

A 2:30 a.m. a student reported his bike stolen from in front of Smith Hall. Property value of missing bike \$100.

At 11:32 p.m. officers were dispatched to First East, D wing of Smith Hall for a fire alarm activation. On arrival unknown person(s) did also activate a pull station on the Third floor of D wing.

Monday, October 31

It was reported to Public Safety that unknown person(s) did vandalize a door in the Science Complex. This incident occurred between Oct. 28, and 10 a.m. this date. Investigation is continuing.

Tuesday, November 1

At 3:32 a.m. officers responded to Vedder Hall on what turned out to be illegally shot off fire extinguishers on both the First & Second floors of the west wing. There were no witnesses to the act. Alarm system reset and returned to normal status.

At 11:50 p.m. Public Safety officers apprehended one student for underage drinking. Another suspect fled the scene, but was identified. Charges pending.

Wednesday, November 2

A Public Safety Officer accompanied a state constable to a fraternity house to serve a warrant on a student. Student was being arrested for contempt regarding unpaid fines. Student taken into custody without incident.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

State votes to be counted this Tuesday

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Tom Ridge (R)

Education: B.S., Bloomsburg Univ.; M.A., Rider College

Occupation: County Commissioner and Business/Management Consultant

Qualifications: My experience as a local official and as a business consultant uniquely qualifies me to make sure that our government and citizens working together, can build a safer, stronger, and more job-friendly climate for all Pennsylvanians.

Issues Statement: I will continue to raise my voice in support of victims' rights, not criminals'. I want a Pennsylvania whose citizens aren't afraid to walk in their community and where our children aren't scared in school. I will fight to cut the job-crushing taxes and create new jobs. I want a Pennsylvania where everyone who wants to work can work. I will bring real change to Pennsylvania, not like the political games we see today.

GOVERNOR

Constitutional

PEG LUKSIK

Johnstown, PA

D.O.B.: 8/11/55

Qualifications: I am a certified teacher, and the founder and CEO of Mom's House, a nationally recognized organization assisting single parents and their children since 1983. I am the Chairman of the National Parents Commission, and have been involved as an advocate for citizens at the local, state, and federal levels of government.

Issues Statement: A Governor determines the direction of programs and policies in every issue, so her mindset about her responsibility is vital. I believe that a Governor should be the voice for the citizen at the state level and the state at the federal level. She should be above partisan politics and special interest power brokers, and have the ability, honesty, and resolve to protect the rights of PA's citizens and business no matter what the issue.

GOVERNOR

LIBERTARIAN

VINCENT F. HATTON

Philadelphia, PA

D.O.B.: 2/19/58

Education: B.S., Chemical Engineering, Univ. of Pennsylvania, 1981; M.B.A., finance concentration, Drexel Univ., 1988; Rotary Foundation Cultural Exchange Program, 1985

Occupation: Senior Project Engineer

Qualifications: I believe that my educational background and experience as well as my commitment to freedom and governmental responsibility and accountability qualify me for office.

Issues Statement: The most important issue to me is protecting individual liberty whether personal, economic, or social. Nationally, individual liberties are under legislative assault including the right to keep and bear arms and property rights. Second in importance is crime control—as crime threatens individual liberty as well. In particular, violent crime needs to be addressed. Thus, I support the death penalty, "three-time loser" laws, mandatory sentencing, and prison reform.

GOVERNOR

PATRIOT

TIMOTHY E. HOLLOWAY

Ligonier, PA

D.O.B.: 2/8/51

Education: Norwin High School,

1969; Univ. of Pittsburgh (cum laude), B.S., 1973; Univ. of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine, D.M.D., 1977

Occupation: Dentist; owns, manages commercial real estate

Qualifications: Christian who believes U.S. is one nation under God; served as Navy Lt.; small business man; not a career politician; personal honor and integrity most prized possessions

Issues Statement:

Education:

Full school choice vouchers

Eliminate state, federal (10th Amendment) mandates

Replace all grants with low interest loans available to all students

Health Care:

No participation in socialized federal medical plan (10th Amendment)

Medical IRA savings accounts

Private Insurance

Minimal coverage, HMO, private insurance policy upgradeable for adults below poverty level, universal HMO, upgradeable for elderly, children. Government purchase/competitive bids.

Corrections:

Self-sufficient prisons

Stress punishment, hard labor, not rehabilitation

Only literacy and religious counseling

Victim restitution

GOVERNOR

LIBERTARIAN

PATRICK FALLON

Tannersville, PA

D.O.B.: 12/23/50

Education: Howell High School, Grad., 1968; East Stroudsburg State Teachers College, attended 1968-71

Occupation: Small business owner

Qualifications: I don't think any politician is qualified to tell you how to spend half the money you earn, or how to educate your children, or control your personal life. Libertarians are about restoring self-government.

Issues Statement: Crime. Let's try something that's worked. End Prohibition. Our "War on Drugs" is repeating mistakes made 75 years ago during alcohol prohibition. Robbers, rapists, and murderers go free to keep non-violent drug users in jail. Available law enforcement resources could be doubled if refocused on violent crimes. Victims should be able to veto plea-bargains. Restitution should always be a condition of parole or release. Private ownership of firearms is part of the solution.

GOVERNOR

LIBERTARIAN

BILL CLINGER

Incumbent (Candidate running unopposed)

Warren, PA

D.O.B.: 4/4/29

Education: B.A., Johns Hopkins Univ., 1951; LL.B., Univ. of Virginia, 1965

Occupation: Member of the U.S. House of Representatives

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LIBERTARIAN

MARK D. FREEMAN

East Lansdowne, PA

D.O.B.: 11/19/61

Education: B.S., Mechanical Engineering, Penn State Univ.

Occupation: Self-employed independent newsdealer

Qualifications: Eight years experience with a business that employs nine people and grosses over \$500,000 annually has given me insight into the segment of the economy that is to account for most of the new jobs we can expect in the next decade.

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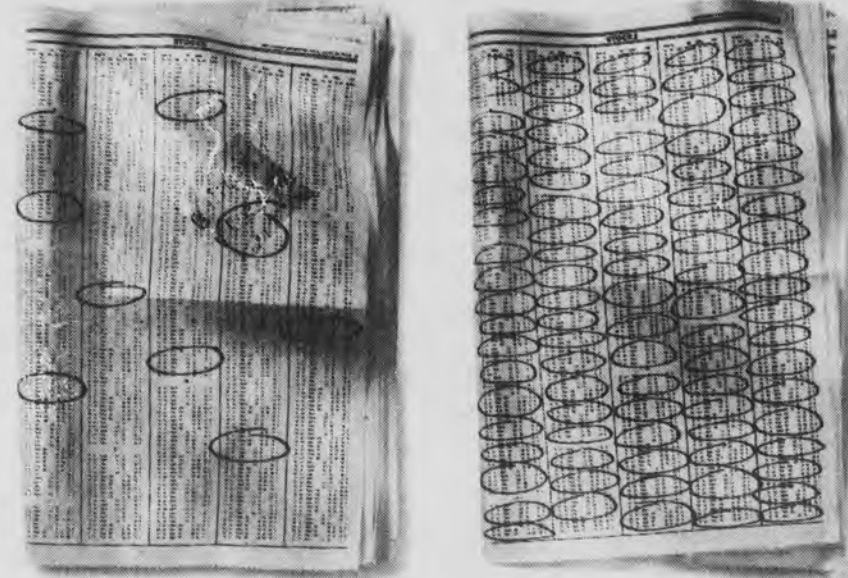
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Decision

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make a formal decision at that time.

Although the likelihood is great that the Trustees will accept the decision made by the Presidential Search Committee, the Trustees still need to actually vote on the candidate of choice before any decision will be announced.

Both Becker and Teresa Amott, chair and associate professor of economics and Presidential Search Committee member, said that they anticipate the Trustees approving the committee's recommendation.

Becker did allow, however, that the announcement of the new president may come before Nov. 12. "It's possible that it may come before that time. But it will not be official until the Trustees vote," she said.

The selection of a new president comes almost one year to the date since President Gary Sojka announced his resignation. Since that time, the Presidential Search Committee, in conjunction with an outside agency, The Academic Search Consultation Service, have been working together in order to determine the qualities of a candidate that would best serve Bucknell, as well as interviewing the candidates who applied for the position.

Of about 100 initial applicants for the position, the committee had narrowed the original pool down to about ten at the beginning of October. Of these, three candidates—William Adams, Jim Bachus, and Peter Berek—were invited to speak to members of the University community at open forums during the last two weeks in October.

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News Briefs Off Campus

Arabs oppose united bank

Saudi Arabia and other Arab countries refused yesterday to support a Clinton Administration proposal for a multibillion-dollar development bank for the Middle East, saying that their own economic problems make it difficult for them to put up the necessary money.

In a rebuff to the United States, the Arab countries said at an economic conference that while they support peace with Israel, they should not be expected to provide the financing for the bank because of their low oil prices.

The Arab objections to the development bank came at the end of an unprecedented conference that brought hundreds of Israeli and Arab business and government officials together for two days of meetings and deal-making.

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—The New York Times

CIA spy search led astray

The Central Intelligence Agency's nine-year hunt for Aldrich H. Ames, the convicted spy for Moscow, was led astray by the false scents of Soviet deception as well as the C.I.A.'s own ineptitude, a Senate committee said today.

In a damning 116-page report, the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence offered a wealth of new details on the most devastating case of treachery in the intelligence agency's history. It described a series of wrong turns, blind alleys and dead ends, the investigation followed from 1985, when Mr. Ames, a career officer at the C.I.A., first sold secrets to the Soviet Union, this February, when he was arrested.

To deceive the C.I.A., Soviet spies fed phony information to the intelligence agency, which swallowed most of the red herrings. To promote himself, a C.I.A. officer invented a story of a Russian-born American intelligence official who had betrayed the United States. And for unknown reasons, a Soviet defector offered a tip on the high-living mole inside the C.I.A.'s Moscow station—a tip that took a year to check out and disprove.

—The New York Times

Perot supports Richards

Ross Perot, the Texas billionaire who entered national politics to unseat President George Bush, jumped into the Texas campaign yesterday to endorse Gov. Ann W. Richards in her fight for re-election against Mr. Bush's son, George W. Bush.

Calling her "smart, tough and principled," Mr. Perot sought to portray Ms. Richards, a central figure in the party, and an ally of President Clinton's as somehow independent of both and close to himself ideologically.

Mr. Perot cited as reasons for his endorsement Ms. Richards' experience, budgeting ability and the health of the Texas economy. As Ms. Richards herself has done in this campaign, he especially sought to position her a comfortable distance away from Mr. Clinton, whose unpopularity has burdened Ms. Richards.

—The New York Times

Scandals engulf Soviet military

A series of scandals has engulfed and disrupted Russia's previously sacrosanct military establishment, threatening the job of the Defense Minister, Gen. Pavel S. Grachev.

President Boris N. Yeltsin dismissed a deputy defense minister, Gen. Matvei P. Burlakov, who had commanded the Western Army Group, the ex-Soviet troops based in East Germany, and had been accused in the Russian press along with other Russian officers of the illegal sale of millions of dollars of government property intended to be brought back to Russia.

General Grachev was already under pressure after the bomb slaying last month of a journalist, Dmitri Kholodov, who had been investigating the charges of corruption for the newspaper *Moskovsky Komsomolets*.

—The New York Times

On Campus

AΦΩ's blood drive a success

Bucknell's service fraternity, Alpha Phi Omega, hosted a successful blood drive exceeding its goal of 225 pints. Over 280 students and staff of the Bucknell community registered to donate blood, many in memory of Michael Mullins, the student who was recently killed in the car accident at the intersection of Route 15 and Smoke-town Road.

According to Brian Roche, Blood Drive Chair of Alpha Phi Omega, "Over 225 individuals donated blood in Michael Mullins' memory. It was many students' way of remembering him."

Alpha Phi Omega was instrumental in helping the Union County Red Cross exceed its goal by 25 pints, collecting a total of 250 pints of blood. Of these donors, 78 individuals donated for the first time.

Passin to speak on health care

Bucknell's second Health Scholar in Residence will be on campus November 9, 10, and 11. Steven M. Passin, a consultant to President and Mrs. Clinton on health issues, will be on our campus and willing to engage students and faculty in a variety of ways. He will be guest lecturing in various courses and will be giving a public talk on Wednesday evening, November 9, at 7:30 p.m. in Rooke Chemistry Auditorium.

Mr. Passin is able to give insight to the health-care reform movement from a White House "insider's" point of view, and will be able to direct a postmortem of the Clinton initiative as well as shedding light on the political impact of the upcoming election campaign.

News Briefs compiled by Karen Waters '96

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Inez and Bucknell: a bond by poetry

BY REBECCA KLINGLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The attraction that she feels for Bucknell isn't a simple one, yet it can be summed up in one word: poetry. It was poetry and the Poetry Festival held here at Bucknell that created a bond between Bucknell and Colette Inez from the beginning.

One of the guest poets for the Seventeenth Annual Poetry Festival to be held this weekend, Inez was once more than a guest. In 1992, through the Stadler Center's poetry residency, she made Bucknell her home for the semester. "I was moved by the walk from Faculty Court to the student center. It was so inspiring," Inez said during a telephone interview.

Even before her residency, Inez has been attending the Poetry Festival at Bucknell since its inception. "I have a very soft spot for Bucknell. Karl Patten and Robert Taylor Jr. [professors of English and co-editors of *West Branch*, a literary magazine] are the editors you dream of," she said. Inez then admitted that from her home in New York City, "going to Bucknell is going country heaven."

While her connection with Bucknell is special, Inez simply enjoys the experiences and benefits that a poetry reading provides. "I like the feel and the smell of the podium," she said. "I also like schmoozing with other poets. I've made friends over the years at the

festivals." Reading is something that seems to come naturally to Inez. "I like reading my poetry," she admitted. "Last spring, I did 22 readings from Texas to local New York City. I keep my hand in the bus-

ness. I'm not shy about reading my works."

Having an audience listen to her poetry, Inez said, "adds another dimension to the work." The listeners can also help to improve one of her poems. When Inez

chooses to read a new poem, the reactions of the audience help her locate the weak and strong parts of the poem.

Not only are readings good for her, but they are also beneficial for the audience. "Hearing a poem, listening to poetry is probably the oldest profession. People are moved to have a little concentration and quietness," Inez said, "especially in a world with so much uproar. It's very good for the soul."

With six poetry books previously published, Inez just released her seventh book, *Naming the Moons*, last week. A fine edition printed by the Press of Appletree Alley in Lewisburg, this book is a result of her residency at Bucknell. "The book is beautiful. I open it up, and it explodes with tropical birds," Inez said describing the illustrations by Florence Putnam, an internationally known artist who is a faculty member at Susquehanna University.

"It was a pleasure to write about something that I don't usually write about—mythology, anthropology, nature. Usually I write about autobiography," said Inez. "This [book] was my lucky seven."

Inez will be reading at the Seventeenth Annual Poetry Festival along with other guest poets at 8 p.m. tomorrow and at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday.

Editors Note: Be sure to see next week's issue for a story on the Press of Appletree Alley.

Naming the Moons (The Ngas of Nigeria) by Colette Inez

On the sacred counting string we call out the names. Raffia, for light in the palms, Ivory, color of bone. Our sons let moon waters drop into their cupped hands, into bowls of wine. Wives chop corn gold as the shoulders of a moon with child. We say light arrives. We are given the dark.

Lord of Rain, throw cloaks of pearl on the backs of our hills. The moon goes to call on another world. Lord of Clouds, our cries send spears into the sky. Soon the moon returns. It is ours to pursue from thin, low tusk to calabash. Infant Moon, Moon of White Ash.

The voices of students to fill Bucknell Hall

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Students in Bucknell's music department are in no way strangers to performance. Step into the music building, and you'll find a variety of posters advertising student and ensemble performances. The posters this week feature two names, those of Ken Laurora '95 and Lisa Toccafondi '96. Laurora and Toccafondi will present a joint senior-junior vocal recital tonight at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall.

Though neither Laurora nor Toccafondi is a music major, both are extremely active in the music department. Laurora, a biochemistry major who plans to pursue a medical career, is a tenor in the Rooke Chapel Choir, the Choral, the Opera Company, and the Collegium Musicum. Toccafondi, who spent a semester last year in London and will spend next semester in Tours, France, has a double major in anthropology and French, along with a minor in linguistics. Like Laurora, Toccafondi is in the Chapel Choir and the Opera Company.

Laurora, who studies voice with Catherine F. Payn, assistant professor of music, will perform two pieces by Tosti, three songs by

Faure, F. de Flotow's "M'appari tutt'amor" from the opera "Martha," and Donizetti's "Una furtiva lagrima."

"I've always loved opera," Laurora commented, adding that this love seems to be a "genetic Italian trait." The singer credited accompanist Brian Melkowitz '96 and added that he is looking forward to the recital.

Toccafondi and her accompanist, Christina Smith GR, will perform four Faure songs, four works by Jean Berger, and an aria from Ponchielli's *La Gioconda*.

Also a student under Payn, Toccafondi is happy to have the opportunity to do a recital even though she isn't a music major. "I'm glad that at Bucknell you can still be serious about your music even if you don't have a major or minor in it."

She described preparing for a recital as an incredible learning experience. "A piece can't sound academic," Toccafondi said. "Music is so much more than notes on a page."

In addition to their solos, Laurora and Toccafondi will perform a Faure duet and a duet from *La Gioconda*. "The two duets are very different," Toccafondi stated. "One is a love duet with the singers singing to each other. The sec-

Let the poetry festivities begin...

Celebrating its seventeenth year, the Poetry Festival treats poets and enthusiasts alike to a weekend focused solely on the art of poetry. All events will be held in the Stadler Center for Poetry, Bucknell Hall.



Friday, November 4
8 p.m. Reading by guest poets

Saturday, November 5
10 a.m. Workshops*
1:30 p.m. Open Reading**
3:30 p.m. Reading by guest poets
8 p.m. West Branch reading

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and is a text being expressed by acting as well as singing to express two people." She explained that the full meanings in the works singers need to concentrate on

DEATH

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night before his death. The next morning, she made him breakfast. While eating, Barrett suddenly felt sick to his stomach. He went to the bathroom, collapsed, and died about ten seconds after ingesting the poison.

"She attempted to make it look like suicide, but it was a homicide," Lt. Daniel Wood of the Columbus police department was quoted as saying yesterday.

According to the Dispatch, a note was found on the dining room table. But when police began investigating the incident, they questioned whether a suicide had taken place. "There were a lot of indications that something wasn't right," Wood said. "Some things just didn't fit."

A native of Baltimore, Kirk Barrett graduated with a degree in economics and biology. He was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. Michelle Barrett, a native



Photo courtesy of U'Agenda
Michelle McDermott Barrett '90 in her graduation photo. of Princeton, N.J., graduated with a degree in psychology. She was a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. The two met while at college and married last December. Authorities are holding Barrett in the Franklin County jail. He will be arraigned today in Municipal Court.

BENEFACOR

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nell gave little financial assistance to international students, my involvement with the University gave me this opportunity to start the scholarship."

"He [Fremont] derived a great deal of pleasure from his association with the University," Sojka said. "He and his wife began to make it possible for us to provide financial support for international students, and now as a result of his estate, we will be able to expand that."

International students are not the only group to benefit from Fremont's generosity. The depart-

ment of theatre and dance were able to use various items from his home as props for their productions.

Sound equipment, records that range from classical and jazz to Whitney Houston, and some costumes and furniture were also donated to the department of theater and dance. In fact, some of the items were used in this past weekend's production of *The Sea Gull*.

According to Sojka, the University has not yet decided what it plans to do with Fremont's home, located on Fifth Street in Lewisburg.

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EDITORIAL

Adams proves the best choice for campus

As the campus awaits the much anticipated announcement of the Presidential Search Committee's and the board of trustees' choices for the new president of Bucknell, we have a chance to sit back, review, and decide independently who *The Bucknellian* would choose to fill the shoes of President Sojka.

Few will deny what a challenging commitment the new president faces. President Sojka leaves behind a wake of enviable achievements and a strong reputation to follow, and several vacancies in the administration at the forefront of the incoming president's agenda. After a close review of the three candidates, and a taste of their personal lives and vision for Bucknell's future from the open forums on campus, the editorial staff feels that William "Bro" Adams is the most qualified and appropriate candidate to successfully meet the challenges of the presidency, and to lead Bucknell into another decade of upholding the standards that Sojka established.

As a representative of the University, the new president is obligated to not only fulfill administrative duties, but also to maintain and foster the level of academic success that puts Bucknell high in the ranks with the nations finest liberal arts institutions. Adams's background as vice president and secretary

of Wesleyan University, coupled with his previous positions at other schools, illustrates his capability to handle the technical aspects of the presidency.

The only unavoidable challenge for any candidate taking over the presidency is to learn the internal workings of Bucknell. With the credentials of having served in various administrative capacities at comparable institutions, we feel confident that whatever knowledge of the campus Adams does not bring into the presidency would be easily overcome in time.

What candidates can't be taught, however, is the drive and charisma it takes to run a university, and the firm commitment to academia and a liberal arts education. From the favorable response on campus to Adams, this is not an area in which he seems to be lacking.

As a product of a liberal arts education, Adams declared that his seeking the presidential position is motivated by his belief in the social/political impacts of a liberal arts institution, and his desire to both be a part of and lead such an institution.

Bucknell's history of attracting a relatively homogeneous population of students has long been a problem for the University. Though Bucknell has attempted to achieve a multicultural/multiracial student body, the University has been unable to en-

hance the lures that draw such students.

Adams expressed a strong interest in improving Bucknell's admissions profile and the diversity of the student body through more aggressive recruiting and competitive financial aid packages. Adams noted repeatedly the inter-dependence of the strength of a liberal arts university and its diversified population. His genuine concern with the future of Bucknell in the realm of diverse universities is something we admire and feel is necessary for the president to grasp and strive towards.

Experience and promises aside, choosing the next president based on the information we have is an incomplete, and not wholly reliable method. Though choosing a president from the three candidates is hardly a blind shot in the dark, until the new president assumes his role, we'll never truly know what kind of leader he will make. And we'll never know whether or not another candidate would have done a better job.

With his strong credentials and administrative experience to ease his transition into the presidency, the biggest obstacle Adams faces if hired will be familiarizing himself with the ways of the campus. And if being a newcomer is the worst of his problems, it will only be a matter of time before Adams considers Bucknell his home.

OPINIONS

Parking in Lewisburg: the subject of a federal investigation?

BY DEREK POWELL
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

An FBI agent makes his way down the street—covertly, silently. It's the middle of the night, and he is on a mission. He passes a drug deal, ignores a gang fight, and walks right through a drive-by shooting, unscathed and unaware. His mission is too serious, and he cannot be distracted.

He's looking for illegally parked cars in Lewisburg.

While the above scene doesn't seem too feasible in Lewisburg, surprisingly, it is. Okay, not the drive-by and gang fights (and quite possibly not the drug deals), but Lewisburg's thirst for ticketing any and all cars that fall outside of the strict white lines is, right now, insatiable. Rainforest's worth of pink tags are deposited each day on cars found to be even the slightest bit out of line. These guys are ruthless.

And, in another sense, selective. While Lewisburg is not exactly a thriving metropolis, there are a fair amount of roads and streets in the borough that the Lewisburg Police must patrol. Therefore, it's odd (but not really surprising) that the streets most

commonly patrolled are the ones that—gasp!—house large numbers of students. Sixth Street seems to be hot attraction for ticketers, despite the lack of a Dunkin' Donuts. Almost every day, one of those upside-down bathtub-looking patrol cars roars down the street, searching for the Saab with its tail ever-so-slightly out of line, ready to zap it with a \$10 quickie revenue.

This couldn't be prejudice. Nah. Never. But maybe...

Parent's Weekend found Bucknell awash with mommies, daddies, and the interaction of new acquaintances with old friendships. It also ended Bucknell with hundreds, possibly thousands, of extra cars. For the most part, it wasn't a problem. Most parents arrived on the weekend, and the parking restrictions on campus were lifted. Bucknell and parents coexisted peacefully, as hoped.

Unfortunately, the scene off-campus wasn't as rosy. Off-campus residents have always been in an identity limbo, not-quite-residents and detached from campus. Animosity, then,

is felt from both sides as these students attempt to find a place to park on/off-campus without stepping on too many toes. Off-campus students have parents, too, so the problem with parking increased threefold over the weekend. Unlike the friendly Public Safety officers, however, the Lewisburg Police were out for blood. And boy, did they sink their teeth in this weekend.

"Why are you whining, Derek?" you might say. "Park your car illegally, and you deserve to get a ticket." Nice try, but that won't work. I have never gotten a parking ticket here. Nor do I plan to get one. But I didn't expect my law-abiding mother to.

When I woke up on Sunday morning, I looked outside and noticed that my mother's car had one of those wondrous pink tags on it. So did the car behind her's, and the car behind that. It wouldn't have been such a big deal if it weren't Parent's Weekend. After all, where were all these cars supposed to park? At Perkins? When I went to chal-

lenge my mother's ticket at the Borough office, I was told that the addition of all these cars produced a hazard that might impede another driver's vision.

This perhaps might be true, if it weren't for the fact that the intersection at Sixth and St. Catherine has two stop signs and is not a high-traffic area, especially at 2:38 in the morning, when this ticket was issued. The next problem is that there was a long line of cars parked up St. Catherine Street where there were no parking spaces. Strangely enough, there were no tickets, either. Correct me if I am wrong, but isn't this more of a hazard, restricting a two-lane street to a one-way funeral. Am I missing something here? The Lewisburg Police obviously didn't. Actually, they did. A whole row of cars.

If everyone is screaming for more cordial relations between Lewisburg and its main supporter, Bucknell, then maybe the Borough should open its eyes and welcome parents (and their cash) with open arms instead of arms full of tickets. And the FBI agent can go back to searching for signs of intelligent life on earth.

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OPINIONS

Incumbancy not an advantage

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON
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The results of a recent survey taken by the Washington Post reveals a marked change in the presidential approval rating between January 1993 and September 1994 that may serve to favor Republicans in the upcoming elections. Clinton's character and leadership are in question, it seems, because he appears to lack his own sense of ethics and set of principles upon which to make decisions and base policies.

Despite what may be considered by some a string of modest successes, the aforementioned fundamental flaws continue to result in low ratings. In the 1992 elections, Clinton ran on the base of the recessionary economic environment. Yes, the economy has improved under the Clinton Administration, but let's face it, the President's ability to affect the economy is at best limited. It is not perceived that way by the majority of American voters however, and therefore should have given Clinton a more favorable rating. It has not.

President Clinton's own party has offered him only lukewarm support in Congress. His legislative agenda has failed in part because his own party and congressmen never know where he stands on important issues. Many congressmen went to the mat with him on his very first legislative initiative, i.e. gays in the military. Mr. Clinton compromised his own position, therefore hanging many congressmen out to dry with their constituencies. Lack of conviction by Mr. Clinton has been reflected in all subsequent legislative initiatives, which have become a series of barter arrangements with individual congressmen trading their votes for the piece of the Clinton pork. Such handling of the legislative process is bound to fail, since Clinton cannot possibly provide sufficient favors to all legislators who ask for them.

Health Care reform is a good example of President Clinton's mishandling of major legislative initiatives. When met with resistance, Clinton appeared to waver on issues that he initially said were so important, i.e. universal coverage. For a President whose main focus was on domestic issues, Clinton has not delivered successfully.

These failures of the Clinton Administration, and the democratic legislature's active participation has reflected poorly on them. The fundamental flaws of the past democratic incumbents may instigate people to unseat many sitting Congressmen despite the acknowledged overwhelming advantage incumbency brings. This will likely result in strong gains by Republican challengers in the upcoming elections.

What is the real fight? Moving beyond signs and slogans is the key to the election

BY ALLISON PRICE

"Lincoln, I believed as a child, was the actual fulfillment of America's democratic faith. He embodied the possibility that sovereign citizens, regardless of birth or status, could collectively decide their own destiny and somehow become greater than themselves. Yet the potential for tragic disappointment was also always present... the full portrait made Lincoln seem even larger because, fully human and fallible, he could encompass every paradox about the nation's character: the cross and the coming side alongside its virtuous principles, the blind willfulness and also America's capacity to defy history."

—William Greider

Most would agree that it has been an interesting election season brimming with its share of memorable, and some rather forgotten, headlines and images. If democracy is a political system by which people and parties lose elections, this is definitely a year to explore the dynamics of real power and the responsibilities of governing versus the luxury of being able to sit back and criticize the efforts of others. Winning and losing elections have their own dynamics that are worth examining.

I spent an evening last week planting Wofford and Singel signs up along Route 15 with a friend in the glowing shadow of the Wal-Mart neon sign. The signs along the highway reminded me of the American cemetery along the shores of Normandy, France, which commemorates the wartime dead with markers. The picture worsened as we discovered a cache of signs thrown in a heap in a drainage ditch a few feet away (an act of true political savvy that just happens to be illegal). My friend reassured me that our efforts were not in vain, since many people make up their minds the week before the election; plus the surprising number people who will remember a name they have passed on the highway when they go into the voting booth. However, I cannot

decide if his reassurance made me feel any better about our activism or of my belief in the democratic system. My democratic faith was and is intact, but what about other voters? I do not want people to vote for Wofford because they have seen enough of our signs to remember his name. I want them to choose him as their voice for his ideas, and because he truly strives to represent us all.

I agree that a great deal of sign hanging, image spin control and especially advertisements are democracy at its most shallow and fleeting, although I cannot imagine political survival without them. As we all know in life, there are few things that you can take sitting down. Ultimately, we must never forget that beyond these illusions, there are some inescapable realities and truths.

The one thing that has remained with me after my evening out by the highway, much like the way after an election all the signs and banners are left hanging, is Wofford's opponent in the Senatorial race Rick Santorum's three word slogan—"Join the Fight!" I wonder—just what is this fight? Is it the honorable battle for democratic faith and representative willfulness, or the terrorist war against the better angels of our democratic existence? As well as interesting, this election season has been indisputably ugly and cruel. The slogan comes through the darkness not only because of the way in which it disturbed me, but also because examples of its sentiment are rampant across the United States as we approach election day. These slogans manifest the exploitation of our strained national and political psyche. This brand of slogan and rhetoric inflicts upon all of us, and our representative government functions best when it serves us all, no matter what battle we are fighting in life.

Change, especially in democracies, is difficult. The Democrats, whom I acknowledge face uphill re-election battles, are aware of this as they campaign with the

burden of having to have done something that affects people during past terms. These are the issues; it is up to those who govern to sort them out and look to their constituents for guidance when making important decisions. However, there is a force in action in addition to the issues that hinders any productive discourse. As William Greider puts it, "...respect must extend to hostile adversaries, since the democratic objective is not to destroy them but to reach eventual understanding. At its core, the idea of democracy is as simple as that—a society based on mutual respect."

I look across America and see Newt Gingrich trying to convince people that Clinton supporters are not "normal people." I see Oliver North, the "conviction candidate," disavowing Clinton as his commander-in-chief. I see House Speaker Tom Foley in Washington state being forced to play the ad game, having to prove himself a normal human being by firing a gun at a target range. In California, I see politicians embrace Proposition 187 as if it were the greatest thing in politics since stage magic work, when in reality, the so-called plan to decrease the immigration problem in California will only exacerbate it. People are not asked to consider the practicality or the public health nightmare of the situation of the children of illegal immigrants are not allowed to attend public schools or receive free immunizations. We are talking children here. In times of perpetuated desperation, we are fed improbable panaceas.

In my home state of Pennsylvania, I see Rick Santorum reducing Harris Wofford's distinguished career in public service (and I believe there is such a thing) onto a symbol of our new, supposedly more realistic, democratic faith. Our nation was built on the Kennedy ideals—racial justice, economic justice, a stronger sense of humanity, and the idea if prudently formulated and applied, our great government can help us reach our full potential as citizens and as a society. Today, we are implored to "Join the Fight" and push each other into

the margins of society—those who are in, those who are out, and those who can only dream about the black and white terms politicians like Rick Santorum use to describe the grand game of life in America. We know in our hearts that it is not a game.

Vaclav Havel once wrote, while in prison for pro-democracy activism in the former Czechoslovakia, "[Man] must rebel against his role as a helpless cog in the gigantic and enormous machinery hurling God knows where. He must discover again, within himself, a deeper sense of responsibility toward the world, which means more responsibility toward something higher than himself." This is the real fight, not against one another but within ourselves in order to achieve some sense of meaning in the often randomness of life. Planting those signs across from the Wal-Mart that evening and pondering the "cross and cunning" alongside "virtuous principles," I remembered the night I had spent a few weeks before registering people in the lobby of that same department store. It was sobering, not only in the knowledge of the people who were not registered and had no intention of doing so, but in the equally potent knowledge of the people who can be depended upon in election turnout.

The good, honest people who will continually violently ride the winds of chance in American life will most likely never actualize the potential they actually have in determining their own fate. Ultimately, it is a fact that every person only has one vote and those votes determine elections. Politicians reject the rhetoric and slogans we reject, and only then. We all lose this noble fight, as you begin to wonder if they have the right idea and that in reality they might know more about the system than the crazy kids planting signs along Route 15. I am not sure I believe this, but I am sure as the children in the front seats of Wal-Mart shopping carts watched their parents evade the right to vote that this is a fight worth winning for the democratic future.

Has America 'separated' itself from its past?

BY RICH VINNACOMBE

Patrick Henry stated that, "It cannot be emphasized too strongly or too often that this great nation was founded, not by religionist, but by Christians; not on religions, but on the gospel of Jesus Christ."

I wonder if today Patrick Henry could afford to make such a statement—certainly not in an election year. But why is that so? So often we hear the words "separation of church and state" and regardless of the various political motives it almost always seems to serve as a springboard to further assessment. "Separation of Church and State" has become a statement never to be questioned—only used as a starting point.

Of course, you say it's our constitutional right—secured under the First Amendment. But have we all been fooled? Have we been robbed of our nation's true heritage? Dr. William James, the father of modern psychology, stated, "There is nothing so absurd but that if you repeat it often enough people will believe it." Do his words ring true with regards to the content of our nations founding documents and the intentions of the men whom created them?

John Quincy Adams believed that there was an indissoluble bond between Christian principles and civil government. He argued that, "Is it not that the Declaration of Independence first organized the social compact on the foundation of the Redeemer mission upon earth? That it laid the cornerstone of human government upon the first precepts of Christ?" Even more astonishing is George Washington's farewell address which states, "Of all the dispositions and habits which lead to political prosperity, religion and morality are indispensable support. In vain would that man claim the tribute of patriotism, who should labor to subvert these great pillars."

It would seem that these founding fathers displayed a fervency to Christian ideals. It seems they were foolish enough to believe that morality and politics could not be separated from one another. In

fact, a closer examination of the First Amendment reveals that it contains neither the word *separation*, *church*, or *state*. In fact the First Amendment simply says, "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the exercise thereof."

The Supreme Court had a lengthy tradition of upholding Christian teachings within government. For example, in the case of the *Holy Trinity v. United States* (1892), the court decided that, "Our laws and our institutions must necessarily be based upon and must embody the teachings of the Redeemer of Mankind. It is impossible for it to be otherwise. In this case, to this extent, our civilization and our institutions are emphatically Christian." In which abolished denominations of Christ are placed on the same equal level." In a letter to quell the fears of the Danbury Baptist Association, who heard rumor the government would make Congregationalist the ruling denomination, Thomas Jefferson wrote, "The First Amendment has erected a wall of separation between church and state."

So, where does "separation of church and state" come from? The court ruling of *Runkel v. Winesill* (1799) makes clear the intention of the First Amendment, "By our form of government, the Christian religion is the established religion; and all sects and denominations of Christ are placed on the same equal level." In a letter to quell the fears of the Danbury Baptist Association, who heard rumor the government would make Congregationalist the ruling denomination, Thomas Jefferson wrote, "The First Amendment has erected a wall of separation between church and state."

It wasn't until *Emerson v. Board of Ed.* (1947), when only these eight words of Jefferson's lengthy letter were extracted, that the new philosophy of "separation of church and state" as we know it came into existence. This led to the famous *Engel v. Vidal* decision, on January 25, 1962, which abolished prayer in school. This was the first Supreme Court decision which gave no precedents of earlier decisions. Instead, the Supreme Court simply decided that the definition of church now included any public religious activity.

Further decisions included the removal of all Christian material from schools. The Supreme Court ruled, *Abington v. Schempp* and *Mary v. Gulett* (June 17, 1963) that, "If portions of the New Testament were read without explanation they will be... and have been psychologically harmful to the child." Psychologically harmful? In an intense display of even greater logic and reasoning the Supreme Court ruled against passive displays of the Ten Commandments in schools, *Stone v. Gram* (1980), stating, "If the posted copies of the Ten Commandments are to have any effect at all, it will be to induce the schoolchildren to read, to meditate upon, perhaps to venerate and obey, the Commandments... [which] is not a permissible...objective." We certainly wouldn't want our nation's children reading, thinking about, or even worse following instructions like "do not kill" and "do not steal?"

The Supreme Court has gone on to rule that both Secular Humanism and Atheism are religions. But does anyone challenge the lack of religion in education (Atheism) or the teaching of a humanistic value system? In my opinion, today's society deems conservative Christianity and traditionally western religions as politically incorrect. Yet, we are abandoning the same moral fibers that have kept us a free state for over two hundred years.

Why do we bother to honor God in our pledge of allegiance? Why does Congress start each session in prayer? Is it time to discard the framework of thought held in the convicts of our founding fathers? In its present state, has a despondent nation finally realized that a government based on Christian principles has failed? Or has a once great nation, stripped from its godly heritage, finally been crippled?

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FEATURES

The lowdown on rubdowns: massage therapy

BY KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

In this fast paced world that has no intention of slowing down, we are working our bodies overtime and not providing them with a sufficient amount of rest, relaxation, or sleep. Eventually our immune systems break down and we find ourselves experiencing illnesses more frequently.

Frustrated with modern health care, many people today are turning back to the oldest and most natural techniques of massage therapy that have been used for centuries.

Massage therapy dates back as early as 3,000 years ago. Today, what we experience as massage is a combination of the ancient Eastern traditions with the modern Western scientific knowledge. Through years of refining, some say massage is more effective today than ever before.

We should not, however, confuse a massage therapist, a well-trained, ethical practitioner, with a masseur or masseuse, which is used for mostly for muscle relaxation.

There are many different therapeutic benefits from getting a massage. Aside from reducing anxiety and stress, there are other benefits that people may not know about. These include loosening

and stretching muscles and connective tissues, which gets them into proper shape and dimension so that the posture is improved. Tightness, knots, and soreness are also eliminated.

Peg Gearhart, a licensed massage therapist and natural therapeutic specialist, owns Natural Alternatives Lewisburg, and is trained to educate people in natural healing and how to use natural elements to treat their problems.

Gearhart said, "The main benefit of massage comes from picking up the muscle and squeezing out the toxins that are in the system. Once they are squeezed out, new fresh blood comes into the muscles which gives the tissues fresh blood and oxygen."

When the tissue cannot get enough blood and oxygen, the result is pain. Through massage, this pain can be reduced or eliminated.

There are different techniques involved in massage therapy. In order to stimulate the body's miraculous, self-healing abilities by bringing the mind, body, and spirit into balance, a combination of the therapeutic techniques will be used. Gearhart said that, "In general, I throw everything together. It is like I have a tool box with all of these different tools to treat you with."

Basic massage involves the ap-

plication of oil to knead and manipulate the muscles and soft tissue to improve circulation, digestion, and to remove toxins.

The other forms of massage therapy include myofascial release, trigger point, deep-muscle, polarity, reflexology, Shiatsu, touch for health, Swedish gymnastics, pregnancy massage, and equine.

Gearhart also suggest the uses of colon therapy, hydro-therapy, Bach flowers, herbs, and homeopathy.

If a person is experiencing any type of pain, stress, muscle tension, stiffness, or other sports injuries, anxiety, depression, high blood pressure, emotional problems, or desires a more peaceful, healthy existence, a massage would be most beneficial. Gearhart said, "people who get regular massage treatments report less illnesses in general."

However, she warns about the importance of a trained and licensed therapist. Gearhart advises, "In some states they require a license, but not in Pennsylvania. So, ask the therapist what kind of training they've had, especially in anatomy and physiology, because they should know what they are working with and what affects they are having in your body."

Also, she suggests that it is important to find a therapist you are



Peg Gearhart is a licensed massage therapist and a natural therapeutic specialist. She owns Natural Alternatives, a business in Lewisburg, in which she practices the alternative and natural technique of massage therapy. Gearhart's treatment room is filled with hot oils, posters explaining muscle structure, and other reference material.

Zeina Nassif '96, who received a short demonstration of massage therapy at a hall program led by Gearhart, said, "I had a painful experience from a different massage therapist. She pressed my neck too hard and it was very uncomfortable. [Gearhart's] hands were more soothing and she implemented meditation, so I felt more relaxed."

Gearhart says that, "it can be dangerous because they can really 'rub people the wrong way.' She also said that certain techniques

done incorrectly could induce labor for pregnant women, and also create other medical problems. Massage is a natural method of relieving stress and physical ailments. It is a widely used alternative to traditional medical treatment processes.

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Finding a stress reliever in spirituality

Studies link lower stress levels to the spiritually sound

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

As the semester progresses, due dates for term papers creep up and finals are just around the corner. Physical exhaustion is a common sign of the stress that students face. Some students may have found a way to better resist such stress and illness.

A recent study's results reported by the National Institute for Health Care Research (NIHR) titled "Religious Involvement Linked to Good Health" reveals that, "Canadian college students involved with campus ministries are likely to have fewer visits to medical clinics, score higher in psychological well-being, and experience less stress during difficult life-events."

The study, conducted in Washington, D.C., posed a questionnaire to 299 students which assessed levels of psychological and physical health, use of health care resources, friendship patterns, and beliefs and values.

Results indicated that students involved with campus

ministries were significantly healthier and made fewer visits to the health care services. The affiliated students also scored higher on a positive feelings scale and considerably lower on the depressed mood, or negative feelings scale. Stress was also lower for affiliated students.

Researchers in the study claim that "Something other than those personal resources is operating to help the affiliated groups manage their stressful experiences." Participating in such groups allegedly "implied a depth of faith extending beyond nominal adherence to traditional practice."

Bucknell-Chaplain Allison Boden says that different people have different ways of maintaining spirituality. Reverend Boden served as a hospital chaplain for some time and found that those patients, even those diagnosed with fatal diseases such as cancer, who had made peace with themselves and were in touch with God often ended up living longer.

For some it may be listening to music such as the "Chant" CD that was put out by the Spanish Benedictine monks of Santo Dom-

ingo in an effort to make the connection with one's spirituality. "Music has such power to plan our emotion and spirit," Boden said.

Others may revert to fishing. The effort being to remove "oneself from the sphere." Rev. Boden said that walking is her mode for praying. She finds that the physical distraction allows her to focus her thoughts.

Many times students come to Rev. Boden with complaints of being overwhelmed with the stress of too much work. Those who may have traditionally prayed in order to be spiritually centered come with the complaint that "they don't feel the connection anymore, traditional methods do not work anymore."

Rev. Boden says that she suggests to students that they take the time to "think about what God is" and not necessarily to feel that sitting down and worshipping in a structured manner is the answer. Simply meditating in private may provide relaxation and give one peace of mind.

Education in the examination room

Efforts by health center to inform as well as treat students

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The primary purpose of the Ziegler Health Center is not only to serve as a treatment facility, but also as an educational resource for students, according to Donald W. Stechschulte, director of student health services.

One may ask why it is important to teach as well as treat students. To this question Stechschulte replied, "I come from a traditional family doctor background and I'm impressed with how little [patients] know about themselves, about general physiology, and anatomy. I feel you should know some basics about your body. With knowledge, people can better deal with medicine in society as a consumer."

He commented that health requires a tremendous part of personal income and people should be able to use the system intelligently. People should be able to question and interact with treatments, Stechschulte said.

In response to this observation, Stechschulte and the entire health services staff try to take the time to explain to patients why they have pain or are sick, and also how to live more healthy and practice preventive medicine.

Jan Baylor, registered nurse and health educator, is also actively involved in health education on campus. Baylor's primary health

interest lies in nutrition, and she is the advisor for the peer nutrition educators and does individual counseling in areas such as vegetarian and low cholesterol diets and eating disorders as well.

Rozalyn Yannaccone, gynecological nurse practitioner on campus, is another resource for health education on campus. "I do a lot of education in my office, everyday," she said. She talks to patients about unplanned pregnancies, STD's, types of tests to have, and sexuality in general.

Yannaccone also presents a program, which she calls "Protect Yourself," to residence halls. The program features condom use and tries to make students aware of why being sexually educated is important. She feels it is important to make students aware of the issues. "I find there is a lapse of information from high school [to college]; medicine changes so rapidly," Yannaccone said.

Robert Thomas, the drug and alcohol educator, is yet another outlet which students are encouraged to use in regards to gaining information.

Besides people, informative resources include educational software programs are available in the health center. Dozens of magazines such as *Family Life* and *Men's Health* are in the waiting rooms. Even more pamphlets dealing with topics ranging from Lyme disease to colds and sexually trans-

mitted diseases are available.

A new educational approach used for the first time this year is a health-oriented foundation seminar. Richard Chapman, dean of students, and Stechschulte are sharing the responsibility of teaching this class.

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Perhaps the real question is whether or not students are aware of the attempts to educate. Three of the four students interviewed at the health center said they did not know about the health center's efforts to educate.

Dani Johnston '97 was the one patient present at the time of interviewing who responded positively towards the health center's attempts to educate. "Yes, there are posters everywhere in the waiting room," Johnston said. She went on to commend the health center, saying, "I've found that people really care. They seem genuinely interested in students' problems. I really like the people [at the health center]."

FEATURES

Students diagnose Student Health Center

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Your head is pounding, you've had a sore throat for three days, and your nose is constantly running. Now you're faced with the big decision of whether or not to go to the health center.

Rumor has it that you sit forever in the waiting room and then when you finally see a physician, you're told to either get more rest and drink orange juice or you're given a week's dosage of antibiotics, whether or not you have an infection.

Two visitors to the campus medical facility said they were misdiagnosed. "I had a really bad allergic reaction last year and the health center misdiagnosed it as a reaction to soap when it was a reaction to penicillin," said Megan Maier '97.

Nicole Preiss '98 had a similar story. "Now that I have been accurately diagnosed with mono by my family doctor, the health center has been really helpful. But I was sick and before I could see my family doctor at home I came to the health center and all they did was take a strep test, tell me I didn't have strep, and dismiss me," Preiss said.

A complaint along different

lines addressed the convenience of the health center physicians. "The doctors' hours aren't as convenient as they could be. This is the third time I've been here [at the health center] and the first time I could be seen," said Kevin Heady '97, sitting in the waiting room.

Dr. Donald W. Stechschulte, the medical director of Ziegler Health Center, said that he is aware that students complain and that there are constant efforts made to reduce complaints. However, Stechschulte said, "In a service capacity which we're in, there is always going to be someone who is not satisfied."

He made a point to say that between 12 and 13 thousand students are seen in 10 months. Furthermore, there are 67 physician hours each week.

Measures have also been taken to address different problems. "We're trying to use the student health advisory committee," said Stechschulte. In addition, there is a suggestion box in the office. Stechschulte said that feedback is always welcome. "We have to be open to suggestions and improvements, and we are," he said.

Stechschulte is aware that students frequently find the health center an inefficient facility. Complaints range from having to wait



Sarah Fowler '96 consults with Candace Benner, registered nurse with Student Health Services. Student concerns with the Health Center have prompted Dr. Donald W. Stechschulte, medical director, and staff to enact changes in the Health Center, including the creation of a Student Health Advisory Committee.

to be cared for to not having the facilities to deal with particular situations such as x-rays and blood work. Recently, Stechschulte said, there has been improvement. The health center now can do urine analysis and perform EKGs.

"A lot is available that wasn't before," he said. "In the things we can improve, we will."

Health Advisory Committee was formed.

Lisa Aquilino '95, chairperson of the committee, said, "We want to act as a liaison between the student body and the Student Health Center."

The committee gathers feedback from students through surveys and polls and through students contacting the committee. Aquilino said that "exit interviews," a survey completed by students who have just been seen and/or treated by the health center, are soon going to be done in the student health center to gain student opinion.

The committee hopes to use this feedback to advise the Student Health Center. Aquilino stressed that the committee was there to serve students, but they are rarely contacted with concerns, comments, or complaints, most likely because "students don't know we're here."

It is a constant effort of the health service staff to make the health center a place that is accessible and beneficial to all students. Though there will always be complaints, Stechschulte welcomes them saying, "If you see a problem with the way we do things, give me a call."

Same lines, Stechschulte praised the health center saying, "For what we are, we do just about everything your family doctor could or would do."

Still some students find that they are not satisfied with the efforts that the health center puts forth. For this reason, the Student

A jog a day keeps PMS away

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
AND KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writers

For some it may be a well known fact and remedy, while for others it may be new information. The fact is that some women feel that exercise alleviates the dreaded monthly premenstrual syndrome (PMS).

"PMS, or premenstrual syndrome, is a whole symphony of complaints occurring 7-14 days before the onset of menstruation," said Dr. Donald W. Stechschulte, medical director of the Ziegler Health Center. The symptoms, some of which include irritability, bloating, breast tenderness, and insomnia, can contribute to a woman's possible negative emotions, and behavior change during the period before menstruation.

A recent study in the *Journal of Psychosomatic Research* found that women who exercise regularly experience fewer premenstrual problems. The study was performed on college students who filled out questionnaires that assessed their emotions before, during, and after menstruation. The study concluded that women who regularly participated in aerobic exercise routines were less apt to experience ranges of negative moods such as anger, or hostility.

The reason for premenstrual syndrome is uncertain. It has been suggested that psychological factors may play a role. The fact that a particular cause can not be pinpointed may explain why there is not a particular cure or way to alleviate symptoms.

Several ways to treat PMS are through diuretics, anti-inflammatory agents, and vitamins of

all kinds. Stechschulte said, however, "The only thing medically known to relieve the symptoms is exercise," and he suggests jogging, swimming, and aerobics as beneficial cardiovascular exercises.

Why exercise helps to relieve premenstrual syndrome in some women is debated among the experts. Some researchers suggest that exercise aids in triggering the release of mood-enhancing endorphins in the body. Other experts suggest a more psychological explanation, saying that exercise improves self-confidence through developing better evaluation of body image and thus boosting self-esteem. Another theory is that exercise acts as a distraction from negative thoughts which allows women to think more positively.

Jen Goodrich '97 personally believes that exercise is a way to alleviate PMS. "[Exercise] takes

away bloating and I believe that the release of endorphins takes away cramps," she said. Goodrich added that she doesn't exercise just for PMS relief. "I exercise anyway, [PMS relief] is just a bonus."

Kathleen Stewart '97 dismissed the theory saying, "I've always heard that exercise is supposed to alleviate PMS, but it's never worked for me."

Whether a physical or psychological issue, PMS is a topic that could be relevant to 50 percent of the world population. For women, exercise could be a way to counterbalance the effects of PMS, because according to Stechschulte, "[PMS] can impact negatively the way one feels and performs."

Source: National Institute for Health Care Research



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A recent study has found that women who exercise on a regular basis often suffer less from undesirable premenstrual problems such as irritability, and insomnia.

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Students take a healthy interest in peers' nutrition

BY CATHY BARTCH

The food monster lurks in the shadow of almost every college student, positioned to attack. It aims at adding pounds of fat to everyone. Often students become susceptible to its threatening promise.

Living in an environment greatly accessible to food and exercise, one may adopt irrational patterns of dieting. Going from three hours a day on the tennis court to consuming masses of junk food before aerobics class, one may find himself or herself in a dangerous predicament where body weight fluctuates significantly.

At Bucknell, students and faculty recognize that volatile eating and exercise behaviors erupt from the tremendous concern of the students to maintain a healthy body. In response to this concern, the student body has organized a group of peer nutrition educators.

Students who have become peer nutrition educators have been trained to teach other students the steps to practice a nutritional lifestyle. The group, advised by Jan Baylor, staff nurse and health educator of Student Health Service, originated four years ago when students were concerned with the increasing number of students preoccupied with their weight and self image.

The group consists of eight people who in the past have concentrated heavily on two areas: college eating and eating disorders. The peer nutrition educators deliver their information in an informal setting to various groups of students including halls, fraternities, and organizations.

Jen Trow '96, a peer educator became involved in the program because, she said, "I originally did it because I was concerned about making the right nutritional decisions for myself. As I learned more, I realized I could help others."



Shana Bomberger '95 and Jen Trow '96 are peer nutrition educators. They are involved in presenting hall programs that discuss methods of eating nutritionally in college.

signed to follow the trend of being thin, it was designed to train people to be healthy."

Baylor said college students are not experts on the types of food essential to a proper diet. One of the areas the group focuses on is the daily servings from each of the food groups one should consume.

In their seminars, the peer nutrition counselors also emphasize the need to be aware of others' eating patterns and how to detect if there is something wrong. For example, if a student is restricting their food intake, performing odd rituals such as counting food bites, and are constantly in fear of becoming "fat," the person may suffer from anorexia. The counselors want all students to keep their eyes open for warning signals so that they may be able to approach a student in need of help.

The peer nutrition counselors emphasize that it is not necessary to starve or exercise excessively in order to look good. The mission of the educators is to help students to have the strength to beat the food monster.

"I think that the group is very important because it offers students, especially freshmen, a resource that is easily accessible," said Trow.

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Music conference heightened by pianist's performance

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

This weekend, Bucknell will host the annual Pennsylvania Music Teachers Association (PMTA) conference. In addition to the many lectures and seminars to be held for the Pennsylvania music educators in attendance, a plethora of free concerts and master classes will take place during the course of the three-day conference. Members of the Bucknell music faculty will be joined by pianist and fellow music educator Gilbert Kalish in presenting the musical weekend.

Kalish, one of New York's premiere pianists, will perform at 8 p.m. on Friday night in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts. His program will feature works that span over two centuries of piano literature.

"I'll be playing some Mozart, some Debussy preludes, and a set of preludes by a woman named Sheila Silver, who is on the faculty at the State University of New York at Stony Brook," Kalish said in a telephone interview. He will also perform Aaron Copland's *Piano Variations* and selected Chopin preludes.

Kalish will fit right in at the weekend's conference. Also a faculty member at SUNY Stony Brook where he has taught for nearly 25 years, Kalish spends his summers on the faculty of the Tanglewood Music Center in Lenox, Massachusetts. Tanglewood, the summer home of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, provides young musicians with the chance to study with some of the world's best musicians. Kalish himself was a student at Tanglewood in 1951, 1952, and 1953. "I like long-term relationships," he joked.

Though Kalish occasionally performs (earlier this week he played Beethoven's *Fourth Piano Concerto* with the Albany Symphony Orchestra), his position at Stony Brook is, in his words, "entirely a teaching position."

"I'm pleased to have been asked to participate."
—Gilbert Kalish

This is Kalish's first PMTA conference and an experience to which the pianist is looking forward. "I'm pleased to have been asked to participate," he commented, adding that he thinks the weekend will be a fun one. "All those piano teachers!" he exclaimed.

In addition to Friday night's performance, Kalish will conduct a piano master class at 9 a.m. on Saturday morning in the Weis Center. Bucknell pianists Heather Schweiger '97 and Marissa Fabio '95 will participate in this class.

Several other performances will take place as part of the PMTA conference. At 1:30 p.m. tomorrow, Barry Hannigan, professor of music, and Mary Hannigan, who is on the faculty at Susquehanna University and Dickinson College, will perform music for flute and piano.

Following the Hannigans at 2:30 p.m. will be Catherine F. Payne, assistant professor of music. These performances will be held in the Weis Center instrumental rehearsal room.

On Saturday at 11 a.m. in the Weis Center auditorium, violinist

Elizabeth Hedman will perform with accompanist Barry Hannigan. Hedman, a student at the Cleveland Institute of Music, was the winner of a national artist competition for student musicians.

A faculty recital will take place at 5 p.m. in the auditorium. Bucknell faculty members on the program include Catherine F. Payne, William A. Payne, associate professor of music and music department chair, Lois Svad, associate professor of music, William Kenny Hannigan, assistant professor of music, Christopher Para, assistant professor of music, and Martha Hill, lecturer of music. Svad will perform at 10 a.m. again on Sunday in the Weis Center instrumental rehearsal room.

Totten '81 adds rhythm to Lewisburg

BY LISA ZICCARDI
Bucknellian Staff Writer

By the time graduation arrives, many students have had enough of the "small town" confines of Lewisburg and are anxious to enter into a more metropolitan environment. But this does not hold true for all Bucknell graduates.

Rick Totten '81, proprietor of the Rhythm Stick, a music store on Market Street, enjoyed living in Lewisburg so much that he never left.

Totten graduated with a major in English. During his Bucknell career he wrote for *The Bucknellian*, and he also co-founded and wrote for the original *Catalyst* in 1980. He has always had a keen interest in music, and spent much of his time working with his band, The Cheap Amusement.

Totten bought the Rhythm Stick in 1986 from its previous owner, Marek Gorecki, and moved it to its present location at 412 Market Street, across from the Campus Theatre.

Totten's stock includes new and pre-owned compact discs from a variety of artists. He maintains that while he carries the bands "necessary to stay in business these days," it is his stock of independent label music (including African, reggae, and world music) that makes his business unique.

Due to the small, specialized nature of his business, Totten's clientele consists of a fairly large number of regulars. These regu-



A 1981 graduate of Bucknell, Rick Totten now owns a music store called the Rhythm Stick on Market Street.

lars create the focus of his business and allow it to survive despite the restrictions of its small-town location.

Totten attributes his origins as a New Jersey resident as the reason he remains in Lewisburg.

"I like it here, and that is why I choose to stay. It was great growing up in New Jersey, but I couldn't go back now," he said.

Totten has no plans of leaving Lewisburg in the future.

While Totten considers himself to be much more a part of the "Lewisburg community" than the "Bucknell community" at this point in his life, he still remains a patron of the arts at the university. He attends events that appeal to him and is a regular at the Hilltop film series.

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Swim team starts season

BY SCOTT WOODWORTH
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

With the fall sports seasons winding down, the faithful Bucknell sports fans need a new team to cheer on.

The swimming team, starting its season this weekend at home against Coppin State, needs people to fill the stands.

Swimming, contrary to popular belief, is a very exciting sport. From the pre-meet cheers to the last relay, swimming has it all and more.

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Crew Prepares for Occoquan

BY BRIAN BURKE
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

After two weeks of practice devoid of competition, the crew team is gearing up for their second-to-last race of the fall season. This weekend, the entire team will travel to Fairfax, Virginia, to race in the Head of the Occoquan before finishing up the season at the Philadelphia Frostdite a week later.

The varsity men's and women's crews will be racing against teams such as St. John's, UVA, Pittsburgh, and Carnegie Mellon. The day's events will be inundated by two men's lightweight eights, an open men's eight, a lightweight women's eight, and an open women's four. The varsity squad hopes to better the numerous second and third place finishes tallied in past years, and return home with gold around their necks.

This weekend will be the first test for the novice men's and women's crews, who have spent the past two months learning the fundamentals of rowing. When asked what to expect from the young oarsmen, Kirk Swenson '98 thought that "Our goal this weekend is to live up to Bucknell's past successes at the Occoquan," Swenson was referring to the first place finishes in '92 and '93 by both the novice men's and women's boats. When told that Johns Hopkins will be gunning hard for first place this year, Chris Bayles '98 said to "tell them good luck. We won't see them until the finish."



The Orange and Blue have important Patriot League games in: Women's soccer, Women's volleyball, and Field hockey this weekend.

Bison mauled by Leopards, take on Holy Cross

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

This past weekend, Bucknell suffered a shocking 56-14 loss to Patriot League rival Lafayette, dropping the Bison's record to 4-4.

The 56 points put up by the Leopards were the most scored against a Bison team since Army scored against Coppin State, needs people to fill the stands. Swimming, contrary to popular belief, is a very exciting sport. From the pre-meet cheers to the last relay, swimming has it all and more.

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On the ensuing kickoff, Bucknell received great field position from a 43-yard return by Troy White '95. The Bison continued down the field from the 50-yard



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

The Bison offense was stopped to only 14 points by the Leopards. Without two key players, the Orange and Blue will take on Holy Cross on Saturday.

line, receiving strong running from tailback Rich Lemon '97. Fullback Bob Horst '96 capped off the drive with a 5-yard touchdown run, his fourth of the year, making the score 14-7 at the end of the first quarter.

Unfortunately, that's as close as it got. Early in the second quarter, Lafayette blocked a Bison punt and recovered it at the Bucknell 17-yard line. The Leop-

ards immediately converted this turnover into a touchdown on Erik Marsh's 17-yard touchdown run the play after, making the score 21-7. After this score, the Leopards would go on to score touchdowns on their next five possessions, on 4 touchdown passes and one more touchdown run (his fourth) by Marsh. Down 49-7 in the fourth quarter, Bucknell added their second touchdown of the game to make it

49-14. This score came on a 5-yard pass from Glus to wide receiver Steve Noteboom '95. Lafayette added another touchdown following the Bison's touchdown to finish off the scoring, leaving the game at 56-14.

In a losing effort, Bucknell received strong performances from its running game and kickoff return

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Lady Bison prepare for Patriot League Tournament

Impressive win against Georgetown in final regular season game

BY BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Last Sunday, the women's soccer team beat Georgetown 4-1 in their final game of the season. The Lady Bison out-shot Georgetown 27-12, scored three goals, and had 4 corner kicks to Georgetown's 3. Leigh Raymond '98 scored Bucknell's first goal at 5:02 in the first period off of an assist by Liz Woodworth '98. Lisa Gibbons '95 scored at 17:36 in the first period to make it 2-0 Bucknell. Georgetown came back with a goal at 31:27 in the

second period to make it 2-1. Gibbons, assisted by Jody Ravetz '98 and Maura Di-orio '97, scored again at 39:52 in the second period to make it 3-1 Bucknell. Woodworth scored off of an assist by Gibbons with 3:57 remaining to make it 4-1 Bucknell. Becky Snover '97 played an excellent first period, making 5 saves and not allowing any goals. Kristin Coates '98 had a good second period, making 4 saves, and allowing only 1 goal.

In the two games prior to the Georgetown game, the Lady Bison had impressive victories over both Lycoming on

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Amy Green (#2) '97 avoids the defense. The Lady Bison begin the Patriot League Tournament tomorrow. The team finished with a 12-5-1 regular season record.

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Student Recital: Lisa Toccafondi '96, mezzo-soprano, and Kenneth Laurora '95, tenor, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Friday, November 4
Hilltop Film Series: *Invasion of the Body Snatchers*, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Weis Center
Japanese Theatre Workshop: Japanese "Kata," 7 p.m., Coleman Theatre
Concert: Gilbert Kalish, pianist, 8 p.m., Weis Center
Poetry Festival: poetry reading, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall
Movie: *Sister Act and Sister Act II*, 9 p.m., Bison

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Saturday, November 5
Poetry Festival: Workshops, 10 a.m.; open reading, 1:30 p.m.; guest poet readings, 3:30 p.m.; West Branch reading, 8 p.m. All events in Bucknell Hall
Japanese Theatre Workshop: 7 p.m., Coleman Theatre
Dinner Theatre: *Murder on Cue*, 8 p.m., Terrace Room
Movie: *The Crow*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre

Sunday, November 6
Japanese Theatre Workshop: 7 p.m., Coleman Theatre



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Monday, November 7
Japanese Theatre Workshop: 7 p.m., Coleman Theatre

Tuesday, November 8
Religious Studies Forum: "The Continuing Influence of Confucianism in Japan," noon, Walls Lounge, Langone Center
Japanese Theatre Workshop: 7 p.m., Coleman Theatre
The Gallery Series: "Music of Changes," Joseph Kubera, pianist, 8 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center

Last Week's Answers

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Weekly Crossword

"Wooden You Know!" By Gerry Frey

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SPORTS

Commentary

Is World Cup fever rather chilling?

When the World Cup came to America in June, there was much anticipation about making soccer a popular sport in this country. The prevailing view for this to happen was that either the host country's team would have to outperform all expectations and go deep in the world's largest sporting event, or the host country would have to get caught up in the hoopla of the game.

But almost five months have passed since the World Cup ended and the question remains—what is soccer's future as a professional sport in the United States?

The answer is rather simple. It has none.

Sure, soccer may be the world's most popular sport. The World Cup final was witnessed by more than two billion people and maybe even America caught World Cup fever last June and July, as it watched its home country crash Colombia's early hopes of winning the title and move into the second round. But does that mean soccer will be a success months and years after the World Cup has passed?

The main problem facing the organization in trying to set up a national professional soccer league is securing television rights. While the World Cup was an advertising success for many corporations in America, its television success was rather modest. Television ratings for the final were only equal to ratings for weekly pro football, and early round games were substantially less than that.

The new pro soccer league will simply not be able to measure up to the World Cup talent-wise. The feisty Roberto Baggio is gone. Maradona and his illegal substances are gone. Bebetto, his World Cup trophy and his cradle dance; they are gone. Valderama's golden mane; yes, that is most definitely gone too. Even several of the American players have left for Europe to play, where salaries are higher and fans take more interest in the game.

This new national soccer league is also lacking the organization that the World Cup had. The league is scheduled to begin next summer, yet five cities for the ten team league have yet to have been picked. This league is also missing strong financial backers in some of the proposed cities along with large, corporate sponsors. This all spells disaster for the new league which will probably just become an outdoor version of the Major Indoor Soccer League.

However, the most important ingredient that this new league is missing is the whole aura of the World Cup. Nothing can measure up to it. When the United States beat Colombia in the first round at the Rose Bowl on June 22 there was a great sense of unity. Everybody got behind the team, thinking it could go deep into the tournament. That didn't happen.

And when the World Cup left, the flag waving stopped, the cheers stopped, and the buzz about soccer in America stopped.

Eric Shortz
Eric Shortz, Staff Writer

The prelude to a league championship

Field hockey has first chance at Patriot League Tournament this weekend



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Danielle Johnston '97 moves the ball in hopes of a goal. The team is gearing up for the Patriot League Tournament this weekend.

BY COLEEN P. ZOLLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With no regular season games remaining, the field hockey team feels that they are ready for the Patriot League

Tournament to take place Nov. 5-6. It was a busy weekend for the Orange and Blue as they saw action against Fairfield last Saturday in a 1-0 victory, and against LaSalle last Sunday in a 2-1 defeat.

"We got the taste of a win," said forward Missy Hauck '97, who scored both of this weekend's

goals. This one last reminder of what is required to survive in the Tournament could be enough to net a Patriot League crown.

Against the Explorers, "we competed well," said captain Kelly Seed '95. "We had a lot of good crosses, and we were passing well." These areas of good play strength-

ened the transitions from defense to offense, which is a good sign since the Bison had trouble in this area when they last played their first round opponent, Lafayette.

"We played really hard," continues Hauck, "the loss was not a matter of effort or skill. We just had bad luck." Unfortunately, this bad luck translated into a number of missed scoring opportunities.

In the last series before their Patriot League match-up with the Leopards, the Bison had a number of offensive opportunities that were created by fine defensive play. Midfielder Seed claimed, "Although our offense controlled the ball for about 85 percent of the game, we didn't capitalize on our offensive opportunities."

Meanwhile, concentration could be a significant factor in deciding the fate of the squad; they have had difficulty competing throughout the season. This has been evident in their inability to close out games convincingly. Keeping these weaknesses in mind, the Orange and Blue will have to rely on the strengths that they have gathered from the start of the season.

The question remains: Is what they have enough?

Desire and dedication could outweigh the team's weaknesses.

"People don't understand the amount of skill, effort, and desire which is present on this team," said Hauck.

"We had our ups and downs this season, but this is our last step to the tournament," said Seed, "and we can get back into a positive mindset if we work together." Even during the loss to LaSalle, "we were playing together," Seed noted.

The ability of the Bison to play as a unit could enable them to incorporate all the skills that they have acquired on this year's journey. "On any given day, any team can win with the right attitude," remarked Seed, "I think we can be successful against Lafayette if we compete for the whole game, go after every ball, and capitalize on all of our opportunities."

The Bison could have a huge opportunity if the Leopards enter the game expecting an easy win since they defeated the Orange and Blue 4-1 in their last competition. "Lafayette might not take us seriously, but we are out for revenge," concluded Hauck. "We know that we want it more. We are ready to prove everyone wrong."

Basketball preview: a new coach, a new attitude

BY MATT HARRINGTON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

A new marshal has ridden into Lewisburg, and hell has come along for the ride. Yes, in a few short weeks, Bucknell's opponents will encounter an inferno of intensity, drive, and desire that emanates from a single man.

Pat Flannery will embark on his first Division I coaching job after ample success at Lebanon Valley. His no-nonsense approach has shocked and confounded many, but as the doors of Davis Gym open to a public thirsty for basketball, it will work and work well.

"I think the players were just pampered before," says Bryan Eisert '95, a 6'10" center. "The players are working harder than they're used to, but it will help, and we are getting better."

Along with Flannery comes Don Friday, a young and enthusiastic coach who loves the game of basketball as well as the interaction with the players.

"Coach Friday is great," says Eisert, "he relates to the players well. Of course, he does need to work on his Seinfeld impressions."

The rest of an experienced staff include familiar faces. Both Terry Conrad and Carl Danzig bring their knowledge of the Patriot League back to the Breakin' Bison, and like an energizer battery, Coach Thompson will surely be observed somewhere near the basketball rack, as he always has been. The staff is prepared for the upcoming season, but winning basketball games is a two-fold job, and the coaches are counting on a great deal of help from the players.

As the first jump-ball of the season ensues, there will be a host of new faces both on the player's bench and in the stands. Gone are names like Simpson '94 and Brown '94. We've said farewell to the personality of Jason Janego '94 and the wittiness of Matt Sloan '94. And now we say good-bye to a warrior, Ryan Dopirak '95. A senior from Ohio, Dopirak relished fighting for the rebound that no

one else wanted. He did the things that won games, but often went unnoticed. And he asked for nothing in return. We bid him a fond farewell from Davis Gym, but we welcome the energy from the incoming freshman. Mike Anders '98 brings his reputation as a marksman to the team, and will be looked upon to sharpshoot Buck-

nell's foes. J.R. Holden '98 brings his slashing style and court savvy with him to Bucknell's lightning quick backcourt, and Preston Wells '98 carries with him a strong post game and tough attitude. "I think we'll have to count on our freshmen more this year," Eisert said. "They have the skills to make

an impact."

Impact is the key word for Bucknell's returning players. Brian Anderson '96, a first team all-league last season, leads a list of talented and experienced players who will once again induce the crowd into a frenzy. Anderson punished Patriot League oppo-

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Basketball

Bison Calendar

Sporting Events for Bucknell University
for the week of November 5 to November 9

Sat. Nov. 5	VOLLEYBALL vs. ROBERT MORRIS	10:00
	VOLLEYBALL vs. COLUMBIA	1:00
	VOLLEYBALL vs. SIENA	4:00

	Football at Holy Cross	1:00
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	Crew—Head of the Occoquan at Fairfax, VA on the Occoquan Reservoir
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	Women's soccer—Patriot League Championship
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Sun. Nov. 6	Women's soccer—Patriot League Championship
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Bucknellian File Photo

Under new leadership and a sporting a fresh, young team, the Bison look to finish high atop the Patriot League. Coach Pat Flannery will direct his the Orange and Blue with an aggressive attitude.

? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Which AFC football team is currently ranked #1 in first downs?
2. What Bucknellian leads the Patriot League in service aces with 65?
3. What two teams were in the 1987 Stanley Cup Finals?
4. How many hits did Roberto Clemente finish his career with?
5. Who is the only golfer to make more than \$1 million each year of his first two Senior PGA Tour Seasons (1993 and 1994)?

Answers:

1. Buffalo; 2. Susie Teisworth '97; 3. Philadelphia Flyers vs. Edmonton Oilers; 4. 3000; 5. David Stockton

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Clear. Lows in the low to mid 30s. North winds 15 MPH.
 Friday—Sunny and cool. Highs in the mid 50s. North winds 15 MPH.
 Saturday—Mostly sunny. Highs in the low to mid 50s and lows in the 30s.
 Sunday—Mostly sunny. Highs mid 50s to lower 60s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Adams selected for presidency

Search committee announces its decision even before Trustees had met

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
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The board of trustees is scheduled to meet Saturday to vote on the recommendation of William Adams vice president and secretary at Wesleyan to the office of university president. Their meeting will be followed by a press conference at 11:30 a.m. in the LC Gallery Theatre.

Teresa Amott, chair and associate professor of economics and member of the



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

The presidential search committee announced last Friday that they had selected William Adams, vice president and secretary of Wesleyan to succeed Gary Sojka.

presidential search committee, said that this final step in the search process, is seen as just a formality. "I don't see any reason why this won't go through," Amott said.

Added that she has "every expectation" that the trustees, in reviewing the committee's decision, will endorse Adams' selection, Amott said that "Adams had broad support across the campus. He had support from all constituencies."

Judith Becker, associate vice president of academic affairs and member of the presidential search committee, said the reason why the committee's announcement came before the actual decision of the board was that "we didn't see a reason to keep it a secret anymore since a decision was made."

Becker agreed with Amott in that "the

Adams—The person behind the presidency

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

William D. Adams feels honored to have been selected as president of Bucknell.

Nominated by the presidential search committee as the 14th president of the University by the presidential search committee, Adams said that he is "looking forward with anticipation to becoming part of the Bucknell community."

Expected to assume his duties at Bucknell next spring, Adams will, "bring Bucknell forward and help us implement the strategic goals and objectives the University has outlined for the 21st century," said Barbara Shailor, vice president for student services and a member of the search committee.

Currently vice president and secretary at Wesleyan College in Middletown Conn., he first went to Wesleyan in 1988 as executive assistant to the president. His responsibilities at Wesleyan include computing and information technology, long-range planning, the Wesleyan University Press, physical education and athletics,

committee was confident that the trustees would confirm their recommendation.

John Stinchcombe '96, member of the student sub-committee for the presidential search said, "the student sub-committee is very happy with the selection of Dr. Adams. Not only do we think he will be an outstanding administrator and fund raiser, we also feel he'll be very receptive and responsive to the needs of the student body."

Amott said the committee "found merits in all of the finalists but in weighing the strengths of all [of the candidates] it appeared to us that Adams strengths were the best match for our needs."

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community relations and institutional research.

Joanne V. Creighton, acting president of Wesleyan, said Adams "is a terrific person who has done a wonderful job for us. He is highly intelligent and works well with all the constituencies of the institution—faculty, trustees, people in the external community."

Before accepting the Wesleyan position, Adams was program coordinator for the Great Works in Western Culture Program at Stanford University. He taught in the Western Culture Program and in the department of political science at Stanford. He has also served on the political science faculty at the University of Santa Clara and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

He received his Ph.D from the University of California at Santa Cruz in 1982 in the history of consciousness program, an interdisciplinary program in the humanities and social sciences. His dissertation was on the social and political philosophy of the French philosopher Maurice Merleau-Ponty.

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Lewisburg residents want fewer student renters

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Members of the Lewisburg community want Bucknell to make a commitment to lower the number of students living off-campus.

The town perspective, as stated by Jim Lee, a former resident of Sixth Street who moved last year because of "student behavior," is that Bucknell has its admissions numbers, it adjusts them for on-campus housing, and the Borough of Lewisburg gets the overflow. "Basically, we have to house your students that you can't handle," Lee said.

These sentiments, expressed at a Town & Gown meeting Tuesday night epitomize many Lewisburg residents' attitude toward student renters, Mike Molesevich, mayor of Lewisburg said.

Citing problems that the town faces due to increasing numbers of student renters, Molesevich called the process a "domino effect." Sixth Street and St. Catherine Streets now comprise mostly student inhabitants, "squeezing Lewisburg residents out," said Molesevich.

"The biggest fear in Lewisburg is a For Sale sign," he said.

As a result of some residents moving out of town, the amount of taxable income falls. And because students do not "pay their way" by holding jobs that could provide a tax base for the community to pay for services such as snow removal, street cleaning, a police force, etc., the Borough earns less money from income tax revenue to spend on its necessary services. "This can have very serious repercussions for a small town," said one member of the Town & Gown committee. "We could be seeing a serious deterioration of our borough."

Calling for a 25 percent of the students who will live off-campus next year, Molesevich proposed a continued reduction until the year 2000 when his total

goal of 118-120 students living off-campus could be reached.

Gerry Commerford, associate dean of students, said that he does not feel that the proposal is realistic. "We need to provide students with various housing opportunities," he said. "A reduction that drastic takes away from student options."

Molesevich proposed that this plan would decrease the student demand for rental units, effectively raising the quality of apartments that landlords would offer to would-be renters. Other unrentable units would be sold, converted to private homes and help reinstate varied residential areas instead of "mostly student areas."

"The solution seems clear," Molesevich said. "Reduce the students and reduce the problems. The currently increasing numbers of students increases the culture of neglect and the lack of responsibility that people take for their residences."

Commerford said that if what Molesevich is saying is that rising numbers of students cause more problems, he [Commerford] has no evidence to support that assertion.

He did say, however that he understands that there are problems with some students who live off campus.

Referring to a situation last week when Lewisburg police evicted eight Bucknell students from their residence at 638 Market Street because of code violations, Commerford said, "There is no excuse for students urinating in the bushes or the alleged absence of respect that some students have for their neighbors," he said. The eviction occurred after police were called to the residence because neighbors saw the tenants urinating off the front porch and launching rockets from the porch roof.

"Also, the fear of student retaliation

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Task force to evaluate men's water polo program

Faculty will question former players

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

In an effort to investigate the alleged hazing activities of the men's water polo team, a campus task force (consisting of faculty members) will interview first-year and sophomore players within the next few weeks.

Called a "neutral group of people" by Rick Hartzell, director of athletics, the task force represents a cross section of faculty members. The task force will attempt to get information from the former players about team members' behavior and report their findings to various administrators, including Hartzell, Barbara Shailor, vice president for student services, and Richard Chapman, dean of students.

"Ultimately, the dean of students' office will decide what to do with that information," Hartzell said. "If somebody's name kept coming up as the perpetrator of really awful things, then it is possible that the person might be sent through the campus judicial system."

Hartzell said that it is also likely that the task force, himself and the other administrators, will decide that the penalties already placed on the team [the suspension of the program] are sufficient. "In that case, we would be ready to reinstate the water polo program after constructing an educational component of counselling and education for the team members," Hartzell said. He cautioned, however, that he cannot say for sure whether all players who had previously been on the team will be able to participate again.

The students whom the task



Bucknellian File Photo
 Rick Hartzell, director of athletics, hopes to reinstate the men's water polo soon.

force hopes to interview "certainly won't be forced to give information," Hartzell said. But he added that he hopes the students will say what they want or need to so that he and the task force, will be able to "fix the problem."

Although the task force is not yet assembled completely, Hartzell said that he hopes for closure on this issue soon after Thanksgiving so that the program might be reinstated. That way, the athletic department can do much of its recruiting of prospective water polo players.

The creation of this task force follows the University's decision, on October 19, to suspend the men's water polo program due to problems former players and University officials referred to as hazing. On that date Alan Huckins, the team coach, resigned his position. Huckins was in his second year of coaching the program.

The team had a 7-10 record for the season when it was suspended.

Bargaining for better budget begins

Trustees to tackle questions of compensation and comprehensive fees on Nov. 12

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The annual question of compensation for Bucknell employees and the comprehensive fee for students is, once again, under scrutiny.

The budget subcommittee will



Michael Moohr, professor of economics, and member of the budget subcommittee, will recommend a 4.2 percent increase in the comprehensive rate to trustees this weekend.

Alumna arraigned for murder

Victim's parents cite marital problems

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell alumna Kirk Barrett '87 and Michelle McDermott Barrett '90 had been experiencing marital problems, Kirk's parents say. Now he's dead and she's taking the blame.

In a statement submitted to the police, Barrett's parents said that he had been planning to end his marriage with Michelle. The two dated since their time at college and had been married since last December.

Arraigned last Thursday for allegedly murdering her husband with potassium cyanide, Michelle McDermott Barrett waived her

recommend a 4.9% increase in tuition, room and board, and a 4.2% increase in wages and benefits for faculty and staff to the Board of Trustees this weekend for approval.

The subcommittee met on Oct. 25 to discuss compensation and the comprehensive fee to "determine what increase the Board [of Trustees] will find acceptable" said Michael Moohr, professor of economics and member of the budget subcommittee, in Monday's faculty meeting. Moohr stressed that the final decision lay in the hands of the Trustees, who will either approve or reject and modify the recommendation.

Though the subcommittee "reluctantly accepted" the 4.9% increase in the comprehensive fee, the original recommendation of a 4.9% increase in compensation was rejected, said Moohr.

Citing that the proposed compensation increase was "too generous" and that "everyone ought

right to a grand jury hearing.

Columbus, Ohio, police officials will not release what they believe her motive to be because they are still "just putting the package together," Detective Pat Barr said.

David Milne, associate professor of psychology, taught Michelle Barrett while she was an undergraduate at Bucknell, majoring in psychology. Milne said that he advised McDermott on her honors thesis, and that he knew her very well. Adding that he was "in a state of shock" after hearing the news of her arrest, he said, "She was a fine student and an even finer

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Faculty Compensation Rates

How does Bucknell compare?

Mean Salary		
Professorship	Bucknell	Colgate, Lehigh, and Lafayette (average)
Full	\$65,800	\$70,400
Associate	\$49,700	\$52,200
Assistant	\$41,500	\$42,400

Mean Compensation (salary + benefits)		
Professorship	Bucknell	Colgate, Lehigh, and Lafayette (average)
Full	\$84,000	\$89,200
Associate	\$63,700	\$68,800
Assistant	\$54,200	\$53,400

Source: American Association of University Professors

Jeff Boulter graphic

to share the pain" of tough economic times, Moohr said the subcommittee modified the increase to 4.2%.

Moohr explained that the in-

creases were determined based on an anticipated inflation rate of 3.7%, meaning that in real terms,

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 Cathy Bruce, William Adams' wife, tumbles with her son on the Academic Quad. See page 10

ADAMS From page 1

A veteran of the Vietnam War, Adams interrupted his undergraduate studies at Colorado College in Colorado Springs to join the Army in 1966. After attending Officer's Candidate School in Fort Sill, Okla., he served in Vietnam in 1968-1969 as a second lieutenant. Adams returned to Colorado College and completed his bachelor's degree in 1972. He was a Fullbright Scholar in 1977 at the École

des Hautes Études and the École Normale Supérieure in Paris and speaks French fluently.

Adams is a member of the boards of the University Press of New England, the Middlesex County Chamber of Commerce and the Middlesex Industrial Development Corp.

A native of Michigan, he was born in Pontiac and grew up in Birmingham.

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Becker agreed, "Dr. Adams is exactly the right person for Bucknell at this time. So many of us are so very excited about his coming."

The final decision to recommend Adams for president came after open forum given by the candidates. The committee weighed the input given by the campus community, reference reports (the committee called a variety of people including people not named by the candidates as references), and hours of conversation with each candidate.

Amott also said that the in-depth discussion on the recommendation was wide ranging across all criteria. "We didn't focus on any single need."

She made a point to say that the decision was not made by a narrow vote. After taking into consideration approximately 75 individual critiques collected after each open forum in addition to the responses given by each of the constituency groups, the committee sat down and in a lengthy debate discussed each candidate. "A consensus was made," Amott said. "We talked until we reached a decision that everyone was happy with."

Of the five groups formed for the specific purpose of giving their recommendations to the search committee, each had a different way of deciding. According to Amott, some ranked the candidates while others evaluated the strengths of each of them. Robert Taylor, professor of English and a member of the faculty search subcommittee said, "We discussed and debated at some length. From my point of view, the process was fair, and I'm satisfied with the outcome."

Stinchcombe agreed with Taylor, saying, "We are very pleased

with the efficiency and quality of the selection process as we saw it."

The four other constituency committees were students, support staff, alumni, and the administration.

Saying that the committee was "committed to the choice," Amott added that the committee wanted to accomplish a decision with in a reasonable amount of time and "hoped to make a decision in one day and we did." Although not seen as their primary objective, the committee also wanted "if possible, to have a decision in time for the board meeting" this week-end, said Amott.

Amott claimed that the open forums were "quite valuable and consistent with the university." Having a closed decision-making process to the end, Amott said, could not be seen as "viable" at Bucknell.

Amott said the five trustees of the search committee were "very active, very knowledgeable, and very involved" with the campus.

Amott added that "they have the confidence and respect of the rest trustees."

Amott did admit that the secrecy of the entire procedure did create a "veil over the process," but that it was necessary because "at the same level there are people who need to be protected so decisions can be made." Amott listed three groups, the candidates not chosen, the candidate chosen, and the people making the decision as the groups that needed secrecy and confidence in order for the right decision to be made. She could not "share the endorsements of the shadow groups" because of this very reason. "People needed to feel free to weigh concerns without fear that it could get reported back."

MURDER From page 1

er person," he said. Milne said that he had had no contact with her after her graduation.

In the ongoing police investigation since Kirk Barrett's death on the morning of Sept. 25, Michelle Barrett admitted that she had purchased the potassium cyanide from a retail store in Columbus two days prior to her husband's death. She had not stolen the cyanide, as a story in *The Columbus Dispatch* had previously stated. After procuring a search warrant in order to search the Barrett's home, Barr found one bottle of potassium cyanide among Michelle Barrett's possessions.

Barr said that Michelle Barrett may have been admitted into Harding Hospital for psychiatric treatment, but the hospital would not disclose that information.

Michelle Barrett had reported her husband's death to the police as a suicide; investigators said that evidence of the case pointed to murder. Eventually, Barrett confessed to the crime. Police arrested her on Nov. 1.

Kirk Barrett majored in economics and biology and was a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. He had worked as a sales representative for about four years

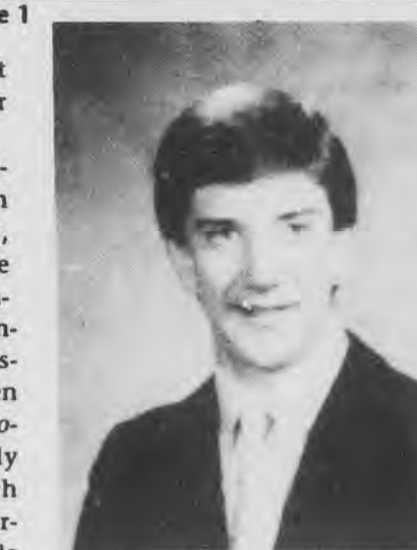


Photo courtesy of L'Espresso
Kirk Barrett '87 in his graduation photo. Barrett majored in biology and economics.

at PruCare of Central Ohio, part of the Prudential Health Care systems.

A native of Princeton, N.J., Michelle Barrett was a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Since graduation, she had worked for an insurance company in New York, continuing a long-distance relationship with Kirk Barrett. She had worked briefly for a temporary service but had never held a permanent job in Columbus.

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Wednesday, November 2

At 10:12 a.m., a Public Safety officer assisted a state constable in the locating of a student wanted in connection with failing to make payment on an underage drinking citation. The student was taken into custody without incident.

At 12 noon, a University employee from the Bertrand Library reported an act of vandalism. It was discovered that unknown person(s) had burned items in a study carrel, causing damage to the carrel.

At 4:30 p.m., a student reported a suspicious individual wanting to take a picture of her. Investigation continuing.

At 11:50 p.m., a student reported being involved in an accident while parked in front of Swartz Hall. According to the reporting party, another student had struck his vehicle while attempting to park. There were no injuries, and only minor damage.

Thursday, November 3

At 1:07 a.m., a student residing in Taylor House reported that unknown person(s) had just thrown an object through her second floor window. There were no witnesses to this act that could be located.

At 6 a.m., a University employee reported that unknown persons had caused damage in several rooms in the Biology Building. The extent of damage ranged from writing on chairs and tables to trash thrown throughout. Investigation continuing.

At 6:43 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on an accidentally activated smoke detector. While there, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had activated a pull station for no reason.

Friday, November 4

At 1:19 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of a fire alarm activation. It was discovered that unknown person(s) had activated a pull station for no reason.

At 2:59 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Vedder Hall on the report of a fire alarm activation. It was discovered that unknown person(s) had discharged a fire extinguisher on the third floor of the west wing for no reason.

At 10:23 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to a reported leaf fire near the Biology Building. Fire was determined to be accidentally started by a spark from a physical plant truck. Fire was contained, no damage was reported.

At 1:10 p.m., a student reported being the victim of harassing telephone calls. Investigation continuing.

At 11:10 p.m., a University employee discovered a lost wallet in the Davis Gym annex. Owner was contacted and wallet returned.

At 11:15 p.m., Public Safety officers stopped a male on Fraternity Road who was carrying an open container of alcohol. Identification revealed that the male was a first year student who was under the legal drinking age. Student was transported back to his residence.

At 11:43 p.m., a Public Safety officer observed a vehicle being driven north on South 7th Street with an individual in an open trunk. Vehicle was stopped, and operator of the vehicle is to be cited for reckless operation in regards to having an occupant in the trunk, as well as too many people riding in the car.

Saturday, November 5

At 12:19 a.m., a student was observed urinating on a tree in front of Larson Hall with a bottle of beer in his hand. Student was identified and found to be 21 years of age. University charges pending.

At 12:20 a.m., a University employee in the Langone Center reported that unknown person(s) had damaged a thermostat cover in the lobby area on the downhill side. Unknown person(s) had also removed a "No Smoking" sign from the wall.

At 12:24 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Hunt Hall on the report of a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had discharged a fire extinguisher for no reason.

At 12:46 a.m., a female student reported that two males in a vehicle had made rude comments to her while walking along South 7th street near Kress Hall. Vehicle was located and stopped. Occupants were identified and found to be Non-Bucknellians. Lewisburg Police were advised of situation, and the individuals were escorted off campus.

At 1:27 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to the Sigma Alpha Mu house on the report of a fire alarm activation. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had activated a pull station for no reason.

At 11:26 p.m., Public Safety officers assisted the Lewisburg Police on the report of loud noise on University Avenue. Upon investigation, it was discovered that the origin of the complaint was both Kappa Sigma and Phi fraternities. Charges pending.

Sunday, November 6

At 4:58 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Trax Hall on the report of an unresponsive male. Victim was located and transported to the hospital via ambulance for treatment.

At 5:25 a.m., a Public Safety officer responded to Swartz Hall on the report of a student with a hand laceration. Upon arrival, it was discovered that the student had apparently suffered the cut after punching out a window. Investigation continuing.

At 5:55 a.m., a Public Safety officer discovered that part of the pedestrian gate along Route 15 was missing.

At 10 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to the stadium on the report of the location of a fire extinguisher. Extinguisher was taken from Swartz Hall.

Monday, November 7

At 10:40 a.m., a Public Safety officer responded to Hunt Hall on the report of an act of vandalism. Upon arrival, it was discovered that unknown person(s) had cut a screen and attempted entry of the building. Entry was not made.

Tuesday, November 8

At 1:32 a.m., Public Safety officers responded to Swartz Hall on the report of an injured student. Student was located. Injuries were determined to be caused by punching out two windows. Injured student was transported to the hospital via Student Health Service driver.

At 10:30 p.m., a student reported being harassed by another student. Investigation continuing.

Wednesday, November 9

At 8:40 a.m., it was discovered that unknown person(s) had overturned a recycling bin at the Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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Adams comments on receiving the nomination for presidency

BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Board of Trustees will vote on Saturday to elect Bucknell's newest president. On Nov. 4, the Presidential Search Committee announced its endorsement for candidate William "Bro" Adams.

When I talked to Bro Adams on the telephone, he sounded road weary and exhausted. Having just returned from New York City, Adams was trying his best to focus on Bucknell's immediate demands on him, as well as maintain his responsibilities as vice president and secretary of Wesleyan University. Talking to a reporter sounded like another thing request on a day that seemed like the middle of a 20-day work week.

But when I met Adams at his office, he talked and conducted business as though in a cloud of tireless energy. His warm, hypnotic voice made me feel immediately comfortable, and yet his charisma and dynamic personality kept me alert throughout the interview.

And that is the charm of Adams. With his class good-looks coupled with a sharp and perceptive intelligence, Adams won over the campus, earning him the respect and honor of becoming Bucknell's fourteenth president.

Following is the interview conducted with Bro Adams last Monday:

Q: I guess the first thing that we wanted to cover is that President Sojka has left two vice-presidential positions for the new president to fill. Do you think that's a good thing or a bad thing?

"I think what made that first step so easy was the reputation that it [Bucknell] has. It has a very good academic reputation and that's what matters most to me."

A: On balance it's a good thing. I think it's good that a new president has the opportunity to fill those positions with people he or she finds congenial and appropriate given the kinds of things he or she wants to do. So I'm on balance, glad that I have that opportunity.

Q: Do you, at this point, have any kind of feeling for who you might appoint to those positions?

A: No.

Q: Do you know if you would appoint them from within the University or from people that you know through contacts?

A: I don't know if there will be candidates from within the University or not. But I want to conduct open searches in both of those cases. So if there are internal candidates, that's great. If there aren't, we'll find candidates from other sources. I would expect there would be strong sources from outside the University.

Q: What topics would you have on your agenda coming in as president?

A: Well, the University has topics on its agenda, including the two you mentioned. These two positions are very important and they have to be thought through very carefully. There is a continuing fund raising agenda for the University—it's very important—that I inherit. Pres. Sojka has been working on it, so I hope to step into that in a rather seamless way.

There is an academic agenda that the University has established for itself in the implementation of its long-range academic plan which comes from Foundations for the Future. So there are serious implementation issues as I understand it.

The University has announced its intention to further diversify the institution, and I fully support that, and I want to begin to work on that right away.

Plus, a new president has all kinds of things he or she has to learn about an institution. Since these places are what they are because of the way they have grown over time and [because] particular programs and initiatives have developed within the institution over time, the new president needs to spend time listening and talking and getting close to people, to students, to faculty, to the administrative colleagues with whom he or she works. So I'm going to be spending a lot

of time early on learning about Bucknell.

Q: How familiar are you, how much information were you able to pick up about the Internals of Bucknell.

A: As much as I could. But again, you understand, that's a limited amount because these places are very complicated. They have long histories and many interesting corners and pockets and distinctive characteristics and those can't be picked up on paper.

Q: Was your visit when you were introduced to the campus your first visit to Bucknell.

A: That was my first and only visit to Bucknell.

Q: What do you see as some of the major problems. I know this is a hard question to answer because you don't really have the inside track on Bucknell, but do you see any glaring faults that Bucknell has within it already?

A: No, I don't see any glaring faults, but I know that there are challenges. Again, going back to the agenda, one of the things the University is doing, as I understand it, is assessing itself financially and making certain that its budget and its budget planning are in a state of equilibrium, so that the expenditures and revenues of the University are balanced and that the financial structure supports appropriately and adequately the programs of the institution.

I know that there's been a process under way called the Direction Setting Initiative which is looking at the budget. I've got to become very familiar with all of those details, what's being done, where the pressures are in the budget. Bucknell is no different in this way than Wesleyan and many other places. There are tremendous financial pressures on these kinds of institutions. The pressures are not easy to cope with and the pressures are being exerted in a time of constrained resources generally—tuition can't rise as fast as it used to; there are limited and more constrained returns on invested endowment dollars; fund raising is a tough thing to do in any climate; it's especially tough to do in a difficult economic climate. There are lots of constraining pressures and difficult things to face. Bucknell is facing this.

... we got to become familiar with the budget; very familiar with the constraints; very familiar with what the flash points are and where real distinctive pressure points are in the Bucknell budget so I can act responsibly in the process of planning budgets in the future. So I'm going to spend a lot of time trying to get a handle on the financial structure of the institution.

Q: What have your impressions of the campus been so far?

A: Well they're wonderful. You must know it's a ravishing place. It looks just fabulous, and the day we were there was one of those extraordinary, clear, beautiful days when the place is just spectacular. And the town is lovely and the surrounding area is lovely, so it was a smashing impression physically.

But the deeper question you're asking, really, is what did I feel about the place. And I'll tell you very candidly what I felt about it. The exchanges I had with all of the groups, the administrative groups, the staff groups, the students, were all extremely positive. What kept me coming back throughout the whole search process was the very positive feelings I got from the people on the search committee, both about me and about the institution.

And I noticed when I was on the campus, that there was a very strong sense of community, a sense of respect for and a liking of the institution by itself from and of its members. I got very strong signals and signs of that when I was there.

Plus I enjoyed the personal interactions I had with people. I had a very good meeting with students for a couple of hours. I felt very encouraged by that. They were lively, smart, inquisitive, thoughtful people, and again I had a good sense of their feelings about the University, which matters to a candidate. A candidate does not want to come in and see a lot of people with bad feelings about the campus. So your antennae are up in the air and you're waiting to see what people say and think about the place.

I asked various groups of employees I met with what they felt about working there. I had a lot of questions to answer and that was one of them to ask so I asked it. And I got pretty good, positive responses. Now I know that this is a moment

where everybody's on their best behavior, but still, I think you can tell.

So in some ways, the physical impression of the place was great and also the human impression, if I can put it that way, was very good. So I had strongly positive feelings about the place. And of course that was the big mystery in the search for me up until that moment. I knew the search committee fairly well but I didn't know anything concrete about Bucknell.

I must say too, and this is important, as my candidacy became public, people here said some things to me about Bucknell that were very encouraging. People who had taken their children there for interviews, people who knew people that work there. That's when you really begin to get a concrete sense of things, and I did get a very positive and concrete sense in reports from people I knew here about Bucknell. That helped me.

Q: What led you to start looking for presidential positions, particularly Bucknell?

A: I wouldn't have described myself as looking. I am very happy here [at Wesleyan]. I have my hands full. I wasn't casting about. I became aware of this [position at Bucknell] through a single conversation that I had with someone, and that person asked me if I'd be interested and I said I would, because I knew in a distant way about the institution and I thought it was an interesting question.

You've got to remember, asked at that level of abstraction it's quite a distant and abstract possibility when one simply asks you about that and I couldn't have imagined at that point that it would have led to this. But at each step of the way it seemed to make sense so I kept stepping and so did the committee.

I wasn't casting about, but once I was made aware of it [the opening for president], I think what made that first step so easy was the reputation that it [Bucknell] has. It has a very good academic reputation and that's what matters most to me.

Q: How do you define the role of a president of a university?

A: Well maybe there are two ways to talk about it. A president is at least two things. He or she is the CEO, or in other words, the organizational leader of the administrative entity. He or she has lots of responsibilities like the responsibilities of chief executive officer of any organization. He or she is responsible for determining broad institutional policy, for making fundamental decisions about the use of institutional resources, and there's a wealth of routine sorts of administrative things that the president's office is responsible for in the daily life of an institution like Bucknell, Wesleyan, and other places. They all get lumped together in that role as the chief executive officer of an institution. And those duties are complicated, demanding, pressing, and important.

At the same time the president is the

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president. That is to say he or she represents the university externally to many different people; to alumni, to the trustees, obviously, he's the campus representative to the board, and to the larger world, to the public as a whole, to prospective students, to parents. In that role the president has several different kinds of responsibilities, powerfully symbolic, which require a great deal of communication, articulation of the institution's aspirations and identity to these broad publics.

That's one way to look at the presidency, as being composed of these two spheres of work. Of course they're related somewhat. I don't mean to abstractly separate them, but it's convenient to talk about them. And there's a lot to do in



Photo courtesy of Wesleyan University

The presidential search committee announced, on Nov. 4, that they had selected William "Bro" Adams to be Gary Sojka's successor as president.

each of these spheres so the president sails forth into the world and represents the institution both in a fund raising and in a public relations capacity. But the president is also on campus as the principle officer of the organization. And in between there's a few hours of sleep.

And in the course of that internal function the president has complicated constituencies, or constituencies with complicated relationships—students, faculty, staff—and has to be attentive to or responsible for those relationships in all the ways that I don't think people understand and that really are important.

Q: I know it's a bit early to be asking you this question, but Pres. Sojka came from Indiana, and is now stepping down from the presidency to become a faculty member. Do you see Bucknell as being a settling place for you?

A: That's a tough question. I'm so focused on this job and this opportunity that I'm not thinking at all about what might come after. My view of this is that this is a long-term relationship with the institution. There's a lot to do, it's a tremendous challenge for me personally and my horizon for the moment just doesn't go beyond Bucknell. I have no aspirations to get there and to do a terrific job. And if I can do that, that will be a lot and I will be very happy.

Q: How do you see your current position as Vice President for Wesleyan as preparing you for becoming President of Bucknell? What qualifications do you bring from your current job?

A: Well, a number of different things. I'm responsible for large and complex parts of this institution so I have organization and leadership experience in the management of various areas of a university. Prior to my role as vice president I was executive assistant to the president and in that role I saw everything that the president saw, virtually. So I feel I have a pretty broad appreciation for what presidents do and what kinds of things they're responsible for.

So it's both in my role as vice president and in my role as executive assistant to the president that I've learned a lot about how these institutions work and what it means to be a president. There's a lot to know, a lot to understand. These are, again, complicated places and they do a lot of different kinds of things.

Q: How comparable are the two institutions, Wesleyan and Bucknell?

A: Well, there are interesting comparisons. They're about the same size. Wesleyan, while it doesn't have professional programs as Bucknell does, does have graduate programs. So there's this interesting complication, if I can put it that way, of the identity of the school at Wesleyan in the same way that there's an interesting complication of Bucknell's identity

because it has the school of engineering and the school of arts and sciences. And I would guess that some of the ways in which that makes the self-descriptions both more complicated and more interesting are similar. There are other ways in which they're dissimilar, of course.

Q: Bucknell has always prided itself on having a very close campus. The classes are all faculty-taught and the campus is small enough where you get to know most of the people around you. Is Wesleyan like that in its atmosphere?

A: It's very similar. [Wesleyan has] the same sense of scale and intimacy. The other thing that I think is probably similar is the self-conceptions of the faculty, and this is an important thing to me. At Wesleyan there's a lot of importance placed on the role of the teacher-scholar as an identity for faculty. It's very important that faculty think of themselves both as teachers and as scholars [since] scholarship and teaching are mutually reinforcing.

My sense is that that's also the case at Bucknell and I welcome that. I find that a congenial model personally because that's the way I looked at my own work as a teacher. I also think it's the right identity for these kinds of institutions, smaller liberal-arts, and in Bucknell's case, preprofessional or professional schools. I think that's the right mix of values and virtues. So I'm glad that that's the case, or seems to be the case to me, at Bucknell because it is something that I like about Wesleyan and lends to Wesleyan, some of its distinctive strength and character. So I find that crossover interesting and welcome.

Q: How hard of a transition do you see yourself having coming out of Wesleyan into Bucknell?

A: The tricky part of the transition, I think, is that it takes some time to learn about an institution. So presidents have this interesting conundrum. On the one hand they're expected to have an impact, right? Lots of expectations are attached to the new president. And yet, to make intelligent decisions you have to understand the place.

So the tricky line that the president has to walk is on the one hand learning about the institution and paying attention and listening and really trying to understand and on the other, knowing when enough is enough. And it takes a little luck and some good sense and hard work.

Q: What was your first reaction when you got the call from the presidential search committee that you had been chosen as the nominee?

RENTERS From page 1
tion—like vandalism—if they notify the police of bad behavior that some residents have with regard to their student neighbors is very bothersome," Commerford said.

Kevin Gardner, a landlord who said that he owns about 40 rental units in the area said that he felt

that renting property to students was actually advantageous because he could get more rent from students. He then has the money to maintain and fix his properties when necessary. "Unfortunately, a lot of other landlords don't adhere to that," he said.



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Senate:
Harris Wofford (D) 1,641,807 (47%)
Rick Santorum (R) 1,732,261 (49%)

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—2/3 of the Susquehanna Valley's registered voters took part in Tuesday's elections.

Northumberland County: 28,126 (68%)
Montour County 5,230 (65%)
Snyder County 9,775 (68%)
Union County 9,454 (66%)

New York State:

Sen. George Pataki (R) 49%
Gov. Mario Cuomo (D) 45%

Virginia Senate:
Sen. Chuck Robb (D) Winner
Oliver North (R)

Massachusetts Congress:
Mark Roosevelt (D) 28%
William Weld (R) 71%

Texas:
George W. Bush (R) (53%)
Gov. Ann Richards (D) (46%)

Florida:
Gov. Lawton Chiles (51%)
Jeb Bush (R) (49%)

Tennessee:

Phil Bredesen (D) 45%
Don Sundquist (54%)

Illinois:
Dawn Clark Netsch (D) 34%
Jim Edgar (R) 64%

COMPENSATION

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the actual increase in the comprehensive fee will be 1.2%, and the actual compensation will be .5%.

If the forecast for the inflation rate is on target, tuition and room and board will increase by \$1,135, and every \$100 earned in wages and benefits means an extra .50 for Bucknell employees.

Several members of the faculty expressed concern over the modest increase in compensation, noting that a trustee approved guideline used in determining compensation increases had been ignored.

In an interview, Moohr said the guideline, personal disposable income (PDI+1), captures two things, "the rate of inflation and the growth of real income."

The guideline ensures that "compensation should be great enough to cover inflation...and the real income of Bucknell employees should move in the same direction and by the same amount as the real incomes of other people in the economy," Moohr said.

Moohr noted that the guidelines "weren't much discussed" in determining the 4.2% proposed increase.

Another guideline which provides that Bucknell's compensation rate remains competitive with frame of reference school's is the American Association of University Professors (AAUP). The AAUP compares Bucknell faculty salaries to other institutions, and the guideline mandates that Bucknell should be in the top eighth percentile among these institutions

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News Briefs Off Campus

Williams' honor code violated

Williams College bi-annual report of the Honor and Discipline Committee, had the rather perverse distinction of having the largest number of cases reported in a single year.

The 12 cases heard over the last year involved a total of 23 students, of whom 13 were found guilty.

The largest number of convictions were for students accused of cheating on exams. Thirteen students were accused and seven were convicted. Four of six students accused of paper plagiarism were convicted. One student was accused of and convicted of failing to report a violation of the honor code. One senior was convicted of what the report said was "presenting a false transcript in order to receive credit for coursework from another institution."

That senior was suspended through 1994. The two students who were accused of cheating on a quiz were both found not guilty.

—The Williams Record

Israel agrees to speedy self-rule

Moving to defend Yasser Arafat against a challenge from his Islamic foes, Israel agreed today to pick up the pace of its sluggish talks with the Palestine Liberation Organization on expanding self-rule beyond the Gaza Strip and Jericho enclave to include the entire West Bank.

The two sides said that in two weeks they would negotiate several major issues at the same time, principally territory-wide elections for a self-rule council and a withdrawal of Israeli forces from West Bank cities and towns.

Meeting at this border crossing in a northern silver of the Gaza Strip still in Israeli hands, Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin of Israel and Mr. Rabin, the P.L.O. chairman, also decided to complete the transfer of certain administrative powers to Palestinians in the West Bank by the end of the month.

—The New York Times

On Campus

B.S.G. promotes multiculturalism

Last Spring, Bucknell Student Government (BSG) created the Multicultural Committee to further multicultural awareness on Bucknell's campus as a whole, and particularly within the student government.

At a recent BSG Congress meeting, the Multicultural Committee's proposed by-law to incorporate the attendance of Congress members at multicultural events was passed. In taking on a pledge to increase attendance at multicultural events, BSG will mandate the attendance of all Congress members to at least two events per semester. Such events include, but are not limited to speakers, dinners, forums, or workshops sponsored by any of the Multicultural organizations on campus.

At the weekly BSG Congress meetings, Ketan Majumdar '95, spokesperson for the Multicultural Committee will announce the upcoming cultural events that members may attend during the week.

—The New York Times

News Briefs compiled by Karen Waters

PA campus crime stats reported

College newspapers in Pennsylvania will have access to daily reports of campus crime under a measure signed into law by Gov. Robert Casey.

The bill, sponsored by State Sen. Richard Tilghman, requires college police departments to release daily crime reports. The reports must include a chronology of all valid complaints that the departments receive, in language that can be easily understood.

The new Pennsylvania law also requires that the names of victims not be included in the crime logs. However, the names and addresses of people arrested, as well as the charges brought against those people, must be listed.

Senator Tilghman said he had become involved in the issue of campus crime after the rape and murder of a student at Lehigh University in 1986. In studying the issue, he said he had become more aware of other types of campus crime, such as book-bag theft, which he said had "become a big business recently."

—The Chronicle of Higher Ed.

Artillery fire hits Sarajevo streets

In the worst bombardment of the Bosnian capital since a NATO ultimatum in February, Sarajevo was hit by 10 to 15 artillery rounds, probably fired from Bosnia Serb positions, a United Nations spokesman said here tonight.

Four people, three of them children were killed in the shelling and in sniper attacks and six others were wounded.

The United Nations military force in Sarajevo said in a statement that it would not retaliate. Yet a Bosnian Army officer vowed, "You can bet we're going to retaliate if this continues, and it will be much fiercer than anyone expects."

In the Serbs used random sniping and artillery fire to exact revenge for military operations by the Bosnian Army in Sarajevo and elsewhere. The attack today came after several advances by the Muslim-led Bosnian Army.

—The New York Times

Reitenbach turns herself in

Rather than waiting to be arrested, Nicole Reitenbach of Milton, the woman charged on seven counts for her involvement in the automobile death of Michael Mullins '97, turned herself in to the authorities.

Chief Barry Hosterman of the East Buffalo Police Department, the investigating officer on the case, said that police released Reitenbach on \$50,000 bail. Her preliminary hearing is scheduled for Nov. 17 in District Justice Leo Armbruster's office.

Representing the prosecution for the preliminary hearing will be Andrew Lyons. Hosterman said that he expects Graham Showalter, the District Attorney to represent the prosecution at the trial.

Michael Rudinski, an attorney from Williamsport, is representing Reitenbach.

Among the charges facing Reitenbach are: driving under the influence, homicide by motor vehicle, involuntary manslaughter, reckless driving, driving at an unsafe speed, and failure to stop for a red light.

BSG candidates: Who they are and their stances on the issues



PRESIDENT
Name: Scott Charles '96
Major: Accounting

Experience: BSG treasurer, chairperson for appropriations committee, student government representative for the Council on Greek Life, member of the concert committee, member of the student lecture committee, member of the executive board of RHA, member of his class cabinet.

Issues statement: "I know what it takes to be president. I've run the appropriations committee and had to deal with all kinds of student groups as well as members of the faculty."

"What I feel are the most pressing campus issues to be addressed are: Improving the communication between students and BSG; working to increase diversity on campus and within BSG; improving environmental awareness



Treasurer
Name: Dan Gannon '96
Major: Management

Experience: Accounts manager for BSG and a member of the appropriations committee.

Issues Statement: Right now, I'm a paid employee and want to go from that position to treasurer because I wanted more of an involvement in student government.

"Some of my ideas include requiring

clubs to come up with some of their own revenues in order to fund some of the activities that appropriations doesn't normally cover. Appropriations and BSG shouldn't be seen as the sole source of funding for student activities. I'd also like to rewrite the appropriations guidelines in order to make it very clear as to what activities would be funded and what would not be funded.

"I'd like to see BSG develop into a more unified organization. It should have more of a voice on campus."



Second Vice President
Name: Jason Sherlock '96
Major: Mathematics

Experience: Vice president of Chi Phi Fraternity, assistant coordinator of the Special Olympics, member of the Greek Monitoring Team, member of baseball team.

Issues statement: I have good leadership experience to qualify me for this position.

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DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT

To act as a member of all BSG committees, and to coordinate the work of the various committees.

To appoint and/or remove all Congress members to or from BSG Congressional Committees as established by the BSG, and to be responsible to appointing and/or removing the chair of committee. All appointments or removals are subject to review and/or reversal by a majority vote of the Congress.

To appoint, with the approval of the Officers Council, Congress members to sit on University Committees.

To establish and appoint student members to special University Committees or Task Forces with approval of Congress.

To act as liaison between the student body and faculty and administration.

As presiding officer of the BSG Congress, to vote on motions only in order to change the outcome of the vote.

To serve as an official delegate to the Board of Trustees.

To announce the business before the assembly in the order in which it is to be acted upon.

To attend all faculty meetings, or to designate a member of the Officers Council to attend in his/her place.

To insure open communication between the BSG, the student body, and the student newspaper.

To monitor all actions of the faculty and administration to insure student rights are preserved.

To insure open communication between BSG and the President and Provost of the University.

To insure open communication between BSG and the Dean of Student Life.

To appoint a student who is well-versed in the rules of parliamentary law to the position of parliamentarian.

To perform all other duties pertaining to his office.

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT:

To assume the duties of the President in the absence of the President and to succeed that office in the event of a vacancy.

To conduct all general elections of the BSG with the aid of an elections committee as outlined in Article II, Section 8 of these by-laws.

To act as chairperson of a committee to investigate the background of all organizations that apply for recognition.

To act as a member of the University Committee on Complementary Activities, the Appropriations Committee, and all Congressional Committees.

To act as chairman of the Elections Committee.

SECOND VICE PRESIDENT:

To keep the minutes of all meetings of the BSG Congress.

To announce and inform all congress members of meetings, and to distribute agendas and minutes well in advance of the meetings.

To keep and supervise the files of the BSG.

To supervise the work of the salaried secretaries to the BSG.

To serve as a member of the BSG Committee on Student Programs and the BSG Appropriations Committee.

To release and/or distribute information of BSG activities to the campus-wide community.

To contact all congress members when removed, or (after 2 absences) when in danger of being removed, in accordance with the attendance policy in Article 2, Section 9.

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PRESIDENT
Name: Marni Harriman '97
Major: Political Science and French

Experience: Member of BSG Congress, vice chair for public affairs committee, participates in BSG talk show on WVBU, secretary/treasurer for sophomore class, member of student presidential search sub-committee.

Issues statement: I want BSG to be very involved with the Capital Campaign so that Bucknell can increase the size of its endowment and increase its ability to give financial aid to students so that we can make Bucknell more appealing to a wider variety of students.

"I also think it's very important that BSG have a voice at the faculty meetings."

"Right now, I think that BSG is lacking in its teamwork efforts as well as not representing the entire student body. I think the multicultural committee is a step in the right direction toward promoting multicultural awareness but we need to try to open up awareness even more."

"How I differ from the other candidate is that I'm a woman. By having a woman as BSG president, the organization would get a different perspective, yet still be able to represent much of the student body. I compare myself to the impressario who directs an opera—the charismatic leader who organizes everything. I have a lot of strength in my personality."

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT
Candidate Running Unopposed
Name: Gerald Cox '96
Majors: Geography and Political Science

Experience: Resident assistant, vice president of Residence Hall Association, and co-founder of the campus group "Political Forum."

Issues statement: "I've always believed that leadership is getting people not to follow you, but to join you. In everything I do I try to delegate responsibility to get more people involved in a project."

"Although I have had no previous experience in BSG, I have attended several BSG meetings in order to familiarize myself with its workings."

"While I feel the campus offers a number of alcohol-free, alternative planning events, I would like to see even more implemented as one of his goals for the position. I would also like to see BSG become more inclusive. A lot of people right now don't know what BSG is doing. I'd like to involve more people so that they would have a better idea of what is going on, as well as so BSG would be able to accomplish more things."



Second Vice President
Name: Andrew Borst '96
Major: Accounting

Experience: Member of the sophomore class cabinet and a member of the appropriations committee.

Issues statement: Communication is the most important thing. A lot of people don't know what BSG is doing and could really benefit from knowing. I think that BSG could also benefit from more student involvement.

"I also think that the way in which funds are appropriated to clubs and stu-

dent organizations needs to be improved. The current policies aren't very firm. Finally, I think that the subject of multiculturalism is another important campus issue. I do think though that the new committee on multicultural affairs should help a lot in focusing the student government toward what students want.

"People should vote for me because I'm very interested in doing the job. I think that I have some good ideas and it's good to get new people involved in the student government."

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EDITORIAL

The Bucknellian endorses BSG candidates

It's time again to cast a ballot for students running for the executive board of the Bucknell Student Government (BSG). Though the number of candidates are sparse, the amount of enthusiasm, drive and experience in those few candidates seems to make up for the loss.

After brief interviews with the candidates and much debate, the editorial staff of *The Bucknellian* chose the candidates that we feel best represent the student body and are capable of handling the tremendous task of running BSG.

Junior Scott Charles' self-professed worst quality is that he talks too much. But if his articulate interview with the staff is any indication of such a weakness, we feel confident that as president of BSG, his worst quality will be his asset.

As the current treasurer of BSG, Charles is familiar with the day-to-day inner workings of the executive board. During his term as treasurer, Charles restructured the appropriations process into a more organized, workable system. His record as treasurer indicates not only that he has the experience and enthusiasm necessary to handle the position, but the drive to make changes, despite bureaucratic challenges. Charles' determination to bring abstract issues on campus, such as diversity, increased communication, and environmental awareness is rooted in concrete ideas and plans of action.

Though Jerry Cox '96 is running unopposed for

the position of first vice-president, we are not in a position of reluctantly accepting our only choice. What Cox lacks in experience with BSG is easily made up for by his initiative. Initially, we were hesitant to endorse such a candidate, but when he mentioned that he had attended several of the recent BSG meetings, of his own accord, and took the time to familiarize himself with the BSG by-laws, our hesitations vanished.

As current vice-president of the Residence Hall Association (RHA), Cox has had comparable experience in dealing with campus issues and the administration. We feel that Cox's new outlook on BSG will lend a much-needed fresh perspective to the executive board. Similar to Charles, Cox's plans for addressing the campus-wide problem of awareness is firmly planted in realistic ideas, such as getting RAs involved in informing residents of BSG's progress. Additionally, we think Cox's willingness to dive into any task, whenever and wherever he is needed will benefit the president and his duties.

The choice for second vice-president was not so easy. The two candidates had equally admirable qualities, though one's strengths seemed to be the other's weakness. Jason Sherlock's '96 inexperience with BSG is a definite pitfall, but his 'team player' attitude and sheer courage to run against a more experienced candidate gained our admiration. He

saw an opportunity to make changes, and he jumped on it. His energy and eagerness seem to smooth out the rough, technical edges of the job that might hinder him at first. Like Cox, we feel that his outsider's perspective might help to shake up the exclusivity that has plagued BSG in the past.

Dan Gannon '96 is running unopposed for the position of treasurer. But like Cox, we are not discouraged by this because he would make a tough opponent for anyone. As the current accounts manager (a paid position for BSG), Gannon sees the position of the treasurer as a chance to make real changes. With his experience, Gannon is more than qualified for the job, but his earnest desire to be more involved makes him the desirable person for the job. We admire Gannon for his initiative to not just assume the role, for which he is qualified, but take on that role with the knowledge and drive to make changes.

The four candidates we endorse each have their own unique strengths. Together, we feel their positive will complement each other, and ultimately strengthen BSG and the student voice on campus. Our decision is made, and we encourage all students to review and evaluate the candidates, with the help of the Voter's Guide and *The Bucknellian* interviews (on page five) and cast an educated vote in next week's election.

OPINIONS

The Republican victory: more power to the people?

BY MICHAEL KRECHMER

BY CRISTINA TISA

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

As I sat downstairs watching the television in Veder Hall, I could barely believe my ears. The night started out on a somewhat disappointing note—Clie North (a.k.a. the Teflon Felon) went down to Chuck Robb. This seemed to be an unfortunate omen of things to come. Was a GOP sweep a media hoax—a lie to scare Democrats into voting? Hardly.

At 8 p.m., both Tennessee seats were declared Republican wins. It is important to note that Democrat Jim Sasser was crushed—Sasser was next in line for Senate Majority Leader. GOPer Olympia Snowe won her Senate race in Maine—a slap in the face of retiring Majority Leader George Mitchell. Giants fell Tuesday night. At 11 p.m., Dan "Rosty" Rostenkowski was booted from the job he held for 30 years by a challenger no one had heard of. Mario Cuomo was defeated by George Pataki for New York State Governor. This was an especially sweet race for me; I'm from New York and Cuomo has been the only Governor I have ever known.

Another nail in the liberal coffin included the defeat of Texas Governor Ann "Ma" Richards, famous for quipping that George Bush was "born with a silver foot in his mouth" at the 1998 Democratic Convention. The irony of last night's Republican Victory was that she was defeated by George W. Bush, son of the former President.

At midnight, with West Coast numbers still unreported, things looked fantastic for the Republicans. Both Tom Ridge and Rick Santorum won here in Pennsylvania. There was a gain of eight Senate seats, giving a definite majority. Not one Republican incumbent Senator fell, despite the claims of Democrats that there was a wave of anti-incumbency. A net of ten Governor's races and control of seven of the eight most populous states was attained. Unfortunately, Florida's Democratic Governor held on.

But by far, the sweetest and most surprising news were the House results. The Republicans haven't controlled the House of Representatives since Eisenhower, and the Republicans hadn't broken 200 seats since 1958. That has all changed. The Republicans netted a definite 36 seats, and computer projections showed it very likely that at least 50 would be picked up. No one expected such a showing—projections of 25 pickups were called optimistic.

Why is this so important? Because the House of Representatives is where legislation begins. Republicans couldn't get legislation out of committee for 40 years without begging Democrats. The Chairman of each committee dictates what the committee will discuss. For the first time in a long time, the Republicans will set the agenda.

This is the first year that I have voted. As such, tonight would have been special to me, no matter how the elections turned out. But with the landslide in American history occurring last night, I will always remember November 8, 1994 as the night the government finally went back to the people.

Christmas came early this year for many Americans, myself included, when election results came in late Tuesday night. For the first time in 40 years the Republicans have regained control of both houses of Congress in a semi-stunning turnaround that began way back in 1992, when 43% of the country elected William Clinton to be the next president of the United States. I drove home that year to vote because New York State, then under the questionable leadership of Governor Mario Cuomo, screwed up my absentee ballot by not sending it to me. I voted for George Bush, and was quite disappointed and overwhelmed when he did not win his bid for re-election. I knew that this country would be sorry, and I knew that the day would come when those who had voted for a change would cast their vote for a new type of change. The message that had been sent to Republicans back in '92 was heard loud and clear. They reformed and returned to well-deserved victories over respected incumbents and worthy opponents.

I, for one, was extremely nervous about the outcomes of the gubernatorial elections in New York State. Mario Cuomo has been in office since I was a wee little girl, through little fault of Upstate or Midstate at all. By and large, Governor Cuomo was universally popular only in downstate counties (New York City region), and when he did take Upstate or Midstate counties it was by narrow margins. Finally, however, even the city seems to have tired of our Governor, and a new governor, George Pataki, was elected.

Party politics is having an extremely harsh effect upon the well-being of our country. Although I am absolutely thrilled about the Republican victories and will probably have a killer weekend because of it, I am concerned that this country is relying too much on the "party line." Gridlock, though it was expected to get better with a Democratic president during the last two years, has not improved. Democratic candidates all over the country separated themselves from the Clinton administration for fear that hard-line Democrats and liberals would rescind their support over "mushy" politics. Liberal candidates who had been described as being in Clinton's "back-pocket" cut the apron strings so they could identify themselves with the solid liberals Clinton tried so hard to separate himself from.

What is happening in this country is that the mass public seems to be reverting to the years of hard-nosed Democrats and Republicans. Liberal Republicans and Conservative Democrats (often called Moderates) are quickly becoming passé as powerful leaders such as Newt Gingrich call for a return to diabolical politics. Candidates expressing Centrist policies are condemned by both parties, as Democrats and Republicans alike battle to prove to the American people that their party's politics are going to carry our nation on the eagle's wings to economic superiority, social revolution, and military might.

What we are forgetting is that such reactionary politics are damaging to our nation's push towards renewed economic strength and other domestic goals. Politicians repeatedly refuse to vote in the best interests of their constituents because measures are based on party platforms. Although both parties may look towards the same goal, that of an improved America, they cannot see past politics. This is counterproductive to the proclaimed goal of our government: "to ensure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity."

What we need in this country are statesmen and women who are not as concerned about their future in public service as they are about their great-grandchildren's educational and professional futures. I would love just one Congress to ignore logrolling and pork barreling to get down to the dirty, forgotten realities of our country. Granted, I know that some of these tools are essential for accomplishing the goals set by the government and the American people, but they would not be needed if our elected representatives could ignore platforms and conventions and concentrate on the issue.

Having said my piece, let me end by saying that I am thrilled that the Republicans regained control of Congress because as long as this country is run by party politics, Republicans have the best recipe for success. Go GOP!

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Speak Out

The University has been buzzing about the Presidential Search Committee's choice for the next University president, Dr. William Adams. After a successful decade of enviable achievements made by Pres. Gary Sojka, however, the new president has big shoes to fill. The question remaining is, will Dr. Adams successfully meet the challenges of President?

I do not know much about the new president except for what I've read in his biography which appeared in *The Bucknellian*, but it will be difficult for anyone to fill the place that Gary Sojka has left. He has done so much for the University and I hope the new president will care as much for the students as Gary Sojka has done.

—Kristy Schiano '95

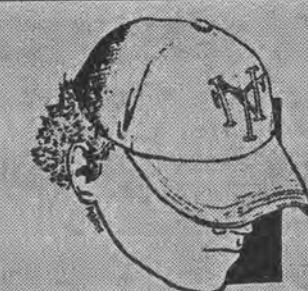
I think Dr. Adams will do a good job. His qualifications are impressive and I'd be extremely disappointed if he wasn't successful. I'm optimistic about the future of the University and feel the search committee has made a wise choice.

—Becky Wagner '96

From what I've read, Dr. Adams' experience seems impressive. I'm sure he will do just as good a job as Gary Sojka, if not better.

—Sarah Muangman '97

Treading Water

by Scott Albright
Part Five in a Series

The clock ticks, a click, click, clicking; a steady pulse passing away the seconds, minutes, hours of Calvin Peale's existence, a haunting, metronomic beat that is out of sync with the quickening drum roll in his own chest. Beth's room has become suddenly silent with the departure of five friends who have left to discover more free alcohol among the vast uncharted wilderness of Fraternity Row. Cal feels increasingly restless in the resulting quiet, now that his life is passing with an unsatisfying emptiness.

When Beth reenters Cal is staring down at the floor, running his fingers through his red hair, one foot tapping incessantly to a rhythm that she cannot hear or feel. Beth leans back against the wall, thankful that it is still there, focusing dimly on the multiple Calvins that sit in her desk chair.

"Cal, you okay? You don't look so hot, but I guess I don't either, huh?"

The dark, amorphous stain on which Cal has been concentrating begins to take the shape of something familiar, like the cottonball clouds he used to admire when he was a kid. He recognizes an animal of some type, again, from his childhood—those picturebooks with which his overly conscientious parents used to fill up his shelves. One long protrusion from the initial spool where the beer can dropped and then rolled: is it a rhinoceros with its threateningly thick and sharp, saber-like horn or maybe an elephant raising its trunk into the air to trumpet majestically? Cal's wrist falters and drips more beer onto the spot to drown the image. He looks to Beth who is picking up the playing cards that cover the floor like fallen leaves.

Cal sits next to her as she gathers the cards from her knees and notices how beautiful she looks in this position—her smooth, silky calves. He begins to help pick up without a word and then imitates an old movie by touching the same card, then her hand: from hand to arm, arm to shoulder, shoulder to neck, stroking and massaging gently. She is beautiful, he begins to whisper, so beautifully.

When Beth responds, Cal feels the renewed hope of a child who has been told by a finch-like older sibling that Christmas will not be celebrated this year and then receives his first gift. Cal has been waiting, patiently he believes, sufficiently. He was obliged to stop the night of Parent's Weekend when he had been alone with her and she had asked him, had cuddled though he yearned for more. But she is kissing his face indiscriminately now with a fresh passion and he advances in appreciation of these signals, embracing her, feeling what he can, uncovering, rubbing, and guiding her underneath. The room has disappeared for him, the suffocating walls of the Swartz dorm have crumbled and he is acting in a less restrictive realm oblivious to all of the daylight world's bothersome distractions. There is only his body and Beth's moving together, achieving the synchronicity for which he has so long dreamed.

But then a shrill disturbance shatters this concentration and Beth is struggling with desperation to get to the phone. Sitting up, Cal is closer and answers it, his back against the door. He speaks with feigned control, tries to lessen his breath.

"Hello," and there is a gasp on the other end with silence following and so he greets again.

"Is Calvin there?" blurs the other voice suddenly and then hitches with a choking inhale.

He is agitated, no furious at such an interruption.

"Yeah, this is him—but I'm in the middle of something here." He chuckles inside of himself. Literally, he thinks, literally. "Can I help you, Miss?"

There is a heavy sob on the other end and then a click. Cal looks at the phone disgustedly and then back at Beth who is curled up, hugging herself as if to keep her shaking body warm and then back at the phone receiver which is still in his hand. He has recognized the voice as if a blinding flash of light has flooded his brain. Beth is crawling to a corner. F—k her, he thinks, and her childish little games. He must get home because he realizes who is most likely waiting for him there. There is great damage that could possibly be done and he slips out the door to attempt to extinguish it.

When he reaches his dorm, Franklin is there, reading a magazine. Cal despises his nonchalance and hits him on the shoulder.

"Was Leslie just here?" Cal asks with an interrogative vehemence. Frank seems to be smiling and Cal is on the verge of exploding, that his girlfriend would try something like this to trap him, that his roommate would foil him without giving it a second thought. "Was she?"

"She was here to surprise you, used the phone and left. She seemed kind of upset though, on her way out. Said something about the bridge for a walk."

"And you told her where I was? That's just f—king great! You're a f—king idiot, you know that?" and then Cal leaves, sprints down the hall. He has to stop Leslie, catch her before she does something stupid and causes a big mess, both of herself and for him.

When he finally finds her fifteen minutes later, she is leaning over the bridge railing, staring out into the Susquehanna. She is crying, whimpering, he observes, like an infant. He must soothe, make her understand, explain. He holds her tightened frame, hugs her warmly and kisses her lightly on the cheek. She is not resisting, he thinks. She must only have suspicions and he will quell them as he always has.

"C-C-Calvin, what were you doing in that girl's room this late at night? Please tell me so we can go back. I don't feel safe here."

Calvin Peale feels his own muscles constrict, but forces himself to relax, to display the confidence that has always gotten him what he has wanted. "Settle, settle," he rasps with a soft grin, rocking her gently with his embrace, "good ole Calvin is here to protect you."

OPINIONS



"Bubble" cannot keep out rape

BY SALLY RYMAN

Is this your story or the story of someone you know?

I was at a big university. We had coed dorms with two hallways of girls and two of guys. This guy was a football player... I knew he lived down the hall from me, but I didn't really know him. I thought he was an attractive guy. He was a junior.

There was a party for everyone on our floor. There were kegs and stuff. The drinking age was 18, but even though I wasn't of drinking age, they let me into the party. We already had been drinking a lot when we got to the party. This guy [the football player] was talking to me.

He wasn't drinking, but he was feeding me alcohol. He asked me to come back to his room—it was right down the hall. I was just so out of it. I said, "Sure." I didn't think he'd hurt me.

I thought there'd be other people there. I thought it was just like, "Let's get out of this party." When we got to his room and I saw there was nobody there, I didn't think I could do anything about it.

We started kissing and then he started taking off my clothes. I kept telling him to stop and I was crying. I was scared of him and thought he was going to hurt me. He had a hand over my face...

On Halloween, while walking to class, I saw the statistic "97% of men are raped," written in chalk on the downhill side of the LC. I didn't find it amusing. While men are raped, the clear majority of rape victims are women.

Many students on campus seem to think that rape isn't a problem at schools like Bucknell. They are wrong. According to the Student Right-to-Know and the Campus Security Act, there were seven Forcible Sex Offenses at Bucknell last year. When one considers it is usually estimated that only five percent of rape victims report their rapes to the police, the actual number of rapes soar to 140 annually. A big part of the problem at most institutions is alcohol; in fact, it has been estimated that 98% of the rapes on this campus involve alcohol. Being drunk does not mean consent, nor is it an excuse for rape.

Sexual violence is unwanted sexual intercourse, fondling, kissing, holding—any forced sexual contact by either someone you know or a stranger. When it is against your will, it is against the law. Sexual violence is a crime.

Eighty-four percent of rape victims are acquainted with their attackers, and most rapes occur in dating or romantic situations. Those closest to you can easily take advantage of and assault you—a friend, a date, a classmate, roommate, lover, ex-lover, or co-worker.

The statistics on rape are shocking. The risk of rape for women between the ages of 16 and 24 is four times higher than that for women of any other age group. In fact, one out of four college women have experienced rape or acquaintance rape at some point in their teens, the average age for a rape victim being 18.5. Likewise approximately half of

men arrested for rape are also 24 years old or younger. In a survey by Ms. magazine, of 3,187 female college students:

15.3% had been raped;
11.8% were victims of attempted rape;
11.2% had experienced sexual coercion;
14.5% had been touched sexually against their will.

How do we stop rape? At the present time, women and men need to be educated on how to protect themselves. Society should teach men and women new ways of seeing each other move away from socially constructed gender roles. When a woman says "No," a man should recognize that she means it and respect her wishes.

"It is men who rape and men who collectively have the power to end rape."

—Timothy Beneke, author of *Men On Rape*. Ms. magazine reported that of 2,973 college men surveyed, 187 rapes, 157 attempted rapes, 327 episodes of sexual coercion, and 854 incidents of unwanted sexual contact were committed.

In order to stop rape, men need to change their behavior and rethink their beliefs about women. Below are five things that men can do.

1. Never force or pressure a woman into having sex.

2. STAY SOBER and DO NOT buy into the myth that a drunk woman "deserves" to be raped. Don't use your intoxication as an excuse; no one deserves to be the victim of a violent, life-threatening act.

3. Do not "join in" if a friend invites you to participate in sexual behavior.

4. Do not confuse "scoring" with having a successful social encounter.

5. Don't assume that you know what a woman wants and vice versa. Speak up if you feel you're getting a double message from a woman; ask her directly what she wants. If she can't tell you, don't have sex with her.

If you have been raped, there are many resources available to you on campus and in the area: Bucknell Office of Public Safety (available 24 hours a day), the Women's Resource Center, Psychological Services, Student Health Center, your RA, Lewisburg and East Buffalo Police, Susquehanna Valley Women in Transition, Evangelical Community Hospital, and more. If you want to get involved in stopping violence against women, there are groups on and off campus, such as Feminist Outreach, Men Against Rape, and Susquehanna Valley Women in Transition. Both Men Against Rape and Feminist Outreach are open to anyone, women and men.

If you have been raped, REPORT IT! Reporting a sexual offense does not require pressing charges, and all reports are handled confidentially. If you wish, you can report a sexual offense anonymously, directly to Public Safety, Psych Services, or the Women's Resource Center. Don't let these crimes go unknown.

Is something troubling you? Should other people know about it? Write about it for the Opinions Section! Call Derek at 523-0017.

ELECTION '94

The Republicans have had their say. Now it's the Democrats' turn. Don't go unheard! Send your thoughts on the election to C-3952 for publication in next week's issue.

OPINIONS

Life after Bucknell: graduate school, Mennonites, and cheap ties

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

First I got a hint from my parents: "So, one more year and you'll be done with Bucknell. Time goes so fast! And then you'll be off into the real world."

Yikes, I thought. When I returned to Bucknell I got a hint from the Career Development Center:

"High-Impact Résumé Enhancement—every Tuesday, 7 a.m."
"The Colors for Interviews: A Roundtable Discussion—this Wednesday, 4 p.m."
"Graduate School Rejection Support Group—Thursdays over lunch (the lunch will be inexpensive)."

"How to Make a Living Through Amateur Gambling—starts Friday, bus trip to Atlantic City included."

I signed up for several of these. Soon, friends who prefer not to discuss world hunger started asking:

"So what will you be doing next year?"

Next year, I figured I better start exploring this "next year" thing.

Graduate school seemed like a good idea. I had developed a fondness for studying Optometrists of Upper Canadian History (OUCH), so I began searching for OUCH programs I could apply to. The computer in the Career Development Center suggested programs at 49 schools, including:

"The Millard Fillmore Institute at Manitoba Mennonite University, Lower Northeast Central Michigan State University (at Hubbard Lake), The Third School for Advanced Study of Academic Issues, and Berkeley."

I thought that many of these Optometrists of Upper Canadian History programs were good suggestions until I started asking my professors about them.

"Avoid Manitoba Mennonite; the department there is dominated by retina specialists..."

"Well, they say they study Upper Canadians..."

"Berkeley is one step from hell."

So I started having second thoughts about grad school.

My roommate suggested:

"Take a year off. Get a job. Contribute to our nation's Gross National Product rather than being a student leech."

My roommate thinks economic jokes are funny.

So I rewrote my résumé:

"OBJECTIVE: To find employment with a reputable organization in a reasonable job by which I can gain the exposure and necessary experience to further my career goals, improve my office skills, and develop into a more informed citizen of this great land we call America."

There seemed to be very little space left on the résumé to list my educational history, past employment, past volunteer work, college activities, high school activities, computer skills, language skills, and various honorary societies, which was good because I didn't have any of that stuff anyway. I just signed my name really big at the bottom of my résumé and hoped the companies I applied to didn't use a handwriting analyst.

Graduate schools, application deadlines, academic histories, transcripts, letters of recommendation, cheap ties—my room was full of them. I was becoming sick and tired of swimming through oceans of my life's details. I looked forward to the simplicity of the one-on-one interview.

My first interview was with a travel agency:

"Sorry I'm late," I said. "I got lost trying to find the room."

The second was with a major newspaper:

"Of course I know current events—Princess Diana, the baseball strike, O.J. Simpson."

The last was with a law office:

"Hey, are you guys like *The Firm*?"

I expect to receive my job offers in the mail any day now.



I need coolin'—The art of loving, of all things, Led Zeppelin

BY ALLISON PRICE

On November 8th, the new Led Zeppelin album arrived in record stores. Well, I admit that this is not one-hundred percent accurate. On November 8th, the new Jimmy Page/Robert Plant electric/acoustic effort "No Quarter" came out—the new "Unleashed" Zeppelin from the MTV "Unplugged" special. From what I have read at press time, they will not include "Stairway to Heaven." I think I am glad. I suppose you are all thinking by now, especially all those people who *thought* they knew me, that I have either lost my mind or have been rendered unable to spout serious opinion after last Tuesday's election. Not a chance. You see, I love Led Zeppelin. However, it is not entirely as simple as that. In life, it is very rare that anything is.

Let's play a quick round of word association—Led Zeppelin, the 1970s, heavy metal, unparalleled debauchery, Robert Plant's hair, Robert Plant's jeans (you know, THE PAIR), your cool uncle's record collection, "And she's climbing..." the last song they played at your senior prom, Satan chic, the faded black t-shirt the guy sitting in front of you in pre-algebra wore with his endless hair half covering the Zoso insignia on the back, and the Pegasus patches on the fringed denim jackets of girls who were pulled out of the bathroom for smoking over lunch in high school were. I could go on and on and I am sure you've got the picture. I did not particularly care for Led Zeppelin back in high school. I also never had the opportunity to go beyond my preconceived notions, my own unique stereotypes. Then, during my first year here, as my tastes were already expanding

beyond blind devotion to standard Classic Rock, R.E.M. and the Police, a friend of mine dropped by late one night with a Zeppelin tape he had made for me. He entitled it "Top Ten Red Snapper Recipes," and if you want to know the origins of that recipe you're going to have to dash off to the bookstore and pick up a copy of *Hammer of the Gods* by Stephen Davis and Richard Cole because I am not divulging anything. The ongoing joke is how long it took me to get past the first song. I never knew how bluesy, soulful and consuming their music sounded.

Over the years, I have become convinced there is nothing in the world or in life that a great song cannot express. When you fit individual songs into the framework of its universal language, music has defined us through recent American history—the revolutionary Ragtime of the early 1900s, the raucous Jazz Age, the dignity of pioneering Blues musicians, Swing and World War II, Rock n' Roll rebellion, Motown's exploitation, the Peace Movement and kids in suburbia as well as the inner city finding something in Rap music. Within all these major societal dynamics are the people living the lives, each life a soundtrack. We all have experienced that sublime moment when we hear a song and it says everything about you and everything just to you. Most of us have, hidden somewhere deep in our music collection, that one ultra-embarassing tape that we just *had* to have.

Back in high school I remember how categories were definitely the thing; you could classify people according to their music and no one would mind at my rural, all-white high school. There were what I have always called the "splitter groups" who were either smart enough to like Classical music or en-

joyed show tunes or Christian rock. The guys liked Rap, Metal, or anything undisputably masculine. A segment of the girls were, what Tori Amos would call pretty much the same amount of fun on the weekends, only one group put on an act, and the other lived a part and ultimately the kind of more truthful life we all envy. I've also had it explained to me that Zeppelin is one concept being worked over and over again in the minds of men. I can hear that, but when I listen to it I hear something else (beyond asking guys who in the world did they think Robert Plant was singing those songs to). Guys who love Tori Amos, Liz Phair or Hole cannot hear the same things I do, although the emotional charge is still there. We get into trouble when we succumb to the need to assign value and superiority to our wonderful, individual judgments. In this, we all lose.

The thing about worshipping Classic Rock is that you are always embracing a song or musicians that existed years ago—the Stones at Altamont, Zeppelin in "The Song Remains the Same." Inevitably, the song does and doesn't, although neither do you. Then again, maybe we all just get older and learn more. So, now I will listen to my Unleashed Zeppelin and try to assign the voice to the Robert Plant that fell asleep under the tree in "The Song Remains the Same" after eating a mushroom and riding through the castle gates on a white horse. Meanwhile, the friend that made me my first Zeppelin tape is now threatening to attempt to get me into Rush, although the chances of that are akin to Robert Plant fitting into his 1970s jeans. Oh well. Maybe it is, as Zeppelin put it, "Many times I've wondered how much there is to know..."

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LETTERS

Smoking section extinct; smokers—endangered?

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing to express my concern regarding issues related to smoking on campus, specifically: (1) the lack of an indoor smoking area on campus, (2) the discrimination that smokers have been subjected to, and (3) the ironic practices of the convenience store in the Bison. It is necessary to begin a dialogue on these issues and to attempt to resolve them.

During my 5+ years at Bucknell, the environment for smokers has changed drastically. It used to be that you could smoke in most of the hallways of the academic buildings, the lounges of dormitories, anywhere you wanted to in the Bison, and in the 24 hour section of the library. I was quite irritated when Media Services took over the old 24 hour library area two or three years ago, and the new 24 hour section had no smoking section. However I was more than willing to step outside or to stand in the entrance of the library to have a cigarette. I understood people's wish to avoid smoke while they were eating in the Bison and willingly moved to the smoking section, as I am respectful of non-smokers who wish to avoid second-hand smoke, the smell, and the like.

However, as of this year there is not a single location indoors (other than in one's dorm room) where smokers can have a cigarette. The Bison no longer has a smoking section, and all rooms and all hallways in the buildings on campus are now smoke free, including the entrance to the library. Smokers will soon be in a difficult predicament: What do we do when we want/need to have a cigarette, but we don't want to get wet or freeze when the weather inevitably gets lousy this winter? I'd like to believe that smokers will "suck it up and deal" (as many non-smokers have told me) by going outside, but I would be fooling myself. It doesn't take Nostradamus to predict that smokers will soon be lighting up indoors in spite of the rules and regulations against doing so. This will inevitably be a "nose-sore" for many people, and will well understand when they will be irritated. However, while I don't condone breaking the No Smoking rules, I am quite

sympathetic towards smokers desire not to be subjected to the elements. There should be some location on campus where smokers can have a cigarette indoors. There seems to be a widespread belief that smokers are somehow stupid, morally decrepit, or otherwise defective individuals who are not worthy of respect or consideration. None of these stereotypical traits are necessarily true. Many of us are simply addicted. We are well aware that smoking is bad for our health, and many non-smokers seem to take pride in constantly reminding us so. In fact, many of us hide the fact that we are smokers because some non-smokers are openly hostile toward us. To stop smoking means for most to overcome one of the most powerful addictions around. We are not going to stop because we are harassed, and the administration is sorely mistaken if they believe that not providing an environment conducive to smoking is going to cause smokers to quit—take a look at drinking on campus if you don't believe me.

Smokers will stop smoking when they make a conscious decision *themselves* to stop, when they muster up the willpower, and when they dedicate themselves to stopping, not when people try to coerce them into stopping. Metaphorically speaking, you can't stop a rushing river by building a small dam because the river will find it's way around it or break the dam down altogether. However, you can guide a river in a new direction if you work with it rather than against it. Similarly, if you are seriously interested in helping smokers, try showing concern rather than hostility, and try encouraging and supporting smokers in their attempts to quit. But don't try to force it—it will accomplish nothing. Smokers will not stop smoking because there isn't a smoking area, so why not provide us with one? Providing smokers with an area will assist in the prevention of the air pollution non-smokers complain so vehemently about.

Ironically, while we can no longer smoke in the Bison, smokers can still buy cigarettes in the convenience store. Members of BSG informed me recently that twenty-six percent of the sales in the convenience store in the Bison come from the sale of cigarettes, so there is a clear vested interest in selling cigarettes. But it is as if the Wood Company (or whomever) is saying, "Sure. We're happy to sell you cigarettes and make a profit, but take your cigarettes outside, and don't let the door hit you in the butt on the way out." Stopping the sale of cigarettes is not the solution, as selling smokes on campus may prevent drinking smokers from drunk driving to buy cigarettes downtown. But why not take some of those profits and put them to use ventilating the Bison's smoking section of last year?

I welcome any and all responses to this letter.

WILL TAYLOR, GR
Nov. 8, 1994

Family touched by support from campus

TO THE EDITOR:

We would like to thank the students and faculty of Bucknell for their support and comfort. It has helped ease some of our grief knowing that Michael was so loved and respected at Bucknell University. We know Michael thoroughly enjoyed his time at Bucknell and that he had acquired a great many friends.

We appreciate seeing that so many of Michael's friends were able to attend his funeral. The students of Bucknell are an exemplary group of fine young ladies and gentlemen.

We would also like to thank the ROTC for their participation in the funeral. It was beautifully done and Michael would have been very proud of all of them.

JEANINE, DEBBIE,
AND SHANNON MULLINS
WAYNE, N.J.
Oct. 25, 1994

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Adding the laughter and humor to music

Performing together for a year, Susan Minsavage '97 and Matt Mehaffey '97 create an entertaining musical show

BY LISA ZIGCARDI
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It all started with the jazz lounge standard, "Misty." Matt Mehaffey '97 was fooling around at the piano playing it, and Susan Minsavage '97, who had performed the song in high school, joined him in singing it. Their impromptu duet eventually progressed into an act called "Shoebutta Lounge." They made their ensemble debut last year at Coffee House on "Open Mike Night," and now they are coming back this year to perform where it all started.

While their act is very musically oriented, Mehaffey and Minsavage said that musical complexity is not their sole focus. According to the two, their performance is very tongue-in-cheek and even a bit satirical, and their goal is to make the audience laugh. Mehaffey said, "We are both serious musicians, but we have the same sense of humor. The lounge act is our escape from seriousness."

Minsavage and Mehaffey take their audience back to the days of piano bars and

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—Matt Mehaffey '97

lounge singers. In the present era of acoustic guitarists and alternative rock bands, "Shoebutta Lounge" is a blast from the past. The act invokes images of smoky bar rooms, lonely drinkers, and sexy singers.

The close relationship between this dynamic duo is evident in their interaction with each other. Minsavage and Mehaffey, who became friends through their participation in the Rooke Chapel Choir and a mutual music class, have a terrific time playing and practicing with each other. Minsavage calls Mehaffey a "lounge lizard," and said, "Mehaffey is an amazing jazz pianist. He knows every cheesy lounge act ever made!" Mehaffey explained that their closeness is due to the bond they share as an act: "We're entertainers; not just a piano player and a singer."

But the casual attitude they have towards their act and their emphasis on fun is deceptive of the seriousness of their musical studies. Minsavage, a mezzo-soprano, is a vocal performance major. She participates in Choir, Chorale, and the Opera Company, and is currently practicing for her sophomore recital.

Mehaffey has been a classical pianist and a tenor singer for many years. He is a member of the Bison Chips, and is also involved with Choir, Chorale, and the Opera Company. He attributes his interest in jazz to getting bored with classical music—he wanted to learn how to improvise.

He joined a jazz band that needed a piano player in high school, and also played with a jazz quintet and sextet. These groups traveled and played at events such

"We just want people to come and laugh."
—Sue Minsavage '97

as country clubs and wedding receptions. That was where Mehaffey learned lounge songs, and his career as a "lounge lizard" began.

The name "Shoebutta Lounge" was born out of a comy inside joke. When asked to explain, Mehaffey and Minsavage just laugh. Mehaffey said with a grin, "Let's just say it's kind of like Zen. It started as a nickname, developed into an attitude, and became a way of life!"

Mehaffey and Minsavage will be taking "Shoebutta Lounge" to the stage in the Bison for Coffeehouse at 9 p.m. on Wednesday. They have no set agenda so they can improvise and run with their excitement. Their act will definitely include some Ger-shwin tunes and Duke Ellington songs, and songs that Frank Sinatra, Billie Holiday, and Sara Vaughan sang. And of course, their "signature" song, "Misty."

Minsavage and Mehaffey are extremely excited about their Coffee House performance. Minsavage said, "We just want people to come and laugh." With a laugh, Mehaffey added, "Actually, our ultimate goal is to have three people standing in the back, the only ones clapping, just like in the movies."

Judging from the hilarious sneak preview I got of "Misty," there will be a lot more than three people clapping at this tremendously talented duo.



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Performing at Coffeehouse at 9 p.m. on Wednesday are Susan Minsavage '97 and Matt Mehaffey '97, who started performing together last year.

Dance and theatre combine for cause

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

In the case of Bucknell's studio concerts, it's the students who always steal the show.

The Bucknell Dance Company and Cap & Dagger join forces once again for an informal collage of student pieces. The concert will take place tonight at 5 p.m. in Tustin Dance Studio. There is a \$2 suggested donation to benefit the Stephanie Sayer Memorial Scholarship.

According to Cap & Dagger member Nicole Cobban '95, the Bucknell Dance Company used to host their own studio concerts, but have recently connected with Cap & Dagger to host the event.

The studio concerts were revived under rather tragic circumstances. "The concerts started up again because of the death of Stephanie Sayer, a recent Bucknell graduate who was very involved in theatre at Bucknell," Cobban explained. "When Sayer died, her parents set up the Stephanie Sayer Memorial Scholarship to benefit students involved in performing arts at Bucknell, and asked Cap & Dagger to contribute to the start-up fund. The studio concert had

been already planned, but Cap & Dagger Executive Board decided that instead of just donating a lump to the scholarship, we would ask for a suggested donation of two dollars at the concert to benefit the fund."

Cobban stated that since that first concert, Cap & Dagger has been able to contribute more money each year to the fund.

"The studio concerts are an opportunity to do a no-pressure performance, such as monologues, short scenes, or a work-in-progress," Carol McLaughlin '96 said.

McLaughlin, house manager for Cap & Dagger, described the student-run production as relaxed and a great way for students to participate in theatre without committing to the work involved in a full-scale production. "I was involved in theatre in high school, but I don't have the time to fully devote myself to theatre here," McLaughlin commented. "This is a way for me to stay involved."

Danna Frangione, professor of dance, said that the studio concerts were initially a way to get the theatre and dance groups together on an informal basis. Although the-

atre and dance technically fall under the same department, the two don't often get the chance to work together.

In addition to the students who will participate in this evening's event, other performers will include Professor of theatre Bob Gainer, as well as Bucknell alumni Katrina Herb '93 and Janelle Oltork '93.

"The dancers, I think, enjoy the studio concerts best of all," Frangione stated. "They can be experimental, there's little pressure, they can work with a text if they want to—it's exciting!"

Several students in the dance composition class will perform their own works, some of which have unusual twists added to them. Nicole Bradley '97 will do a piece with a text written and recorded by her boyfriend; Carla Christy '98 will do a solo; Susanna Marshall '95 will perform a piece; and Heidi Dawson '95 will perform a work that includes a vacuum cleaner.

A few dance assignments will also be showcased in the studio concert. In Jazz I, Professor of dance Er-Dong Hu had his students create short combinations.

Several of these combinations will be put together tonight to create an original dance performance.

"I love the studio concerts," Frangione commented. "In Tustin, you're right up close and personal with the performers. You can see the work, the focus, and the knowledge that the students have done something extraordinary."

Making their debut at this studio concert will be the Educational Theatre Company (ETC), and off-shoot of Cap & Dagger. The group was designed to incorporate theatre as a learning technique in classrooms. Although ETC has been in existence for several years, this is the first year that an ensemble students would be recruited as the core of the program. Previously students would be recruited as the need to fulfill projects arose.

Tonight's performance introduces the ETC to the Bucknell community for the first time. But in addition to the new faces, there are also the experimental pieces by veteran performers, and, as always, the casual familiarity between the audience and performers that leaves the campus with a taste of things to come.

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FEATURES

Top ranked skier contemplates role of first lady

BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

We live in a world of Hillary Clintons and powerful first ladies. With William "Bro" Adams' nomination for president, the role of Bucknell's first lady falls on his wife, Catherine Bruce.

A three-time number-one internationally ranked skier and the top ranked American skier four years in a row, Bruce was a member of the U.S. Ski Team and World Cup Team, as well as a competitor on the Women's Professional Ski Racing Tour.

Having recently retired from the world of professional athletics to begin her family, the energy and dynamic personality that won her medals on the slopes has turned to the position set before her at Bucknell.

But despite her celebrity status and numerous accomplishments, Cathy Bruce is a warm, funny, and personable woman. Interviewing her on Monday was more like talking to an old friend. Her intelligence shows through in her tremendous sense of humor, and it's clear that she's most on her mind is her son, Sean, age five, her husband, and what lies ahead for the three of them at Bucknell.



Photo by David Loky

Cathy Bruce, wife of Presidential candidate, William "Bro" Adams, an avid skier, was a member of the U.S. Ski Team and World Cup Team from 1976-1979. As she considers the transition to the role of President's wife, she emphasizes her family as her first priority.

Q: How do you see yourself fulfilling the role of the president's wife? Do you have any aspirations of your own for the University?

A: That's a big question that I keep thinking about. I don't know yet. Right now basically my family is my first priority as in my son. Other than that, that leaves me quite open to see what everybody at Bucknell does.

I assume I'll be with Bro as much as I can, and be as much of a presence as I can. And I guess I'll just see where the needs are, either with students or faculty

or trustees. I don't really know. I've never been a president's wife before.

Q: One of the benefits of being in the presidential family is the house. It's beautiful and there is an entire staff to maintain it. So what will you do with your time?

A: That's what I haven't quite figured out. I think I'm going to try to get a small advisor group for myself that can help me so I don't tug on Bro saying, "Gee honey should I go to this party? Or should I be some place else? or how did I do or what should I do next?" because he's going to be full with his job. So we thought that would be a good idea.

Q: Kind of like a cabinet for the president's wife?

A: Well, you know, just a couple of people. Somebody I can say, "What did you think of this event? How did it go? Was I okay or should I do more?"

And that also goes with town. There's some connection I need to work with the town. I don't know. We're just going to feel our way.

I think we'll get so many ideas from people along with Sandy [Sotka]. She obviously does quite a bit. I don't think I can replace Sandy or keep up with Sandy, but I'll do my kind of thing.

Q: Ever since people learned of your background as a top-ranked professional skier, there's been a lot of curiosity about your background. How did you get involved in ski racing to begin with?

A: Well, when you're amateur racing there comes a point when you get to be a little bit old or things don't quite work with amateur and that's [professional racing] sort of the next step. Or collegiate racing was also an option. But for women it wasn't as good of an option as pro racing.

In hindsight, it's hard to say. I always wanted to either be a racer or go to school and not to blend it because something's getting sacrificed. I saw a lot of girls in collegiate racing not race very well and I don't know how they did academically. That's why I sort of vowed, it's one or the other. I'll either go to school or I'll race professionally.

But I had two older brothers and they skied. My parents loved to ski. So we all skied and we fell in love with it and my oldest brother started racing and then my other brother started racing and then I had to do everything my brothers did so I started racing. And I just followed them pretty much. I was always a tomboy. And I think we all had this natural athletic ability, so we kept with it because we were okay at it.

My oldest brother Geoff went to the Olympics in 1986 so he did sort of the best in amateur. And then my other brother Douglas, he went to college. He went to University of Vermont and he was NCAA



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian
Cathy Bruce frolics on the lawn of the academic quad with her son, Sean, during a recent visit to Bucknell University.

champion. Then we all turned pro. Geoff hurt himself early on so he was out. Doug did okay, and I did the best.

Q: Was the transition out of professional skiing a difficult one for you?

A: Yes, the transition part was hard. It's sort of complicated. I was married before. Basically I married my coach and he's Austrian and that's where Sean is from, that's his dad.

But I raced with the U.S. Ski Team for about four years and then I ended up turning professional and I raced for about nine, ten years. I was top three-time overall champion the last three years, and then I had a brother that died and I was very close to him. And so I was kind of messed up. I ended up hurting myself at the last race because I was [not as focused as I should have been].

And so I tried to go again the next year because when you're winning it's very hard to say good-bye. That's why I think you see a lot of champions crumble their last year and you're like, "Why didn't they just get out at the top?" Well it's hard to get out at the top. Especially in a professional sport when that's your income. And so the next year I didn't do very well and my knee hurt and I ended up getting knee surgery done, so that stopped it.

I've always wanted to have a child. I stopped [skiing] at about age 30 so that was a pretty long career as an athlete. But, like I said, I've always wanted a family and I was able to get pregnant with Sean. I think between the end of career, marriage problems, and my brother dying, I ended up being a single mom for about two years... Then I met Mr. Adams and he dragged me down here. I fell head over heels.

Q: And you're currently completing your bachelors degree at Wesleyan?

A: My goal as a single mom was to get a degree in accounting and I got an associates degree in accounting... I got that far and figured I was going to go get a job.

But like I said, I met Mr. Adams and he dragged me down here so I finished up with accounting down here and then I went to Wesleyan for a year. And that was fascinating because it was liberal arts instead of just counting numbers and pushing numbers around I thought of history and philosophy, and I took a jazz dance

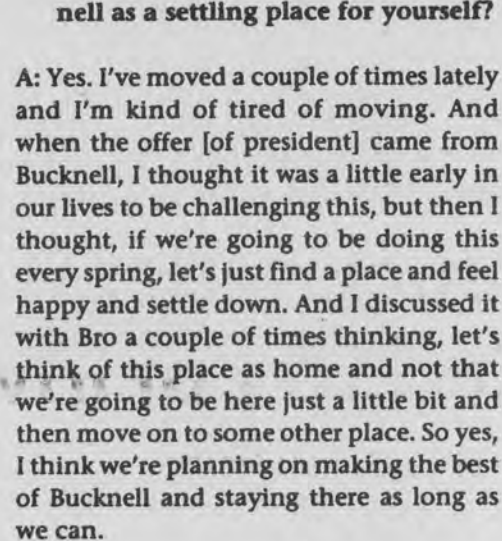
like driving home. I think that impression was the first impression I had driving in. And then walking around I liked when we found the President's house. It didn't stick out. You wouldn't know driving by the president's house, really, that it was anything different than another attractive building on that street. I liked that. The gardens around it were pretty.

And the whole campus was pretty. I'm very much a nature person. We moved from Middletown last year just to Higganum, which is sort of country for Connecticut. It's very lovely, but I've missed being closer to Wesleyan and the academic world and all the stuff that's happening.

Bucknell reminded me of having an academic world in the middle of some beautiful country. So I thought, perfect. It would be great. Where could we find another place like that? It would be hard for me to go to an academic world in the middle of the city because to me I would have to adjust to both. When we moved to Middletown I thought it was a city, and then I found out from living here that it actually isn't. But I had to adjust to it being from Vermont when all you see is leaves and trees.

Q: I asked Bro this, and he sort of had his mind set on the short-term goals of getting into the presidency and learning the intricacies of Bucknell, but do you see Lewisburg or Bucknell as a settling place for yourself?

A: Yes. I've moved a couple of times lately and I'm kind of tired of moving. And when the offer [of president] came from Bucknell, I thought it was a little early in our lives to be challenging this, but then I thought, if we're going to be doing this every spring, let's just find a place and feel happy and settle down. And I discussed it with Bro a couple of times thinking, let's think of this place as home and not that we're going to be here just a little bit and then move on to some other place. So yes, I think we're planning on making the best of Bucknell and staying there as long as we can.



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian
Sean, son of Cathy Bruce, throws up his arms before tumbling on the lawn of the academic quad.

I would have continued probably just taking classes. We'd like to expand our family. I'd like to have more children if possible. There are so many things that my hair is just settling down. It's been standing up for the last two weeks, so I don't know now. And when you have a child everything sort of blends around what works for the family. And he's a dynamite little guy so he sort of runs the family.

Q: What have your impressions of Bucknell been so far?

A: I grew up in Corning, NY, which is directly North. It's right on the border of Pennsylvania and the hills looked very much the same. So when we drove in I had this warm feeling. It was great. It was

FEATURES

English professor provides voice for prisoners

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
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For many, the Lewisburg Federal Penitentiary, just minutes away from Bucknell's campus, is nothing more than another jail housing prisoners. For Karl Patten, professor of English, and a paralegal, the penitentiary has proved to be an outlet that has received much of his time, dedication, and hard work. Patten is concerned about the unfair treatment and difficult living conditions that prevail in the Lewisburg prison as well as other federal penitentiaries.

Patten's involvement began in the late 1960s during the time of the unrest and turmoil caused by the Vietnam War. With other concerned Lewisburg citizens and professors, Patten became aware of large numbers of conscientious objectors, people who decided to stand up to the government by refusing to fight in the Vietnam War, being imprisoned in the Lewisburg Penitentiary.

Action began slowly, but gained momentum and broadened in its goal. One of the initial occurrences that contributed in making Patten and other activists aware of the injustices occurring in the prison regarded the fasting of one prisoner who was protesting the conditions of his confinement. The concerned group organized to picket just outside the prison's grounds. Other cases such

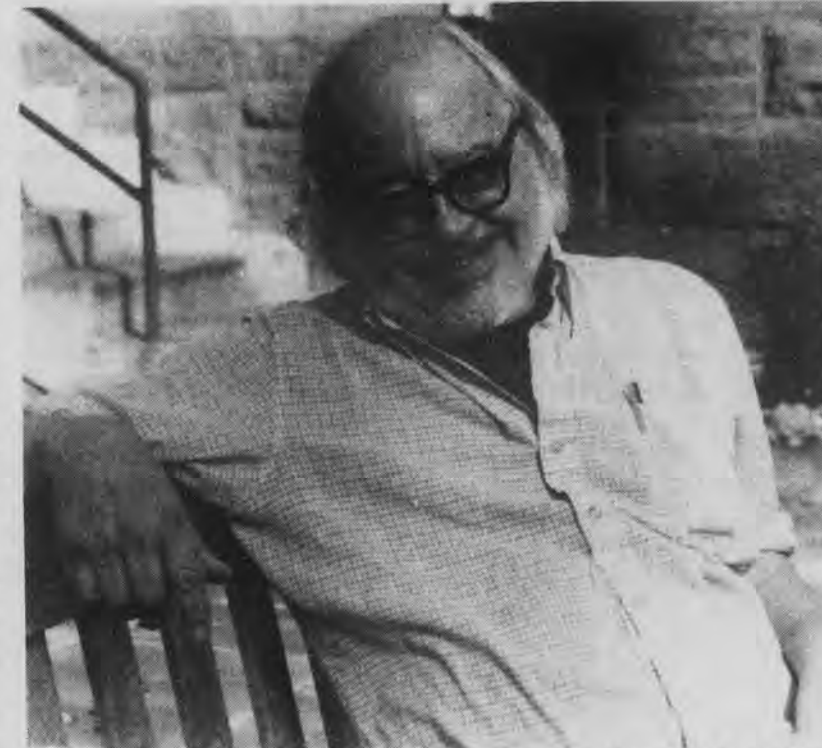
as this arose, and Patten and his fellow activists rallied in support of the prisoners.

The mission of Patten and the other prisoner supporters did not remain narrow, only encompassing the war objectors. Instead it expanded to include all prisoners who were suffering injustices in all of society.

The support continued and increased. In 1973, Patten was one of a group of people who decided that it was time to form a real organization. The result of these efforts was the Lewisburg Prison Project (LPP), a non-profit support group that is still active today. The Project is a way for prisoners, who are frequently isolated, to gain contact, through writing letters, with an organization that may help them. Patten explained, "We needed an organization that prisoners could write to."

In the article, "The article I can't write," that Patten wrote for the January, 1994 issue of *Bucknell World*, he described the mission of the LPP regarding why it is necessary to be a voice for the prisoners. "Whatever the man [prisoner] did, he must be treated fairly while serving his time." It is the focus of Patten and the Prison Project to protect the prisoners' right to proper conditions of confinement.

When asked how he became involved in the advocacy of prisoners' rights, Patten said that the times dictated his involvement.



David DeVity—The Bucknellian
Karl Patten is active in the Lewisburg Prison Project. In the organization he acts as a paralegal. His responsibilities include providing the prisoners with a voice to express the injustices that they are experiencing in prison.

"It was a terrible time because of the Vietnam War. It was a better time than it is today because people came together and worked together with a sense of solidarity and a sense of mission that I don't see much of today. People do this kind of thing because they have to, because it's a problem, and your conscience tells you that you can't just sit around and twiddle your thumbs when someone else is suffering from injustice," said

Patten. He went on to say that injustices are not just going to go away. "Someone has to try to provide a voice for the almost voiceless people inside the prison," said Patten.

Patten plays the role of a paralegal for the prisoners. He explained the role of a paralegal for the Lewisburg Prison Project in the same article in *Bucknell World*. "[A paralegal] responds to specific complaints, received in the mail,

of violations of BOP regulations and policies — or of constitutional ones (they are linked) — from prisoners about staff members at the penitentiary."

It is not the successes or results that have kept Patten involved for in the Prison Project for the last 25 years. "I don't think anyone tries to do this kind of thing for results, though one hopes for results." In fact, as Patten mentioned, if one was to "keep score," the result would probably not be a win. He went on to say that gaining back the rights of the prisoners is a difficult mission because the government has to be dealt with. "They have all the money, lawyers, and power," said Patten in reference to the government. Though a difficult and potentially discouraging endeavor, Patten is dedicated to the Project. "You don't quit because that would be wrong, I think," said Patten.

Patten spoke of a certain selfishness in his work. He pointed out that he is learning so much through hearing stories as a paralegal. And even when the desired results are not obtained, he has gained knowledge and insight through the prisoners that he has worked with. Patten has made many lasting friendships with prisoners. "You don't need to go to the prison often before you discover that the prisoners are likeable human beings, like most people. They've made mistakes, there's no question about it, and they've

done dumb things, most of them, they may have even hurt others, but they're still decent, likable human beings," said Patten.

Patten's ties are firmly rooted in Lewisburg. The LPP is the only organization in which he is actively involved in respect to prisoner advocacy. However, he mentioned that organizations and individuals from all over are constantly helping each other out. He said that he has gotten to know people who participate in similar projects, and he corresponds with them.

In regard to connecting his work as a paralegal for the prison to the University, Patten said there is no direct link. However, he said that his involvement with the prisoners usually works its way into his classes. "It's very hard for me to teach a class without sooner or later trying to make Bucknell students aware of the fact that there is a prison over there and they should know about it," he said.

Patten is doing everything he is capable of doing for the prisoners who are suffering injustices and infringements on their rights. In order to do more would require further education. Patten said, "I'd have to go to law school to be a lawyer for prisoners."

With law school not in the picture, Patten showed no signs of abandoning his work as a paralegal. He continues to rally for prisoners to be given fair conditions while in prison.

Bucknell faculty-prison connections led to FBI investigation in 1960s

BY KARA SABADO
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As you stroll down 6th Street on your way to visit a friend or to the Bull Run Inn, you may pass by 204 South 6th Street and not think anything of it.

However, 23 years ago this run-down, off-campus student residence was the site of a Federal Bureau of Investigations "sting operation."

Boyd Douglas, Jr., who resided in this house 23 years ago seemed like a normal college student. He was said to have dated the girls who lived in the apartment upstairs; drank Scotch with the best of them, was often seen eating at the Bison; and held a job at the library.

It was not a hidden fact that when Douglas first enrolled in February of 1970, he was attending Bucknell on a prison-release program from the Lewisburg Penitentiary.

For a number of years, the University was affiliated with the penitentiary in its rehabilitation program for prisoners awaiting release.

It was under this policy, and following a recommendation from prison officials, that Douglas was permitted to take courses at Bucknell.

Douglas would come to campus to attend classes during the day and then each evening he would return to the prison. During this time Philip Berrigan, an extremely powerful and active protester of the Vietnam War and the first American Catholic priest to have gone to jail as a political prisoner, was brought to the Lewisburg Penitentiary.

After serving a term in the fall of 1967 for throwing blood on draft men in Baltimore, Maryland, Berrigan was brought to Lewisburg for participating in the destruction of draft files in Catonsville, Maryland in May of 1968.

Douglas soon met up with Berrigan and befriended him. Their friendship grew, and Douglas ended up smuggling correspondence in and out of the prison on his trips to Bucknell.

Prison authorities quickly caught on and confronted Douglas, giving him the choice of either being an informer for the FBI or serving extra time for breaking the regulations.

Because his parole had already been delayed a few times, Douglas opted to become an informer. This is when he set up an apartment at 204 South 6th Street.

When the conspiracy trial, known as the *Harrisburg Seven*, was finally taken to court in February of 1972, Mrs. Zola Horn, the chief reference librarian at the Univer-

sity Library, was subpoenaed to testify before a jury.

On February 28, 1972, Horn refused, pleading the 5th Amendment against possible self-incrimination.

U.S. Judge R. Dixon Herman then declared her in contempt of court and she was jailed until she decided to testify with a special stipulation.

Horn and three other witnesses from Bucknell were granted immunity from the prosecution.

The three other witnesses were Patricia Rom, an assistant librarian at the time, and Jane Hoover and Mary E. Sandel, both seniors that year.

Throughout the trial, Douglas testified about a meeting in August of 1971 at Horn's home where he claims that he had a discussion with Sister Susan Davis about a possible "political kidnapping."

Douglas claimed that when Davis asked him what Berrigan thought about the idea of a kidnapping, he replied, "it couldn't be done without violence."

At the same meeting, Douglas claimed that he had had a discussion with Ms. Marjorie Shuman regarding arrangements to blow up heating pipes in a utility tunnel that serviced federal buildings in Washington, D.C.

A few days later following this meeting, Douglas testified that Sister Elizabeth McAlister, a New York nun, alerted him by phone that he was going to receive a letter and was instructed to memorize and destroy it if there were any possibilities of him being apprehended.

The letter that Douglas received on August 20, 1971 specified a date and time that he was to be at a laundromat in town to answer the pay phone. The caller identified himself as Eg and Douglas further testified that the caller was Eghal Ahmad, a resident alien from Pakistan charged with conspiracy and sending contraband messages into the penitentiary. One message included a threat to kidnap the President's advisor, Henry Kissinger.

Ahmad requested Berrigan's comments concerning the idea of a kidnapping before a pending transfer of Berrigan to a jail in Danbury, Connecticut.

Douglas testified that he had never met or seen Ahmad, but could identify him through taped telephone calls provided by the FBI. During September 24-26, 1971, McAlister visited Bucknell to attend a colloquy entitled *Human Values* and stayed at Horn's home.

Douglas claimed that during this time, he smuggled out written communications between Berrigan and McAlister.

While Douglas was operating as an informant, he was said to have dated both of the students, Hoover and Sandel, who lived in the upstairs apartment of the 6th Street house.

Hoover and Sandel were called to testify because they reportedly copied "hot letters" that Douglas received, into the notebook that he would carry back into the prison. This included a letter regarding the kidnapping of Kissinger.

Douglas was released from the prison on December 16, 1971, and his whereabouts there after were unknown. He was suspected to be in protective custody.

Once the trial was getting under way, and the public discovered the Douglas' true identity, there was much agitation and confusion stirring about the campus.

One student reacted angrily by calling Douglas a "con man!"

Dr. Gene Chenoweth, chairman of Political Science at the time and Douglas' advisor said, "I don't think Douglas understood Berrigan or the Vietnam War. He mouthed certain slogans about it. But for once in his life he was important to people who mattered."

The faculty understandably felt betrayed and violated.

Dr. Richard Drinnon, a professor and chairman of the history department at the time and an active member in the anti-war movement said, "before he [Douglas] was released, I had reached the conclusion that he was acting a role. I had misgivings about him. For one thing, he had great freedom of movement for a prisoner."

Philip Withim, an assistant professor of English at the time said, "If Boyd Douglas was released to study here so he could spy on campus dissenters, on visitors to the town and prison, or so that he could be a provocateur, then the government has abused that program and he has betrayed the proper relationship between the government and a center of learning, of free inquiry." The faculty composed a resolution stating their opinions on the FBI informer operation and stating that they wanted a further investigation into the matter. An excerpt from the resolution includes, "We reject, as unconscionable, any attempts to manipulate University staff or students so as to interfere with inquiry and learning. We condemn of University officials, staff, and students in whatever form it may occur."

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Lawyer commits to LPP

Rudnick discusses injustices that prisoners experience

BY JOYA DASS
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With the recent election process, many issues were brought to the attention of the public, especially to the many candidate positions presented in the several minute plugs on television scattered among favorite show lineups.

One of the topics that seemingly incensed college students and tuition paying parents was one candidate's call for tuition free education for inmates once they are released from jail. Staff Attorney for the Susquehanna Legal Services, Scott Rudnick, says he supports the increased commitment to educating prisoners in the interest of long-term benefits to the tax-paying public.

Besides his duties for the Susquehanna Legal Services, Rudnick, also just began sharing his time working for the Federal Lewisburg Prison Project. He has spent a considerable amount of time doing prison work both through law school and beyond. Perhaps in an attempt to "move the fishbowl," comments Rudnick on his attempts to ensure proper client treatment, both medical and legal, inside the local Federal and State institutions.

He cites statistics that prove that recidivism rates drop 50% when prisoners are given a college education and made productive members of society. The thought process behind the monies directed is proactive. According to Rudnick, taxpayers can save money in the long-term if one less prisoner goes back and money is not spent excessively in incarcerating him or her.

Today, close to a million men and women are imprisoned in state and federal institutions, resulting in a tripling of the past years' prison population. "And prison is not a pretty place" comments Rudnick on the contemporary ideas of a luxurious life that is led in the institutions, watching TV, regular meals, etc.

But in fact, Rudnick says, that the everyday problems being generated in society from racial and ethnic tension can be magnified so much more in the constraints of the repressive prison environment. "Everything is very rule-driven." And the job of people involved in the Prison Project such as Rudnick is to make sure those rules set down by the system are followed.

Rudnick's work centers on the civil rights actions for the Prison inmates. He says he is not in it "for the profit." He likes that his job introduces him to real human issues and, in essence the under-

belly of the system.

The public, often times is ignorant of the problems that can occur in such an environment such as the Federal prison. He cites instances of inmates writing to him about improper medical attention to inmates, wardens becoming less and less objective in their attention to prisoners, and problems engendered by the language barrier that many of the criminals who are from Africa, Asia, and South America present.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
This is the door to the Lewisburg Prison Project office where Steve Rudnick will begin working.

His job is to attack the systemic problems such as inmate visitation rights and rights to medical treatment, in hopes of setting a precedent and perhaps improving the system. "The little problems are indicative of a larger problem." Perhaps attorneys like Rudnick and others like him can find a pattern in a faulty hearing system process, for example, and gain a perspective for attack.

Staying intent upon installing educational programs helps "the prisoners to come out trusting the system more. I mean these are these guys' lives." Upon matriculating from an educational program incorporated into the prison system "Their lives have a little more order. They have a sense of justice being done." And where the systems fails, it is the job of organizations such as the Prison Project and people with a demonstrated commitment to public interest such as Scott Rudnick who pick up the slack.

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Rosenlieb '89 dances his way back to Bucknell

A member of the Erick Hawkins Dance Company, alumnus Todd Rosenlieb will perform in the Weis Center with his colleagues

BY LAINA WILK
Bucknellian Staff Writer

One often reads of Bucknellians who, in some capacity or another, have found success in the "real world." Most of these lofty graduates are found in high-ranking positions of the business world or government institutions, but Todd Rosenlieb '89 has proved himself in the often tougher world of performance art.

Rosenlieb is currently a member of the Erick Hawkins Dance Company, one of America's oldest modern dance companies, and will return to Bucknell to perform with his colleagues at 8:30 p.m. on Saturday in the Weis Center.

Erick Hawkins, the company's founder and namesake, has been dancing for 65 years and is one of "the last pioneers of modern dance" said Rosenlieb.

Last month, Hawkins was awarded the National Medal of Art by President Clinton and he has, in the past, received the Guggenheim Fellowship and the Samuel H. Scripps American Dance Festival

Award for lifetime achievement.

Rosenlieb described Hawkins' personality as "very understated with an internalized presence." His dance technique focuses not only on the body but also on the mind, drawing especially from eastern philosophy. Because of this academic focus, Rosenlieb feels that Bucknell has trained him well. The company, said Rosenlieb, is a "dance company but also a brain company. Erick's dance is physically based on a spiritual/intellectual terrain."

Danna Frangione, professor of dance, described Hawkins' technique as "very signature" with an "introspective focus." Frangione said, "Hawkins' dancers have a great sense of lightness; a grounded, lower sense of gravity, yet an incredible ability to jump."

Rosenlieb added that Hawkins is "the poet of modern dance," sticking to "a very distinct aesthetic" regardless of ticket sales, public opinion, or critical reviews. "He has always done what he wanted to do, even if people don't like it," Rosenlieb said with laughter.

Rosenlieb's deep respect and reverence for Hawkins is apparent as he recounts his first encounter with the dance legend. After graduating with a double major in English and Economics from Bucknell, Rosenlieb took a year off from school and danced in New York City. In 1992 he received his M.F.A. from New York University's Tisch School of Performing Arts.

The year following was spent performing and setting his own work. Then one day in 1993, Rosenlieb came home to find a message from the infamous Hawkins blinking on his answering machine. "At first, when my roommate told me, I didn't believe it," he recalled.

Hawkins, the legendary dancer who has performed on virtually every stage from Broadway to Martha Graham's had seen Rosenlieb dance at Tisch and wanted him to attend class as an audition for his company.

Dancing without music, only to the steady counting technique that is characteristic of Hawkins, Rosenlieb obligingly, yet nervously, took the class. Afterwards, Hawkins

confronted Rosenlieb and complimented him on his fine dance skill and body structure. Then he walked away. Rosenlieb thought he had "blown it," but Hawkins turned and said in a very understated manner, also characteristic of Hawkins, "Todd, be at rehearsal at 2:30." And so, Rosenlieb became a member of what Hawkins calls his "company made of soloists."

This Saturday Rosenlieb will perform in one of three numbers that the Erick Hawkins company will show. Rosenlieb is excited to perform in this number, but he is even more excited to be performing again on Bucknell's stage, the very stage where he received the training that led to such success.

Rosenlieb currently works as footage coordinator and associate producer for the television show *Last Call* choreographs his own works, and, of course, dances for Hawkins during the main season.

Tickets for Saturday night's performance are \$15 (\$5 with BUID) and available from the Weis Center Box office.



Photo by Joan Elbers

Katherine Duke, a fellow performer in the Erick Hawkins Dance Company of Todd Rosenlieb '89, will dance in "Centilever Two" as part of the Company's Saturday night performance at 8:30 p.m. in the Weis Center.

From Bucknell to Broadway: Krull '83 shares the secrets of audition success

BY JENNIFER KELLEY

Jackie Krull has successfully auditioned for everything from singing bartender to Broadway since she graduated from Bucknell in 1983. This Saturday, she will return to the stage of the University Theatre to share her expertise and advice with Bucknell students who are interested in learning how to effectively present themselves at a musical and/or theatre audition.

The main focus of her workshop on campus is on "polishing presentation skills," which will enable students to "present themselves in the best way that they can," Krull explained. This includes both vocal and theater performance skills.

It has been 15 years since Krull first discovered that her love for vocal performance and theater would be her focus at Bucknell.

"I walked in on *As You Like It* in Coleman Hall, and stayed there for 4 years," she chuckled during a phone interview.

As a student, Krull punctuated her courses in theater and music by singing in the University chorus and performing with Cap & Dagger. Deciding on a major in theater with a music minor was not a difficult task; it brought together two of her greatest loves.

She spent a semester in London studying theater, and in May of '83 directed *Hot! Baltimore* for a

senior project. Ever since, Krull has continued doing what she loves most: acting, singing, and directing. "For the last ten years, I've actually stuck with my major!" she says.



Photo Courtesy of Public Relations Office

A 1983 graduate of Bucknell, Jackie Krull burst out of the bubble and into New York with musical and theatrical success. She will be presenting a Cap & Dagger workshop on musical theatre audition techniques Saturday at 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. in Coleman Theatre.

Williamstown Theater Festival, and will soon be a member of the City Singers.

Although she admits to having "done a lot of survival jobs," Krull has also performed on Broadway in *Three From Brooklyn* at the Helen Hayes Theater. As recently as last season, she managed Cabaret Room in the Russian Tea Room. Located in close proximity to Carnegie Hall, the Russian Tea Room is known for its fine dining, and plays host to many talented musicians.

Even though her involvement in the New York musical-theater and cabaret scene is primary in her life, Krull still finds time to contribute to the alumni newsletter and even to coach aspiring performers.

The workshop this weekend will consist of two "hands-on" sessions, each limited to 15 participants. Both will be held in the University Theatre in Coleman Hall, the first from 10 a.m. to noon. Following a break for lunch, the second will last from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. To register for one or both sessions, call the Department of Theatre and Dance at x1235.

Participants should be prepared to perform one or two tempo songs, one or two ballads, and are requested to bring their sheet music with them. Those planning on auditioning for the upcoming spring musical *Gypsies and Dolls* may include a selection from that show.

Weekly Crossword

"Verbal Math" By Gerry Frey

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SPORTS

Commentary

Spring Training '95: What will the field look like?

Major League Baseball was supposed to have crowned a new champion by now, but the fall classic was missed this October leaving baseball fans to ponder why their sport went on strike during a season that had so much promise, from tight pennant races to the possibility of Tony Gwynn batting .400.

In recent years, baseball's popularity has declined dramatically as sports like basketball and football prosper. Even if baseball does come back next spring, its popularity will continue to diminish unless it implements the small market owner's plan of revenue sharing among the 28 teams and the players. This idea has been scorned by large market clubs like New York and Los Angeles and the players, but if baseball is to survive, it must be done.

One has to view baseball as bigger than just a normal business. It is an American institution that has been the fabric of our culture for more than 100 years. At this time, it is difficult for small market clubs to be competitive because they bring in less local television revenue than larger markets. For example, the New York Yankees brought in 50 million dollars in local television revenue last year as compared to Seattle's 2 million and San Diego's 6 million. Call me crazy, but 50 million dollars certainly buys a lot more bona fide stars than 2 million.

In the 1960s, football and basketball witnessed a revolutionary change. The owners in the two sports thought ahead to the lucrative television deals of today and agreed to share all revenues equally among the teams. The result has been that teams in smaller markets could compete with teams in larger markets and the respective games have become more competitive because the team with the most talent, instead of the team with the most money, won. The thought that football might not have Green Bay today is horrifying.

If the current system remains, where each team keeps its own local television revenue, one of two things will happen to smaller market teams. They will either go bankrupt and cease to exist, or they will move. The prospects of St. Petersburg supporting a dozen baseball teams isn't very good. The fact is, if a smaller market can support a major team with its available population, it should be allowed to have a team.

The main problem is that the players don't care if a team like Seattle or San Diego shuts down. They don't want to change the status quo since they have been so successful in the past in driving up their own salaries. The players believe that if revenue sharing comes into existence, salaries will stop skyrocketing. They believe a so-called 'salary' cap will be put into effect.

However, the whole idea of a salary cap has been misconstrued by the press. The owners' position is that they would like to participate with the players in sharing revenues and make the game more successful. If revenue sharing is agreed upon, then the game will become more competitive. More fans will come watch the games and television revenues will go up. And the people who will benefit from these additional revenues

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Eric Shortz
Eric Shortz, Staff Writer



Bucknellian File Photo

The Bison hope to soar above their opponents this season. Bucknell must first take the Czech Republic out of their game at 8 p.m. tomorrow.

An evil eye in Bison basketball

Practicing the art of intimidation on the court

Sports Analysis

BY MATT HARRINGTON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It is often said among basketball players that what happens on the court should stay on the court. For someone who doesn't know much about the game of basketball the saying may seem feasible enough, but for a player who is elbowed, kicked, slapped, pushed, and ridiculed for forty minutes, it often becomes hard to swallow.

What happens during any basketball game, whether it be junior high, high school, college, or just pick-up, is usually invisible to the spectator's eye. The spectator sees the ball go through the hoop and the grabbing of the rebound, but what he

or she can't see are the mind games played between the players which often cause the observed result.

Charles Barkley physically abuses his opponents and scares them right out of their game. Dennis Rodman runs his mouth until his opponent is all but in a trance before he does something spectacular against his now weakened foe. Magic Johnson's trademark was his smile. Does Rodman like to hear himself talk, and is Magic Johnson just a happy guy? The answer is no. They do it to gain an edge. They do it to get that one easy lay-up as the clock is winding down and their opponent's patience is waning. It's a game within a game that is played by the best and won by the elite.

One may wonder if any of the players on Bucknell's basketball team engage in

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Crew rows into Head of the Occoquan

BY STEVEN RITCHIE
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Bucknell Crew competed in Fairfax, Virginia at the Head of the Occoquan on Nov. 5.

The day began early as the departure time from Bucknell had been set for 4:30 a.m.

Head races occur during the fall season and vary in length. The day's race was 3.2 miles long, with finishing times varying from 15-20 minutes.

Racing throughout the day were two men's lightweight eights, a men's open four, a women's open four, a women's light eight, two men's novice eights, and a women's novice eight.

The novice events started off the day. It was the first race of the

season for these boats and they brought home respectable finishes. The men's novice A and B boats placed seventh and fifteenth, respectively. These solid results came out of a large field of strong competition. First place in this race went to the University of Virginia, and second to Johns Hopkins. The novice women placed fifth and medaled in their event. Virginia rallied, and boasted first and second place victories.

Varsity events took place in the afternoon, and all of the crews had strong finishes. The men's championship four placed seventh. Coxswain Dave Silver '97 said, "It was a good race, though I think we lost some time rowing through so many boats." The team of four passed five boats that start-

ed ahead of them.

The women's four finished seventh. Maggie Whitman '96 had only good things to say after the race. She said she was pleased with the job of the coxswain, Dustin Riccio '98.

"The Occoquan is one of the more difficult courses to navi-

gate," said Whitman. The women's light eight and the men's lightweight B boat placed fourth.

The men's A lightweight eight chalked up another top finish. They placed first, ahead of last year's champion Pitt.

Coxswain Mei Liede '97 said that the race, "was the first time I

have ever flown, and not been in an airplane."

Saturday, the Crew will race in Philadelphia at the Frostbite Regatta. This two thousand meter race on the Schuylkill will finish the fall competitive season.

Bison Calendar

Fri. Nov. 11	BASKETBALL vs. CZECH REPUBLIC	8:00
Sat. Nov. 12	FOOTBALL vs. COLGATE	1:00
	Volleyball - Patriot League	1:00
	Championships at Navy	
	Crew - Philadelphia Frostbite at Philadelphia, PA	
	on the Schuylkill River	
	Men's Cross Country at IC4A	
	Championships	
	Women's Cross Country at ECAC	
	Championships	
Sun. Nov. 13	Volleyball - Patriot League	
	Championships at Navy	

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Men's lightweight eight after collecting their gold medals. Standing (L-R) Marc Ortland '95, Matt Kersting '95, Paul Ham '96, Victor Arcelus '96, and Brad Peterson '96. Kneeling (L-R) Steve Ritchie '97, Brain Burke '97, Mei Liede '97, and Mike Marquis '96.

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Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Can you name the four events that comprise the Grand Slam of Golf?
2. Who is the last major league hitter to bat .400?
3. Who is the NBA's all-time leading rebounder?
4. Can you name the NFL quarterback who has thrown the most career touchdowns? How about yards?
5. Which Bucknell golfer was chosen for the All-Patriot League team this fall?

Answers

1. Masters, U.S. Open, British Open, PGA; 2. Ted Williams (1941); 3. Will Chamberlain; 4. Fran Tarkenton (34); 5. Jeff Graf '96.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Partly cloudy. Low in the mid to upper 20s.
Friday—Mostly sunny. High near 50.
Saturday—Fair. Lows in the mid 30s to lower 40s. Highs upper 40s to around 60.
Sunday—Same as Saturday, then becoming cloudy at night. Lows in the low 30s to mid 40s.
—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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University budget discussions continue

Faculty voices concerns to administration

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Members of the campus community were invited to discuss the Board of Trustees' latest decisions on the budgetary process Monday by the University Council.

The decision to abolish all procedures and guidelines in determining the compensation rate and the comprehensive fee was handed down to the University after a closed Trustee meeting during the week-end of Nov. 11-12.

In an interview, Barry Maxwell, vice president of administration, said that eliminating the guidelines was the first step towards reestablishing a new budgetary process.

Maxwell offered an explanation for the changes in an interview, saying, "I think the feeling among a number of trustees and staff is that the comprehensive fee, the pricing of Bucknell, is more than a budget issue because it involves institutional strategic issues" such as institutional positioning, perception of institutional value, and student family affordability. "The whole pricing issue is now a much broader issue than simply a budgetary one," Maxwell added.

Though several faculty members expressed concern about the Trustees abolishing the guidelines without consulting

sensus was that if we were going to restructure the process, we ought to clear the deck and start from scratch," Maxwell said.

Steve Becker, associate professor of physics and past chair of the Committee on Planning and Budget, said in a phone interview that many faculty members are concerned because the Trustees made changes in University procedures without even consulting the campus community.

Becker said the decision was made by "one way communication" where the Trustees "unilaterally abolished" the guidelines that had been approved by the Trustees and the campus.

"The truth is that the [budget] process was working," Becker said. "Although not everyone is going to agree with everything. But now, if new procedures are established, it might be hard for the campus to accept the new procedure because, as the Trustees have shown, they can abolish the procedures any time they choose."

Maxwell acknowledged the campus concerns, saying, "What came as a surprise to the faculty and others was the elimination of the guidelines, but the Trustees felt that there were compelling and persuasive reasons" to abolish the guidelines "given the restructuring of the whole budget process."

Though no official recommendations have been made about how to restructure the budget process, Maxwell said that the Trustees felt the comprehensive fee "ought to be looked at and dealt with separately from the expenditure side of the budget, both in process as well as calendar" because of the growing number of strategic issues associated with pricing.

Several members of the administration and faculty agree that the problems and issues that are surfacing are not the result of monolithic opinions held by each University constituency. President Sojka said in a phone interview that recent tensions between the administration, Trustees, and faculty give the impression that the problem is "bigger than perhaps it really is."

"We tend to focus on the most outspoken, which implies a unified voice....Neither the Trustees, nor the faculty are a monolithic body," Sojka said,



Bucknellian File Photo

Barry Maxwell, vice president of administration, said that the Trustees abolished the guidelines for determining the comprehensive and compensation rate because they wanted a "clean slate" when establishing a new budgetary process.

noting that the changes in the budget process and the perception of what those changes mean have "struck the University community in many different ways."

Barbara Shailor, vice president of student services, suggested in an interview that the level of anxiety about the Trustee's decision within the University community might be attributed to the transition period that Bucknell is in.

"In any period of transition, there is a certain level of anxiety. I believe that the whole community is aware that we have a very significant new player coming onto the scene shortly. All of our dialogue should make sure that Bro Adams is a key player because he will be the liaison between the University and the trustees."

Shailor also noted that the surfacing tensions may be the result of the various external components that factor into higher education.

The Trustee's see "what is happening in the world outside Bucknell and they are anxious that those problems might come to Bucknell" Shailor said. "They want to see Bucknell thrive and not be in the position of having to worry about where we're going to get our next tuition dollar."

In an interview after the Monday meeting, Teresa Amott, chair and associ-

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Marijuana advocates take a hit

BSG disapproves of *The Catalyst's* drug endorsement

BY BETSY LEICHTFUSS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

In their last issue, *The Catalyst* printed a statement advocating the use of marijuana. On Sunday, Keith Tobias '96, Bucknell Student Government (BSG) president will propose a by-law that will prevent something like this from occurring a second time.

The statement in *The Catalyst*, published during the last week in October, read, "The *Catalyst* does not advocate the legalization of marijuana, just its use."

What was once a question about liability risks for BSG in funding a publication that endorsed marijuana use soon became a moral issue for BSG.

After speaking with Elias Abelson, general counsel, Tobias discovered that there were no legal ramifications for BSG as the organization that funds *The Catalyst*. Nor are there any legal ramifications for *The Catalyst* for publishing a statement that, according to Tobias, did not support a political or intellectual argument with its argument, and therefore "endorsed civil disobedience." Tobias said that *The Catalyst* was promoting illegal activities that constituted breaking the law by printing the statement.

But Tobias and Scott Charles '96, BSG treasurer, agree that "marijuana is not the issue" anymore. "BSG represents the student body," Tobias said, and it is "probably not a body that would want BSG to associate with any sort of illegal activity in any way."

Tobias said that just because he proposes such a by-law, "doesn't mean it will pass."

"I don't think BSG should fund an organization that endorses, implicitly or explicitly, any sort of illegal activity," Tobias said.

He added that by lacking a policy to address such endorsements, BSG might be funding a magazine that could print a statement saying "We support the raping of women. We support the molestation of children."

"How can the student government support something like that?" Tobias asked.

Tobias added that BSG needs to "come up with a flat-out policy. Unfortunately, it is not explicitly written right now."

Although there is no longer a question of legal ramifications for *The Catalyst*, Tobias said that this policy will imply that should a BSG-funded publication print an item similar to *The Catalyst's*, BSG will withdraw their funds.

"[*The Catalyst*] would rather lose funding than integrity," said Shaun Nanavati '95, editor of *The Catalyst*.

Charles had requested that Nanavati either print an apology or a disclaimer in the publication, stating that the opinions of *The Catalyst* do not reflect the ideas or opinions of BSG or the student body.

Nanavati refused, saying that a disclaimer did in fact exist on the front page of *The Catalyst*, and that "The *Catalyst* apologizes for exactly nothing. There's no reason to."

BSG also informed Nanavati that *The Catalyst's* funds, should BSG be held legally accountable, would be eliminated.

Charles said, "We weren't sure whether or not we were legally responsible" for the publication's statement.

Responding to BSG's request for a printed apology or a disclaimer, Nanavati said, "They are acting out fear, we are acting out of passion."

The Sunday prior to Thanksgiving break, Nanavati appeared at the weekly BSG meeting to say that the issue was one of free speech. Adding later that "[BSG] has no right to infringe on someone else's writing."

Charles, however, contends, "we are not interested in limiting their free speech at all."

Both BSG and members of *The Catalyst* regard this as a small issue. "There is good, passionate writing in *The Catalyst*. Unfortunately, it has been muffled by this other issue, which is insignificant to the other writing," Nanavati said.

"Any intelligent person understands that [*The Catalyst*] is a literary magazine. It is not objective journalism. It's not meant to be," Nanavati said.

"We tend to focus on the most outspoken, which implies a unified voice... Neither the Trustees, nor the faculty are a monolithic body,"

—President Sojka

the campus community, Maxwell said that the Trustees wanted to start with a "clean slate."

"The feeling was that many of the guidelines were outdated and needed to be revised. [The guidelines] were a potential source of contention between the administrative staff and faculty, and between the campus and Trustees. The con-

Messiah arrives in Weis Center Saturday

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Early music and the twentieth century will come together at 8 p.m. on Saturday in the Weis Center for an authentic, Baroque-style performance of Handel's *Messiah*.

This performance of the oratorio, which was composed in 1741 and first performed in 1742, will feature soprano Julianne Baird, mezzo soprano D'Anna Fortunato, tenor Frederick Urey, bass Nathaniel Watson, the Brewer Chamber Orchestra, and the Bucknell University Concert Chorus. Directing the performance will be Rudolph Palmer, a 1973 graduate of Bucknell.

According to Palmer, all four of the soloists have appeared at the Weis Center "under my baton, although I don't use a baton when I conduct!" He continued, saying, "The performers are one of the finest complements of early music artists in the United States today."

The singers will be accompanied by the Brewer Chamber Orchestra. Instrumentalists will be playing original Baroque instruments or replicas of the original period instruments.

"We're using instruments appropriate to the day [in which the work was written] in order to get as close as possible to the correct sound of the instruments in Handel's day," Palmer commented.

Palmer also explained that Saturday night's performance will be performed using a Baroque tuning system. In modern tuning, A, the pitch used for tuning in orchestras, vibrates 440 times in a second; this is referred to by musicians as A-440.



Photo courtesy of Public Relations

Rudolph Palmer '73 will conduct a Baroque-style performance of Handel's *Messiah* on December 3 at 8 p.m.

ond. This is the pitch that will be used in the upcoming performance; thus the piece will actually sound a half-step lower than it would if played using the modern tuning system.

In the tuning system used by Handel, musicologists have determined that the pitch known as A vibrated about 415 times in a sec-

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Bucknell to improve Rt. 15 intersection

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell is working to improve the safety of one of the more hazardous intersections in Union County, the intersection of Route 15 and Smoketown Road.

The intersection, the site of the accident where Michael Mullins '97 died last month, has been known as a dangerous crossway for a number of years now.

Since the accident, the administration has taken an active role in trying to make this intersection safer for students, faculty and the general public.

Barry Maxwell, vice president of administration said that the University convened at a meeting with representatives of PennDOT



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Along with representatives from PENNDOT and East Buffalo Township, Bucknell is researching ways to improve the safety of the intersection of Rt. 15 and Smoketown Road.

(Pennsylvania Department of Transportation), the East Buffalo Township Supervisors, himself,

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Maranzana's contract halted

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The contract of head football coach Lou Maranzana will not be renewed this year.

According to a press release from Bucknell Sports Information, Rick Hartzell, director of athletics, described the decision as "the most difficult of his administrative career."

But "in order to be fair to our student-athletes, the campus community, the athletic department staff, the alumni, and the entire Bucknell football family, I felt the leadership of the program needed

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Ken Greenleaf's sculpture "Seneschal" is part of the "Original Piece" exhibit in the Center Gallery.

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to be changed," Hartzell is quoted as saying.
Saying that he would like to hire a current college head coach to a four-year contract, Hartzell added that he would not rule out the idea of an assistant coach.

During his six seasons as head coach at Bucknell, Maranzana amassed a 26-38 record. His most successful squad won the Patriot League title, with a 7-4 record in 1990, and earned him Patriot League Coach of the Year honors. Bucknell also landed a spot in the NCAA Division I-AA Top 20 poll, the Bison's first national ranking in 11 years.

Since that time, Maranzana has never completed a winning season. The Orange and Blue experienced their worst season in 1991 with a dismal 1-9 overall record.

Maranzana began his coaching career as an assistant coach in Hollywood, Florida at Chaminade High School. He was the its head coach for one year and taught David Shula, now the head coach of the Cincinnati Bengals.

In 1980, Maranzana returned to Dartmouth to work toward a master's degree in English literature. He was also a graduate assistant coach during this time.

Maranzana moved to Bloomsburg in 1982, serving as the Huskies' defensive coordinator until 1985 when he moved to Lewisburg.

Hartzell had hired him in that year as an assistant coach for the Bison.

INTERSECTION

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Vince DeCerio, director of public safety, and Jim McCormick, safety manager, to take a look at whether there are changes that could be made to make the intersection safer.

"Given the tragedy that occurred that night [of Mullins' death], we felt that it was important to see if there were any other things that could be done," Maxwell said.

One idea that the group discussed at the meeting was to have the speed limit more actively enforced on Route 15. Other ideas included increasing the delay time in which the light is red in the north and south directions of Route 15; additional caution lights, rumble strips on the road, increased lighting, and more warning signs.

A detector in the road is another suggestion that might help control the signal changing system. Another issue that the group looked at was the changing configuration concerning making left and right turns. Maxwell said that the lanes would probably be changed around so that there would be a right turn lane or a straight lane, and after that a left turn lane to ease the confusion.

"We have asked PennDOT to consider a number of things and to get back to us with recommendations," Maxwell said. He said that PennDOT will come back to the university with a series of recommendations of what is needed to improve the intersection and their cost.

"Cost will not be an issue if we think there is a possibility of having further improvements in safety," Maxwell said. "The reality is that whatever we might ultimately do to further improve safety [at the intersection], it will not change the outcome of that night [of Mullins' death]."



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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Thursday, November 17

At 7:15 a.m., officers investigated an act of vandalism to a Bucknell West Mod. Unknown person(s) did throw a can of paint through a living room window of the Mod. Investigation continuing.

Friday, November 18

A student residing in Kress Hall reported the theft of his clothing from unattended dryers in the basement laundry room. Theft occurred between 4 a.m.-8:20 a.m., this date. Missing clothing valued at \$200.

A student reported that his vehicle had been damaged by another vehicle while parked in the Seventh Street lot. Hit and run occurred sometime between Nov. 4 and Nov. 8. Estimated damages at \$1,000.

Saturday, November 19

Public Safety Officers were requested at 1:25 a.m. to assist Lewisburg Police for a complaint of loud music from Leiser House. As a result of the loud music, and numerous complaints from borough residents, the house RA was issued a disorderly conduct citation by LPD.

At 1:42 a.m., Officers responded to Carey House for a fire alarm activation. Person(s) unknown at that time did discharge a fire extinguisher into a resident's room causing the alarm to activate. Incident being further investigated. Alarm system reset and returned to normal.

Saturday, November 19

At 7:30 a.m., a Physical Plant supervisor reported an act of institutional vandalism to Public Safety Officers. Unknown person(s) did enter the stadium sometime during the previous night and ripped out shrubs which spell "BUCKNELL." Damage estimate unavailable at this time.

At 6:45 p.m., an officer spoke with a visitor to campus regarding damage to his vehicle. Unknown vehicle did hit the rear driver's side bumper and tail light. This damage occurred in the car pool lot between 3:45 p.m.-6:40 p.m., this date.

While conducting a routine party check at Phi Gamma Delta at 11:50 p.m., officers identified a student under the age of 21 years consuming beer. Student was escorted back to his residence and released to duty RA Charges pending.

Sunday, November 20

At 2:34 a.m., officers responded to Bucknell West Mods, for a reported act of criminal mischief. Unknown person(s) did trash a living room area and bedroom of one of the units. Investigation revealed that some of the victim's acquaintances were responsible for the trashing.

A visitor to campus reported that between 2:15 a.m.-3:35 a.m. this date, unknown person(s) did move her vehicle within inches of the car parked in the next stall. The front bumper of her vehicle was also spray painted, while parked in front of Olin Science.

At 10:13 a.m., officers responded to Bucknell West Child Studies Building for a report of vandalism. Unknown person(s) broke two windows in the front of the window sometime during the night.

At 1:15 p.m., officers responded to Sigma Alpha Mu for a reported burglary. Unknown person(s) removed various personal items of two students from their room. The value of the items estimated at \$2775. Lewisburg Police Department was contacted. Investigation is continuing.

Monday, November 21

At 10:15 a.m., a physical plant employee notified public safety that unknown person(s) removed a green sofa from Larson Hall Lounge sometime between Nov. 17 and Nov. 18. No estimate as to the value of the sofa.

At 4:26 p.m., a student reported that he used a fire extinguisher to extinguish a fire in a barbecue grill. No damage or injuries. The discharged extinguisher was replaced.

Tuesday, November 22

At 3:06 a.m., officers responded to Vedder to speak with an RA about a discharged fire extinguisher. The discharged fire extinguisher was replaced. The investigation is continuing.

At 4:15 a.m., officers found a potted plant and kitchen pot on Fraternity Road by Delta Upsilon. Items were returned to Public Safety until the owner can be located.

At 4:45 a.m., officers found that unknown person(s) had spray painted "this" on the bump sign on Seventh Street by Kress Hall.

At 9:10 a.m., an officer investigated an act of vandalism in Taylor Hall. It is believed that unknown person(s) damaged two windows by using a pellet gun.

Sunday, November 27

At 10 p.m., resident of Bucknell West reported that unknown person(s) removed his bike from the inside porch area of the mod. Bike was taken sometime over Thanksgiving break. Property value unknown at this time.

Monday, November 28

While on routine patrol, a Public Safety Officer observed that unknown person(s) did break a window in a door of Davis Gym near the annex. There was no entry made to the complex. Institutional vandalism discovered at 1:25 a.m.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

Pornography or freedom of expression on the internet?

Debate rages over access to newsgroups

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Looking for other venues for erotica besides the newsstand? They're on the Internet. And, as far as Bucknell is concerned, they are going to be available for as long as the Internet provides them.

Similar to the other "newsgroups" in the Usenet system that is available on the Internet, sex-related newsgroups provide people around the world with an opportunity to "post" messages and images that other Internet users can receive. Those that are devoted to pictures contain files of code that can be loaded into a computer and converted into images. The sex-related discussion groups include subgroups dedicated to a range of sexual subjects.

Unlike some institutions around the world that receive hundreds of newsgroups but eliminate those they do not want to receive, Bucknell is opting not to limit the newsgroups currently available to users. It regards itself only as a "carrier of this information," said Ralph Droms, associate professor of computer science and an employee of computer and communications services (CCS). He added that, "we don't feel that we should have

the responsibility of censoring what's coming across the wires."

Limiting sex-related newsgroups created a furor over censorship and restrictions on freedom of speech at Carnegie Mellon University in November when the university's administrators decided to eliminate three from their computer systems. According to an article in *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, they were afraid that because the newsgroups might violate Pennsylvania's anti-pornography and obscenity laws, the institution might be legally liable.

Those newsgroups in question are:
alt.binaries.pictures.erotica
alt.binaries.pictures.erotica.*
alt.binaries.pictures.tasteful
alt.sex, alt.sex.*
rec.arts.erotica

But Droms says that by limiting what programs it allows, Carnegie Mellon might be opening itself up to more legal trouble. "Because it is limiting some things and not others, it is saying that the things it doesn't limit, it implicitly endorses," he said. "Bucknell is neither endorsing nor not endorsing."

Saying that he and other CCS employees have had informal discussions with

members of the President's staff about the issue, Droms indicated that the consensus of those with whom he spoke advocated a neutral stance with no limited access. "I don't think that it's the job of the University to be making those kinds of decisions," he said.

Also, Droms feels, even if an institution limits access to newsgroups such as these, "we can still get copies of messages like these from other sites on the Internet. E-mail is one example," he said.

Other Pennsylvania schools currently limit access to the sex-related discussion groups because they believe "the services are inappropriate for their campuses or because of concerns about the burdens they place on computer systems. For example, some institutions say that the images exchanged through the services take up too much space on their computers."

According to *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, some of these schools include Duquesne, Lehigh, and Pennsylvania State University due to a belief that the services are inappropriate for their campuses or because of concerns about the burdens they place on computer systems. Allegheny College, however, sides with Bucknell on the issue.

Debater Steve Murray '95 ranks ninth in country



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian
Steve Murray '95 in a mock debate with his partner Greg Sawin '95. Bucknell is hosting its annual invitational this weekend for 30-35 teams.

BY COLLEEN RUSH AND
KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writers

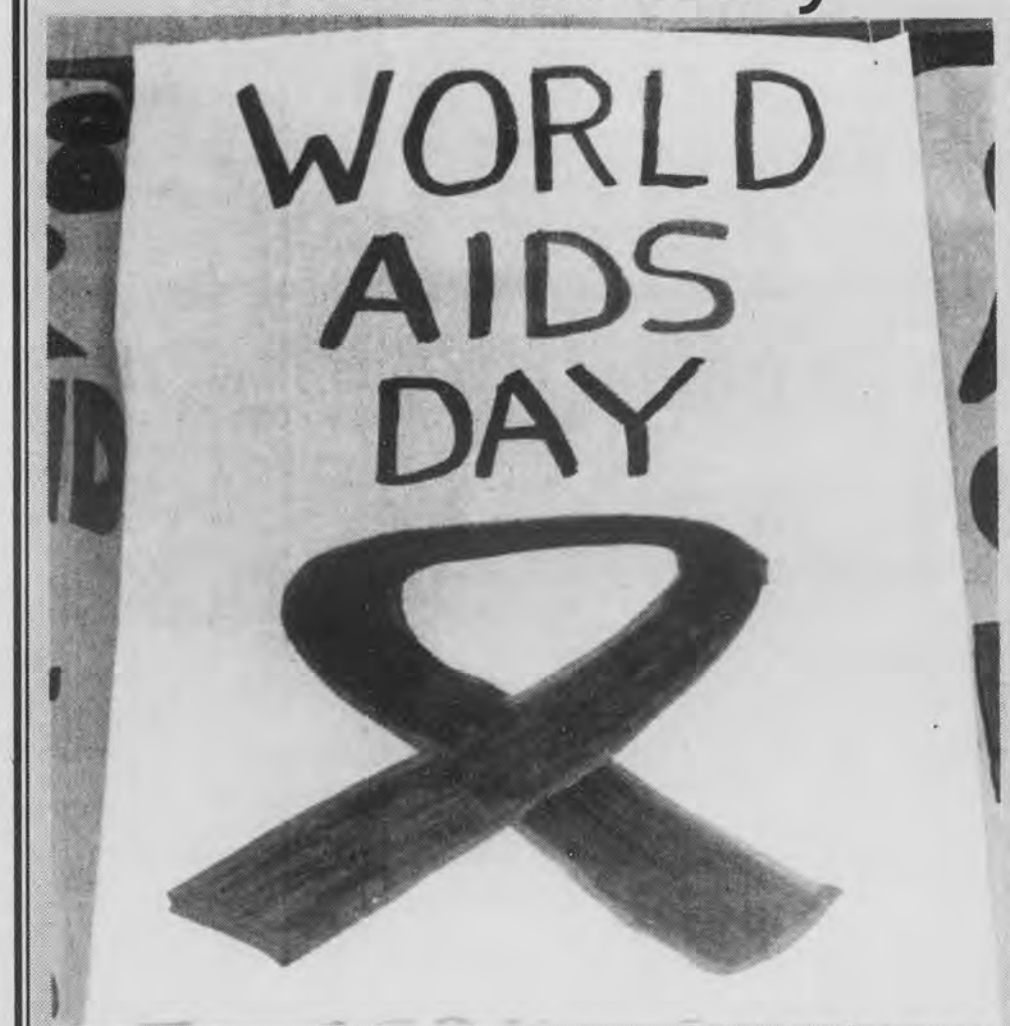
Ranked ninth in the country as an individual speaker for debate, Steve Murray '95 and Greg Sawin '95, have participated in four Parliamentary Debate Invitational tournaments this semester.

At the last tournament at Fordham, where 62 teams competed, Steve ranked second as an individual speaker. He and Sawin placed fourth overall in the tournament, losing to Princeton's top-ranked team of Gordon Todd and Doug Kern.

Parliamentary debate topics range from foreign aid to political philosophy.

This weekend, Bucknell's debate team is hosting its annual invitational. The 30-35 teams competing this weekend include schools like the University of Virginia, Johns Hopkins University, University of Pennsylvania, Bryn Mawr, Williams College, Fordham, and Cornell.

World AIDS Day celebrated nationwide today



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Bucknell University will participate in the seventh annual observation of World AIDS Day today with several events.

University Chaplain Allison Boden will lead a non-denominational service in Rooke Chapel at 7:30 p.m. by reading a proclamation in commemoration of this year's theme, "AIDS and Families."

A reception will be held before the service in the Rooke Meditation Chapel. Following the service, a candlelight march will be held. Participants will march down Seventh Street and along Market Street to Soldiers Park. Following the march, participants are invited to gather for a reception at Beaver Memorial Methodist Church.

The film *And the Band Played On* will be shown free of charge today at 5:30 p.m. in the Bison. Based on the book by Randy Shilts, the film covers the early history of the epidemic and responses by government and medical community.

During the day, students, faculty and staff members will participate in the Whiteface AIDS Awareness Project. The volunteers, who will paint their faces white, represent a conservative number of people who will die from HIV AIDS.

World AIDS Day will be commemorated in a number of ways nationally, with a unified observance of dimming lights. The White House lights will be dimmed from 7:45 to 8 p.m. as a visual demonstration of the commitment to fight against the AIDS pandemic.

Have a lot of free time but you aren't quite sure where to employ your talents? Write for News. Or for any of the other sections of *The Bucknellian*. Call x1520 right away.

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"Whatever will I do?" she said. "This is the worst!"
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BUDGET

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 ate professor of economics, said that members of the faculty were concerned about "achieving their vision of Bucknell as an institute of high academic quality."

Amott maintained that in this "difficult financial period" the faculty tends to link the concern about quality with the issue of compensation.

"Low compensation increases affect our standard of living, to be sure, but they also threaten to compromise the momentum toward higher academic quality. If we can't hire the kind of faculty and staff we need, quality suffers," Amott said.

A cutback in the rate of compensation growth in any given year won't compromise academic quality, Amott said that continuing.

"If we can't hire the kind of staff we've had, at all levels, we compromise the quality of the institution,"

—Teresa Amott, associate professor of economics

ing to make those cutbacks year after year will "put us behind our competitors very quickly."

The governance structure relative to the budget process at Bucknell follows a system of recommending and accepting, or rejecting and modifying those recommendations. The structure calls for the Committee on Planning and Budget, made up of faculty, administrators, and students, to devise a recommendation for compensation rate and comprehensive fee increases. Those recommendations are then passed on to the President's office, where the President's staff can accept, or reject and modify the recommendation.

In the next step, the President presents those recommendations to the Board of Trustees, who, again, can either accept, or reject and modify those recommendations.

Though faculty members are concerned about their status in the decision-making process at Bucknell, Shailor said that their role in the University governance structure has been constant.

Noting that the budget process "has not been as smooth as it should be," Shailor said the governance structure should be "looked at very carefully" in order to determine "the best way for the campus community, the new president, and the Trustees to interact." While the problems facing

relations between the administration, faculty, and Trustees have been articulated over the past month, the solution to the growing tensions remains a vague call for increased communication between the constituencies.

Shailor suggested that the pressure of the anxieties would be minimized by a "closely considered dialogue" where "we all think constructively about how we can move the situation forward in a positive way."

Becker said that a simple phone call from President Sojka to the chair of the Trustees explaining why members of the faculty were upset with the lack of communication with the campus might encourage the Trustees to reconsider their decision.

In an interview after the Monday meeting, Eugenia Gerdes, dean of Arts and Sciences, said it was important to "make the abstract qualities of higher education known to the people who are making decisions about Bucknell," including prospective students, critics of the cost of higher education, and the Trustees.

Gerdes said that one method of "opening the lines of communication" would be to invite these people into the classroom "so they can see the new teaching methods and the quality of professors and students firsthand."

News Briefs

World Events

Yeltsin threatens warring secessionist area

MOSCOW—The civil war in a breakaway region of Russia threatened to enter a dangerous new phase yesterday when President Boris N. Yeltsin declared that he would impose a state of emergency there if fighting did not stop by Thursday.

"Chechnya is a republic within the Russian federation," he said yesterday at a meeting of his National Security Council, that met through much of the day. "We have no moral right to stand aside and watch this bloodshed. The situation poses an extreme danger to stability and peace in our society."

Within hours of his comments, fighter jets bombed the airport in Grozny, the capital of Chechnya. The leader of the secessionist republic, Dzhokhar Dudayev, blamed the Russians.

—The New York Times
 U.N. to withdraw unless Bosnian firing stops

ZAGREB, Croatia—The U.N. has decided to inform the warring parties in Bosnia that it will end its peacekeeping mission unless a countrywide cease-fire is reached quickly.

Senior Western officials said today that the planned visit to Sarajevo yesterday by the U.N. Secretary General, Boutros Boutros-Ghali, was conceived to put the maximum political weight behind a warning that fighting must stop now.

The warning, which is a virtual ultimatum, amounts to an act of desperation after the worst split in Bosnia that the U.N. has endured. It is seen as the only course after a week in which Serbs have taken U.N. personnel hostage, subjected some to outright humiliation, stopped most supply convoys and demonstrated that a designated safe area, like the Muslim enclave of Bihać, could be attacked with impunity.

—The New York Times
 National Events

House approves GATT by a wide margin

WASHINGTON—President Clinton is hailing Tuesday night's House passage of a world trade accord, part of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, as an "historic vote for American workers, farmers and families."

The rewrite of the accord passed by a 142 vote margin, with bipartisan support. The president had worked the telephones throughout the day talking to lawmakers.

Some opponents complained that the lame-duck Congress made the legitimacy of the vote questionable. Peter De Fazio, (D) Oregon called it, "the ultimate arrogance." Clinton has said passage of the measure can't wait until next year.

Clinton also said that the House vote, "demonstrates to the American people that democrats and republicans can work together in the national interest."

The accord faces an uncertain fate in the Senate. Senators are due to debate the measure and vote Thursday.

—Associated Press
 Dahmer bludgeoned to death in prison

CHICAGO—Jeffrey L. Dahmer, whose gruesome exploits of murder, necrophilia, and dismemberment shocked the world in 1991, was attacked and killed Monday in a Wisconsin prison, where he was serving 15 consecutive life terms. Dahmer was 34.

He died of massive head injuries, suffered sometime between 7:50 and 8:10 a.m. He was found in a pool of blood in a toilet area next to the prison's gym, said Michael Sullivan, secretary of the Wisconsin Department of Corrections.

Sullivan said that bloodied broomstick was found nearby and a fellow inmate, also in prison for murder, is the prime suspect.

—The New York Times
 Anti-smoking groups protest new cigarette

WASHINGTON—Two anti-smoking groups, Action on Smoking and Health, and the Coalition on Smoking or Health, said yesterday that they would petition the Food and Drug Administration to prevent a planned low-smoke cigarette from being marketed in the United States.

The cigarette's maker, R.J. Reynolds Tobacco company, announced that it would make available to the Government the list of ingredients in the new product and the manufacturing methods. The company is trying to convince the Government of the veracity of its claims that the cigarette, Eclipse, has little smoke and fewer hazardous chemicals than standard cigarettes.

The anti-smoking groups contend that the new product is not really a cigarette, but a drug delivery device because it delivers nicotine and does not burn tobacco.

—The New York Times
 Other Campuses

Lehigh professors ease grading system

Some of Lehigh's professors feel that they have relaxed their grading system to fit today's Lehigh students.

According to some professors, this generation of collegians is not of as high a caliber as the students who graduated from the university two decades ago.

Donald Davis, chairman of the department of mathematics, said, "There are many professors in the math department who think Lehigh students are not quite as well prepared as they used to be."

This alleged decline in incoming students' skills had led many professors throughout the university to make their grading policies more lenient.

Changing grade standards, however, is not viewed negatively by all professors. Many think it is a necessity and see it as a typical pattern in American universities.

Many students believe that Lehigh's altered grading standards should not be considered inflation, but "grade adjustment."

—The Brown and White
 News Briefs compiled by Kristina Schurr '95 and Karen Waters '96

ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Handel's Messiah to be performed Handel's way

MESSIAH From page 1



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 Under the leadership of Dr. William Payn, associate professor of music, the Concert Choral has been working hard for its performance of Messiah.

Since Handel, the *Messiah* has been arranged and rearranged many times. For example, Mozart rescored the work for the Classical orchestra, which was larger and contained newer instruments, such as the then-new clarinet, than its Baroque counterpart.

In later years, the conductors Thomas Beecham and Eugene Goossens added much of the contemporary orchestra to the *Messiah*, "to please contemporary ears," Palmer said. He went on to explain that while all of these innovations led to great performances of the oratorio, they are not what Handel actually composed. Palmer warned that listeners at Saturday night's performance should not expect the "bombastic" sound that they may be accustomed to hearing. "This will be truly a Handel *Messiah*," Palmer stated.

Upon his arrival to Bucknell, Palmer will rehearse with the concert choral for some "fine-tuning" on the upcoming Baroque-style performance. The conductor credited Dr. William A. Payn, chair of the music department and director of the

concert choral, with working to get the students ready for Saturday's performance.

"The choral will be beautifully prepared," Palmer commented, adding, "I have all the faith in the world in Dr.

"The choral will be beautifully prepared. I have all the faith in the world in Dr. Payn's choral leadership"

—Rudolph Palmer '73

Payn's choral leadership."

Soprano section leader Jeanne Mellish '95 said that the choral members have put a great deal of time and effort into preparing for Saturday night's performance. "This piece has a lot of intricacies that Handel wrote that you wouldn't hear in a Romantic performance," Mellish stated.

As a music major in the choral, Mellish is happy to have the opportunity to study Handel's famous oratorio. "We don't often get the chance to perform a Baroque work like this one," she said.

Palmer emphasized his concern for what he called a "question of international regard for expertise. Things European are always looked upon as being of higher quality—in all areas, not just music." He added that American musicians are not as "second class" as they may have once been considered.

"The early music scene is very much alive in the United States," Palmer stated. This is in spite of the fact that American musical organizations receive less government aid than their foreign counterparts do. "The *Messiah* is being done by a first class group of performers," Palmer stated. "We do the best we can with what we have, and we're drawing even with our foreign counterparts."

Tickets for Saturday night's performance may be purchased at the Weis Center box office.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian



Photo courtesy of Office of Public Relations

Soprano Julianne Baird sings in *Messiah*. Mezzo-soprano D'Anna Fortunato and tenor Frederick Urrey will also sing.

Photo courtesy of Office of Public Relations
 Bass Nathaniel Watson will be one of the four featured singers in this Saturday's performance of Handel's *Messiah*.

Weekly Crossword

"Bookshelf" By Gerry Frey

1 Across "Sarah Plain and Tidy"	10 Across Shipwrecks	19 Down "Stone With The Wind"	28 Down Fertilizer ingredient	37 Down Before H.S.	46 Down Cosmetics
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EDITORIAL

BSG more concerned with image than issue

When *The Catalyst* printed a controversial statement advocating the use, but not legalization of marijuana, BSG was quick the investigate the legal implications of a student-funded publication making such an opinion public. After consulting with Elias Abelson, general counsel, BSG was informed that the statement posed no legal threat to the University or to BSG.

The issue, however, is not over. BSG is now pursuing the question of how to deal with BSG-funded organizations that might endorse an illegal activity, and whether or not BSG would be implicated in such an activity because it finances the organization. The issues BSG faces in tampering with the seemingly moot point range from free speech and finance to moral and legal questions.

At this point, it seems absurd for BSG to continue making an issue out of a non-issue. Once general counsel advised BSG on the legal ramifications of the statement, the issue should have been dropped.

It is comforting to know that BSG is doing what it was created to do: uphold the standards set by the student body and make quick, informed decisions when those standards might be compromised. It is vital that BSG

continue to act in this manner, and take proactive steps to prevent problems from arising in the future.

However, BSG is pursuing an issue that has been resolved, and in doing so, seems to be greatly increasing their load of responsibility to the student body and campus community. If the motion to withdraw funds from organizations that may associate BSG with an illegal activity passes, BSG would seem to be setting a precedent that they are ill-equipped to handle. By banning the endorsement of an illegal activity by a BSG-funded organization, is BSG, in effect, implicitly supporting all the endorsements that they do not ban?

Endorsing an illegal activity is not illegal. When a pro-life supporter advocates the murder of an abortion doctor, a crime has not been committed.

Similarly, *The Catalyst* is not committing an illegal activity by endorsing the use of marijuana. If BSG is not legally accountable for statements printed in *The Catalyst*, as was ruled by general counsel, BSG should not feel that it is being associated with an organization that they finance.

The primary concern, however, is that BSG does not want to be associated with the illegal

activities an organization might endorse. But such a concern is based on the abstract assumption that all organizations funded by BSG are associated with the opinions and views of the members of BSG, and thus the student body at large. A quick look at the multitude of organizations that BSG funds would hardly confirm BSG's fear that it will be associated with all the opinions expressed by these organizations. The organizations represent a variety of perspectives, and BSG is rarely associated with those organizations or their opinions because it funds them.

What must be weighed here is the legitimacy of the organization and its impact on the campus community as a whole. In the case of *The Catalyst*, withdrawing funds would destroy a valuable publication that promotes independent thought, literary creativity, and academic freedom on campus. The publication clearly has more positive impacts than abstract, negative points of contention. Pulling the purse strings of an otherwise worthy and academic organization would only serve to discourage, intimidate, or prohibit the existence of organizations that truly provide a free and open voice for the campus community.

OPINIONS

Think without passion, speak without prejudice

BY CRISTINA TISA
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Let's be open and honest about a reality we would all prefer to ignore. Let's push aside all of our qualifications, our prejudices, and misconceptions, and deal with the issues. In fact, let's get really personal about it. Examine your true thoughts and reactions about abortion. For the first time in your life, think without

passion and read without prejudice. We all understand that controversies exist about so many aspects of the issue. When does life begin, is it a life at all, how far into pregnancy should termination be allowed, who should receive abortions, who should pay, who should know, how should it be done, how many times is too many? Who thinks they have the answers? I certainly don't claim the philosophical brilliance to unequivocally respond for all the 260+ million Americans alive today. What I do know are my own answers, and the answers of my close friends. At least what they've told me. Whether their answers are pure and without prejudice are beyond my control.

This brings me to my first question—this is an interactive deal. I want all of you to answer my questions. Open the deepest recesses of your personhood and spill it. Question #1: If your sister/close friend is pro-choice and you are anti-choice, should there be a federal or state law protecting only one of your positions? Remember, think in terms of your country, not in terms of yourself. Personal beliefs and standards require an entirely new set of questions.

The second question requires a lead-in. Public schools today are not allowed to have prayer of any kind going on in school. The separation of church and state is sacred and inflammatory in this country. Is it logical for religion to be uninvolved from one aspect of the Constitution and intrinsically involved in another? Let me elaborate. Religion was disallowed from public education because it was the consensus of the Supreme Court that religious freedom would be threatened if the large number of Christian schoolchildren were allowed to pray in publicly-funded classrooms. How can it be then, that a position based general-

ly upon the Judeo-Christian ethic be legislated in a country founded upon the beliefs of religious and political tolerance?

People often say that they believe in abortion if the pregnancy results from rape or incest. This makes little sense to me. Does a child conceived out of hatred or domination have any less right to live than a child conceived out of love and affection? Isn't a child a child? Conventional wisdom claims that women who were the victims of rape or incest have much more right to choose to have abortions because a child would be a constant reminder of the ordeal. Wouldn't any unwanted child be the brunt of resentment and unpleasant reminder? Granted, there are different degrees of pain and suffering, but who can distinguish the legitimate from the illegitimate? Also, some claim that the birth of a child is a joyous miracle regardless of the circumstances of the conception.

Besides that problem, there is also the question of why the welfare of the mother is of concern in one situation and not in the other. If someone can give me legitimate, viable answers to any of my queries, I would greatly appreciate it.

Which one of you out there is going to support any legislation that establishes a black-and-white, right or wrong for the 130 million or so women in America? Think about the questions I have posed to you, because the threat may be real for some of you that any pro-choice legislation may be revoked. All of you, as responsible citizens, will ultimately vote according to conscience and ethics, but, as one final question:

WHAT IF IT WERE YOU?

Don't be so quick to answer, and don't be so quick to judge.

"A person is too apt to forget that in this world they cannot have everything. A choice is all that is left to them."

—K. Mathews

"We are here to add what we can to life, not to get what we can from it."

—William Oslor

How do you spell 'doom'? A-I-D-S or C-F-C-s?

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

"If we don't act immediately, then we face our approaching doom." On March 7, 1983, Larry Kramer wrote his wake-up call about the AIDS virus. Many people didn't want to read what Kramer said in his article, "1,112 and Counting." He was labeled as ego-centric and alarmist. Yet now that there have been over 16 million HIV infections worldwide, Kramer's words ring true.

Our nation lives in denial of its most difficult challenges, such as the AIDS epidemic and the increasing worldwide greenhouse effect. In our everyday decisions we rarely want to face what's coming, and so we confuse hope and denial. We hope that science will soon find an AIDS vaccine, yet we turn that hope into a misguided rationale for doing nothing personally. We hope that the optimistic scientists are right about global warming—that the oceans will absorb much of the carbon dioxide we release and the warming will be slight. Yet as the frightening evidence amasses we do little, frozen by both our hopes and our fears. We act as a deer blinded by the approaching headlights, hoping that the danger will turn back as it comes closer and closer.

We must continue to be concerned and active against AIDS. Since the epidemic began in the late 70's, we have learned much about how AIDS is transmitted and how to prevent its spread. We have even succeeded in reducing the yearly rate of HIV infections in the U.S. (although infections among women are likely still increasing). Yet there is no foreseeable cure, no foreseeable vaccine, and no ability to really

stop this disease simply through prevention. Condoms are usually "safe," but can break or be forgotten. And even a monogamous person encounters the risks of his or her lover's past partners and the possibilities of acquiring HIV by being raped, or being conceived by an HIV-positive mother. We shouldn't ignore AIDS, even if many of us are at a relatively low risk of getting it, because nobody's risk is zero (especially no person having casual sex at Bucknell), and everyone will someday have a friend die of this disease.

The AIDS situation worldwide is grim, especially in Asia, where an estimated 700,000 people were infected with HIV just this year. Globally, one million women and one million men will likely be infected next year. Barring some new development, all these people will eventually develop AIDS and die from it.

Much like AIDS, global warming is also a cause for concern and action. The similarities between the reactions to these two problems are striking. Like AIDS, global warming puts different people at different risks: a farm family in Kansas will worry about droughts, while New York City will plan for too much water, as ocean levels could rise by several feet. Both AIDS and global warming are worldwide problems, and societies have had trouble working together to address them.

Most importantly, both situations require individual people to change their behaviors. To prevent the spread of AIDS we must take precautions, be tested, and not have sex if we are HIV-positive. Likewise, to keep carbon dioxide in the ground and in plants where it belongs, we must drive less, use less electricity, eat less meat, and cut down fewer trees. All of

this takes hard work, creativity, and personal sacrifice—it's never easy to face reality and get out of those blinding headlights.

What will happen if we don't make big changes? Typical estimates are that Earth will be 3-8°F warmer within our children's lifetimes. For comparison, the average Earth temperature during the last Ice Age was only 9°F cooler than it is now. Any change of this magnitude will bring momentous change to plants and animals, world agriculture, and ocean sea levels. So why are we and our politicians less concerned about global warming than whether federal prisoners get cable TV or not?

Nationally, AIDS and global warming, two ongoing catastrophes staring us in the face, were barely mentioned by most candidates in the recent election. The suggestions of most Democrats were weak; those of Republicans were even weaker. Let's put the two issues out on the table again. What will President Clinton and the Republican Congress do about AIDS and greenhouse gas emissions?

On a personal level, start. If you have already responded to these issues, start again. Today, Dec. 1, is World AIDS Day. Start by reading *And the Band Played On*, Randy Shilts classic work on the early years of the AIDS epidemic, or start by saying a prayer for our mother Earth. Start by discussing one of these extraordinary challenges in class, or with a friend. Start by attending the World AIDS Day service this evening, or by marching into town tonight in personal support of people with AIDS. Start by not eating a hamburger, or by walking instead of driving. These are the challenges of our generation; let us fear them no more.

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OPINIONS

'British experience' a true asset to 'Bucknell experience'

BY RYAN EVANS

In response to the recent *Bucknellian* articles, "A focus on the arts in streets of London" and "It's a whole new world out there," this editorial is a brief account of the '94 Bucknell in London program. Having almost completed our London program, we can attest for the excitement and opportunity which a semester abroad offers.

This fall's program is directed by Bucknell professors David Pearson, biology department, and John Anderson, economics. One of the hidden advantages of Bucknell in London is that a small student to teacher ratio allows for developing a personal relationship with Bucknell professors. Another benefit is the extreme flexibility of the program itself. As students, we have been allowed to influence and mold the proposed courses and activities of the program. Also, not only is independent study offered, but many of the students this fall have obtained internships with major British establishments.

Besides our Bucknell professors, this year's London program is characterized by two distinguished British professors, Patrick Connors, art and architecture, and Richard McBrien, theater. However, our British influence doesn't end with these two, since we've interacted with countless guides, Bucknell alumni, and personal acquaintances. Additionally, one of the unique features about any study abroad program is that the focus is not just on formal classroom education.

Not only does living in a flat in central London help submerge us in cultural experiences, but numerous excursions throughout the country have provided invaluable insight on the diversity and heritage of England. So far we've traveled to notable places such as Oxford, Cambridge, Bath, Stonehenge, Canterbury, Liverpool, Birmingham, and Wales. Besides also visiting Stratford, Shakespeare's birthplace, each week we view a current west-end or fringe play in one of London's many theaters. Although this experience may seem to be complete enough, our fall break provided an excellent opportunity to travel to Europe for a week.

In conclusion, a study abroad program can be an irreplaceable personal asset. Looking back over the last three months, I realize that studying abroad has not only been a much different experience than I had anticipated, but it has exceeded my expectations. Even more so than becoming increasingly aware of another culture or gaining a more cosmopolitan perspective, spending a semester abroad has provided me with a rare setting in which to examine myself in a completely different light.

Lock 'em and Load 'em: the mystique surrounding hunting

BY ALLISON PRICE

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

I am about to make a startling disclosure on my part.

Buried deep in the family archive photo albums is a photograph of me, about four, smiling wildly and holding under one arm my grandfather's hunting dog Sammy, then a pup, and under the other a dead pheasant. They were the only game my grandfather ever hunted. I loved it when he would bring one home—they were so neat to play with, so real when I was four. I vaguely remember watching him butcher one once, but for some reason that memory is not quite as clear as that of Sammy. My grandfather kept a lot of the pheasant tails pinned on the garage wall, above the life magazine photos of JFK and RFK. I thought of this all over Thanksgiving break as I engaged in one of my favorite pursuits, catching deer hunters scouting for their prey along the country roads surrounding my neighborhood and then blaring my horn, thus making their mission more justly difficult as I alert the deer. They really should be given a better chance to outsmart binoculars. I once did this with a friend in the car who'd only noted afterward that the men were in a game warden car. I reminded her that they were not cops or anything, to which she only slightly smiled. She lived in the woods and sang

the Smiths when she walked to her mailbox during hunting season in order not to be mistaken for Bambi and cut down. She also tied fluorescent orange scarves on her dogs so they would not be shot either. In case you do not know, Monday was the start of buck season here in Pennsylvania. Another friend of mine mused over break that he hoped he would not be shot jogging on Monday. I was amused and not so oddly annoyed to read in *The Bucknellian* last year, that area schools, mine naturally included, had off the first day of deer season as evidence of area hickdom.

It doesn't end there, trust me. In the sixth grade, I was subjected to mandatory hunter safety education because so many of my classmates hunted. I got a card for passing! I can tell you how much fluorescent orange hunters have to wear, how to get pesky small game, not to do a turkey call into a red bandanna and that your face turns black when you roast to death in the desert. The instructor scored a real coup when someone refused a rifle because the safety was not turned on. My father reassured me that I would never have to touch a gun no matter what (although it really wasn't much of a decision—the instructor would not dream of letting any of us "girlies" touch the monster). One of my father's best lines is that he does not hunt because after serving in Vietnam, he personally finds the thrill di-

minished when the deer do not shoot back.

So there it is—me and hunting. Whenever people accuse me of being extremist, I remind them of my grandfather who is one of the greatest people in the world. I have seen the photos of the sweeping, golden fields and of my grandfather's dogs running, their feet barely touching the ground. I have heard the stories and tales of epic male bonding (I have read Faulkner...). I also knew girls in high school who went out to bag their own bucks with their fathers. I once watched a documentary that showed an animal rights organization somewhere that follows hunters into the woods intending to bear witness and watches as they drag in their kill. I know in my heart that I feel strongly enough about it to do that. I also know that there are hunters who do as well.

Hunting embodies mixed emotions and the need for sides in America—you are with us or against us. We know it is never that easy. I personally cannot understand what could allow you to love an animal so much, study it so intently, and then through an act of your own make it crumble to a bloody heap on the ground. This is what hunting is. However, I have had sincere hunters concede that they are not quite as disturbed. I have heard all the arguments about Hitchcock overpopulation. While the idea of mass deer starvation, a deer running crazed and starving into your car or deer overrunning farmers' crops is not appalling. For me neither is tying a dead deer to the top of your car, the essential act or a crazed deer stumbling out of the woods with an arrow stuck in his side (bow hunting, another topic—do not even get me started). Unfortunately, Darwin never got to calculate deer tags in to his *Origin of the Species*. Hunters do as citizens work for the natural preservation of the environment, although let us not be mistaken for wholly selfless purposes. While the game commission does fight to stop them in the name of sincere sportsmen, the abuses wrought by hunters breaking game laws are atrocious. On the other hand, there are those of us who will never see the sport in any of it.

This is the situation—just the way it is and mostly likely will stay.

The crucial thing however is to avoid the cartoons—hicks versus wackos. Good people hunt. Good people are repulsed by the act. It is essential to keep this in mind and be willing to discuss the issue with equal amounts of respect. The lack of this bothers me most about the cult of hunting. It is not unheard of to be technically against it. Across the golden fields, there are many shades of gray. We just have to find respectable room for them.

LETTERS

Sojka expresses support to diversity rallyers' concerns

TO THE EDITOR:

Last week I was out of town on University business and, therefore, was not present for the rally that occurred on the uphill side of the Elaine Langone Center on Friday. I am sorry that I could not be there because, from what I have heard, some very important and emotionally touching statements were made by members of the student body and the faculty. Had I been there, I would have urged all present to listen carefully to what their friends and colleagues were saying, and to give serious thought to how we might improve our response to the albeit too limited diversity that currently exists on our campus. In these, my last days of presiding at Bucknell University, I remain troubled and disappointed that we have not been able to come farther in creating an environment which is supportive and welcoming to all who would come here to learn, study and grow. Bucknell makes much, properly, of the fact that it is a residential campus and that a significant part of the learning experience at Bucknell derives from our privilege and our necessity of forming our own community of learners. To the degree that we fail to properly include all segments of our student body and staff into that community, we miss an opportunity to create something special within our environment and to learn key lessons about citizenship and humanity in an increasingly pluralistic society.

From what I have been able to piece together of the events of last Friday, it would appear that most of those who spoke recounted experiences in which they had to deal with insensitivity. In a few cases, however, they appeared to describe acts that went far beyond mere insensitivity and bordered on genuine hostility.

Matters of insensitivity are appropriately dealt with through education and efforts to heighten awareness of the needs and feelings of all members of a community. Hostility and anger directed at individuals simply because of their race, religion, ethnicity or sexual orientation, however, suggest a problem of greater proportions demanding a more vigorous response. America has grappled in recent years with issues relating to freedom of speech, speech codes

and the perceived problem generally referred to as "political correctness." Those who seem to find fault with the efforts of any of us who would try to make this a more inclusive society give enormous weight to the right of freedom of speech. They will forgive me, therefore, if I exercise my own freedom to say what I think about those individuals in our society who would, for the most part, be innumerable reasons, do harm to another person simply because she or he is different in some way from the majority. What I would say to such persons does not take long to articulate and is not very eloquent. I would simply state that if you engage in such behavior, there is something significantly wrong with you. You need to look inside yourself to try to find the part of your humanity that is clearly missing before it is too late.

Open your mind and your heart in such a way that you can overcome the hatred, the prejudice, and the narrow-mindedness that causes you to act out in a way that is not only hurtful to others in society, but is deeply demeaning to you as an individual.

By and large, Bucknell is a fine place. Its community is composed of outstanding persons united in their desire for self-improvement and a commitment to learning. When problems and instances of intolerance and hate emerge, I don't believe we need to hide behind speech codes or conduct regulations. Rather those of us who find acts of intolerance unreasonable and unacceptable need to take a stand, need to exercise our freedom of speech, and need to let the perpetrators know that they are not cute; they do not speak for the majority; they are not funny; and that such behavior casts them into the role of least desirable member of the community.

I suspect problems of this kind will never entirely go away. No community will ever be perfectly accepting and supportive of all of its members, but it does behoove all of us who would have some modicum of compassion for and interest in those around us to remain vigilant and to become proactive in defending the rights and upholding the dignity of all members of our community.

GARY A. SOJKA,
PRESIDENT
NOVEMBER 21 1994

Dictatorship at Bucknell?

TO THE EDITOR:

Your editorial in the last issue of *The Bucknellian* cites the "hefty profits from tobacco products (approximately \$3,100 per week)" that the convenience store in the Bison makes. The front page article by Karen Waters makes it clear, however, that the figure of \$3,100 refers to revenues rather than profits. This correction does not affect the argument you make, although it reduces considerably the extent to which Bucknell benefits financially from sales to smokers. By the way, does your argument have the corollary that the Bookstore should not serve as a censor for students and staff by refusing to carry certain magazines that are viewed as offensive?

JAMES HEATH
DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS
NOVEMBER 18, 1994

"Grazie" from Phi Gamma Delta

TO THE EDITOR:

The brothers of Phi Gamma Delta would like to thank everyone who came to Luigi Fijl in support of the Lewisburg Little League. The Brothers worked very hard to prepare for this event, but nothing could have been accomplished without the help of the students, faculty, staff, and friends of Bucknell.

We would also like to thank The Wood Company and Pete's Arena Pizza in The Bison for donating mozzarella cheese. Their generosity not only lowered our food costs, but allowed us to raise our goal of \$450.00 in proceeds for the little league. Thank you again for your support. See you in the spring for Luigi Fijl '95.

BRIAN KEATING '96
PHILANTHROPY CHAIR
NOVEMBER 27, 1994

The Bucknellian does not support the legalizaion of marijuana or its use.

FEATURES

Chemistry professor answers to town's emergency calls

Volunteer firefighter and veteran EMT, Professor Gretchen Rehberg sacrifices sleep to rush to the aid of others

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It's 2 a.m. She's sound asleep in bed. All of a sudden her pager wakes her up and she is on the move.

She is Gretchen Rehberg, professor of chemistry, volunteer firefighter, and Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). At the bare minimum, Rehberg volunteers 18 hours per week with the local fire and ambulance department, the William Cameron Engine Company.

Rehberg began the volunteering process as a freshman in college. She started as an EMT in the school's student ambulatory and fire companies. The University supported the efforts and offered free room and board to those students who were involved in the companies. However, Rehberg said, "The free room and board is not incentive enough if you don't enjoy it. There has to be something more to it or you don't do it, it doesn't matter how much the incentive is."

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Americorp: a unique opportunity to exchange community service for education

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For those who are still undecided about what they are going to do when they graduate, there is a new opportunity to work for the community and earn monies toward defraying the costs of an education already earned at Bucknell or toward further education. Americorp, "the new domestic Peace Corps," has leadership positions in the four county area for anyone who is 17 years of age or older, a U.S. citizen or legal resident, and has his or her high school diploma or G.E.D.

The concept was modeled after the federal GI Bill, after W.W. II and Korea, which allowed those serving in the military to continue their education tuition free. Adjunct professor of sociology John Messer, project director of C.O.R.E. Susquehanna, says that there is a war of sorts going on now—a domestic war. There is the war on such problems as poverty, drugs, homelessness, and at-risk populations.

Messer says that the motto of the organization is "getting things done." What the organization is getting done is educating the local population, allowing people to give and take to the community.

In the 900 or 1700 hours of service one can put in, whether they choose to serve part-time or full-time, the emphasis is on completing the units of work that were determined in the initial goal setting, whether it be educating the elderly on nutrition or assessing county standards on the American Disabilities Act.

The program now spans many different central Pennsylvania counties and includes 14 different agencies. Positions range from being a community liaison to get other agencies, companies, and organizations to donate resources, manpower or money, to being a

project director, which is Messer's job.

Messer oversees the training programs for new members on board. He also coordinates new agencies with needs as they come on board. The diversity of the people that this program has rallied and the level of commitment the new members demonstrate has been "incredible," according to Messer.

Perhaps this community service opportunity is appealing to many since it provides compensatory benefits in more ways than one. Of the many hours of service, 20 percent, says Messer, is spent in intensive training and education. Students learn CPR, intercommunication skills, and conflict resolution skills. "It allows people to give and take to the community," comments Messer.

It is also intensive training for those who choose to take the positions since all experience is gained through "hands-on" situations, whether it be teaching computer skills to youth at risk or counseling battered women. Some members also provide education and prevention services to fellow community members who are infected with the HIV virus or who have AIDS by getting involved in the AIDS Resource Alliance.

Efforts such as matching younger children without grandparents to the senior members of the community, Messer comments, is done in an attempt to re-integrate the generations. Both sides benefit as there is mutual opportunity for help and healing. The organization is also starting something called "time dollars" through which employees of other companies and organizations spend a certain amount of their working hours volunteering time and doing community service. Positions are usually contracted for a year's time.

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in Washington, D.C. There he organized building projects in the D.C. area and gained the experience necessary to lead Bucknell's Habitat chapter.

Stolarz is assisted by Reverend Boden, who is integral to the program as its advisor. The two said they found the program in a period of stagnancy in recent years, and have since rejuvenated student participation.

Typically, the group travels to Williamsport on Saturdays, working in affiliation with a separate Habitat chapter. Close to 20 students a week make the trip, says Stolarz, and consistently find the experience to be extremely rewarding. The first hand participation and knowledge that all work done will directly profit someone in need cause each work day to end with a feeling of gratification and exhaustion.

One work day remains for this semester, so interested students are advised to sign up quickly. Those who do so are assured a good time, some meaningful hands on experience, and a feeling that they have helped a family improve their quality of life, said Stolarz.



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Brian Stolarz '95, Bob Shandry, construction manager of Williamsport's Habitat for Humanity, and Eric Waugh, a volunteer from Williamsport, work on the roof of a new house.



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experience, a position with one of the agencies in Susquehanna C.O.R.E. can offer, a full time employee can earn up to \$4,725 per year toward educational awards which can help finance future higher education or help repay students' loans.

Other opportunities include a living stipend, health coverage, and free child care if a position is filled by a single parent.

This division of Americorp rallies together some Susquehanna Valley agencies that have successfully solicited help from Bucknell students in the past. Messer comments that these are by no means "jobs." They are internships that are offered with agencies such as Susquehanna Women in Transition, Lewisburg Area Community Center, and Haven Ministries.

Many programs are oriented toward early intervention strategies such as teaching young parents to serve as the role models they may have not been fortunate enough to have themselves. Hopefully, employing the strategy of "parents as teachers" and redirecting young energy into constructive paths can stave off future disaster.

Right now, Messer comments, taxpayers are shelling out as much

as \$30,000 a year per head to incarcerate many of the young people who are in jail today. Taking such proactive stances on education and intervention could save millions in the long term.

The founding of the organization was a collective effort by many participating organizations who had been doing various mobilization projects since the 1960s. Messer first came to the area in 1992 to do research for the Lily Foundation and has been teaching off and on at Bucknell since then. Currently filling in for Professor Karen Dugger, he is overseeing the organization in its fledgling year.

Such an establishment is not unprecedented by any means. Messer says that all efforts are oriented toward recalling what "civic society means through an enlightened self-interest."

Just as this organization was modeled after the GI Bill, Messer hopes that C.O.R.E. Susquehanna and its services may serve as a template for others to follow. The key stone of the program is that it is, in the words of Messer "ecologically-responsive." The environment dictates the needs as opposed to needs being fulfilled based on a conception of what the environment is.

Circle K rounds up Bucknell students

BY ADAM SHEYA

Most students chose Bucknell because they thought it had at least the potential of getting them to where they wanted to be to begin a career. In this pursuit of future goals, which consists of the academic struggle and the need to find relief from academic pressure, an element of growth is often lost. A student may forget that part of his future is forming just outside of his reach in an ever changing community. There are, however, quite a few Bucknell students who do contribute to the communities that lie adjacent to Bucknell's bubble through a number of organizations.

The newest of these organizations is Circle K, which is in its second year at Bucknell. In the past, Circle K, an international organization affiliated with Kiwanis, has unsuccessfully tried to form roots at Bucknell. But this time it seems that it is here to stay. The club is only three due-paying members short of the twenty needed to receive a charter.



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Holly Lynch '95 collects children's books for Circle K's Christmas book drive. The group is currently looking to become a chartered member of Circle K.

The club's president, Chris Ancona '96, attributes the success of the club to the fact that "the interest in starting the club was on the student side." After finding that other community service organizations were not quite right for her, she worked closely with the President of the Kiwanis in Lewisburg to bring Circle K to Bucknell last year. In high school she had found that the Key Club, also affiliated with Kiwanis, to be a positive experience. So she went to Kiwanis for help in founding a new community service organization at Bucknell.

Even though the club has yet to get a charter and become an official member of the Circle K organization, President Ancona does not see this as an obstacle. "Just because we don't have an official piece of paper, doesn't mean we're not a club," she said.

This statement holds true because Circle K surely is and has been active in the Bucknell area. Last December some members of the club cooked Saturday lunch for mostly elderly citizens at the Community Center in downtown Lewisburg, while others made a spa-

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ghetti lunch and Christmas cookies for the Union County Child Care Center last fall. Some members also danced for 24 hours and bought an hour of music in the SAMS Dance Marathon to raise money for Multiple Sclerosis. These are only a few of the activities that Circle K was involved in last year.

The focus for Circle K this year is literacy. Following this goal and the organization's theme of "focus on the future" Circle K is having its second annual children's book drive. The children's books collected from Bucknell students will be given to the Haven Ministries in Sunbury and the Ronald McDonald House in Danbury.

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"I have found that the community service has increased since I've been here. The students have been much more receptive. I don't know why," she said although she does realize that some of her techniques are effective in encouraging people to join.

Everyone seems to walk away feeling better about themselves and feeling better about what they have done because they've helped somebody," Bellavia concluded. She advises everyone to help the community in some way, at least once a semester. The smile of a young child may be the greatest gift one can receive.

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FEATURES

Americorp: a unique opportunity to exchange community service for education

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

For those who are still undecided about what they are going to do when they graduate, there is a new opportunity to work for the community and earn monies toward defraying the costs of an education already earned at Bucknell or toward further education. Americorp, "the new domestic Peace Corps," has leadership positions in the four county area for anyone who is 17 years of age or older, a U.S. citizen or legal resident, and has his or her high school diploma or G.E.D.

The concept was modeled after the federal GI bill, after W.W. II and Korea, which allowed those serving in the military to continue their education tuition free. Adjunct professor of sociology John Messer, project director of C.O.R.E. Susquehanna, says that there is a war of sorts going on now—a domestic war. There is the war on such problems as poverty, drugs, homelessness, and at-risk populations.

Messer says that the motto of the organization is "getting things done." What the organization is getting done is educating the local population, allowing people to give and take to the community.

In the 900 or 1700 hours of service one can put in, whether they choose to serve part-time or full-time, the emphasis is on completing the units of work that were determined in the initial goal setting, whether it be educating the elderly on nutrition or assessing county standards on the American Disabilities Act.

The program now spans many different central Pennsylvania counties and includes 14 different agencies. Positions range from being a community liaison to get other agencies, companies, and organizations to donate resources, manpower or money, to being a

project director, which is Messer's job.

Messer oversees the training programs for new members on board. He also coordinates new agencies with needs as they come on board. The diversity of the people that this program has rallied and the level of commitment the new members demonstrate has been "incredible," according to Messer.

Perhaps this community service opportunity is appealing to many since it provides compensatory benefits in more ways than one. Of the many hours of service, 20 percent, says Messer, is spent in intensive training and education. Students learn CPR, intercommunication skills, and conflict resolution skills. "It allows people to give and take to the community," comments Messer.

It is also intensive training for those who choose to take the positions since all experience is gained through "hands-on" situations, whether it be teaching computer skills to youth at risk or counseling battered women. Some members also provide education and prevention services to fellow community members who are infected with the HIV virus or who have AIDS by getting involved in the AIDS Resource Alliance.

Efforts such as matching younger children without grandparents to the senior members of the community, Messer comments, is done in an attempt to integrate the generations. Both sides benefit as there is mutual opportunity for help and healing. The organization is also starting something called "time dollars" through which employees of other companies and organizations spend a certain amount of their working hours volunteering time and doing community service. Positions are usually contracted for a year's time.

In addition to the leadership



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Professor John Messer, M.E. Danielson, and Susan Wagner are involved in C.O.R.E. Susquehanna.

as \$30,000 a year per head to incarcerate many of the young people who are in jail today. Taking such proactive stances on education and intervention could save millions in the long term.

The founding of the organization was a collective effort by many participating organizations who had been doing various mobilization projects since the 1960s. Messer first came to the area in 1992 to do research for the Lilly Foundation and has been teaching off and on at Bucknell since then. Currently filling in for Professor Karen Dugger, he is overseeing the organization in its fledgling year.

Such an establishment is not unprecedented by any means. Messer says that all efforts are oriented toward recalling what "civic society means through an enlightened self-interest."

Just as this organization was modeled after the GI bill, Messer hopes that C.O.R.E. Susquehanna and its services may serve as a template for others to follow. The keystone of the program is that it is, in the words of Messer "ecologically-responsive." The environment dictates the needs as opposed to needs being fulfilled based on a conception of what the environment is.

Right now, Messer comments, taxpayers are shelling out as much

Helping hands hammer homes through campus branch of Habitat for Humanity

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Photo courtesy of Brian Stolarz
John Neff '95 relaxes from his work for a moment to pose for a picture. Neff is a part of the Habitat for Humanity effort on campus. The house that he is working on is located on Clark Street in Williamsport. Construction of the house began over the summer and is hoped to be completed in the spring.



Photo courtesy of Brian Stolarz
A family of seven will be moving into this Habitat for Humanity home located on Chester Street in Williamsport. The house will be dedicated this Christmas.

Circle K rounds up Bucknell students

BY ADAM SHEYA

Most students chose Bucknell because they thought it had at least the potential of getting them to where they wanted to be to begin a career. In this pursuit of future goals, which consists of the academic struggle and the need to find relief from academic pressure, an element of growth is often lost. A student may forget that part of his future is forming just outside of his reach in an ever changing community. There are, however, quite a few Bucknell students who do contribute to the communities that lie adjacent to Bucknell's bubble through a number of organizations.

The newest of these organizations is Circle K, which is in its second year at Bucknell. In the past, Circle K, an international organization affiliated with Kiwanis, has unsuccessfully tried to form roots at Bucknell. But this time it seems that it is here to stay. The club is only three dues-paying members short of the twenty needed to receive a charter.



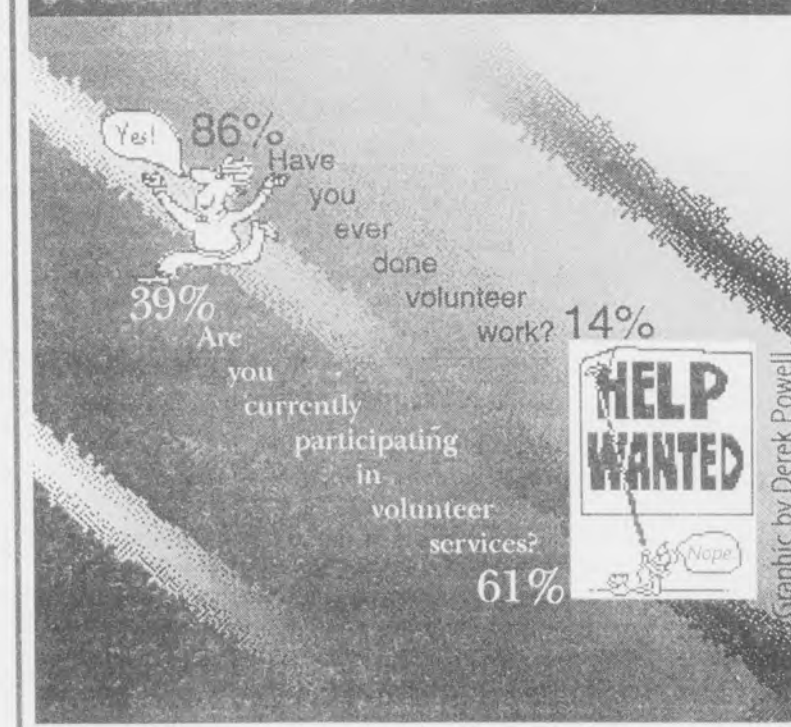
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Holly Lynch '95 collects children's books for Circle K's Christmas book drive. The group is currently looking to become a chartered member of Circle K.

The club's president, Chris Ancona '96, attributes the success of the club to the fact that "the interest in starting the club was on the student side." After finding that other community service organizations were not quite right for her, she worked closely with the President of the Kiwanis in Lewisburg to bring Circle K to Bucknell last year. In high school she had found that the Key Club, also affiliated with Kiwanis, to be a positive experience. So she went to Kiwanis for help in founding a new community service organization at Bucknell.

Even though the club has yet to get a charter and become an official member of the Circle K organization, President Ancona does not see this as an obstacle. "Just because we don't have an official piece of paper, doesn't mean we're not a club," she said.

This statement holds true because Circle K surely is and has been active in the Bucknell area. Last December some members of the club cooked Saturday lunch for mostly elderly citizens at the Community Center in downtown Lewisburg, while others made a spa-

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ghetti lunch and Christmas cookies for the Union, County Child Care Center last fall. Some members also danced for 24 hours and bought an hour of music in the SAMS Dance Marathon to raise money for Multiple Sclerosis. These are only a few of the activities that Circle K was involved in last year.

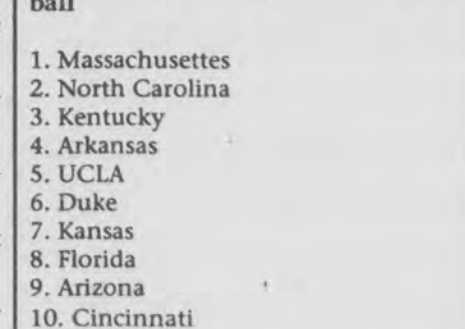
The focus for Circle K this year is literacy. Following this goal and the organization's theme of "focus on the future" Circle K is having its second annual children's book drive. The children's books collected from Bucknell students will be given to the Haven Ministries in Sunbury and the Ronald McDonald House in Danbury.

Members of Circle K also participated in the campus-wide Community Service Day. This past fall, the club helped the Susquehanna Valley Women in Transition to organize donated food. In December the club will go Christmas caroling and in February Circle K will help girl scouts, who are in fourth through sixth grade, to earn their Science in Action badges here at Bucknell.

Although President Ancona jokingly describes Circle K as a "fly by the seat of your pants community service club," she does have some future goals for the club. She would like to do a joint project with Lewisburg High School's Key Club. After the club receives its charter and becomes an official member of the Circle K organization, she would like to see a member of the Bucknell group take a leadership role in the district or divisional level. Eventually she hopes the club will be as well known as Alpha Phi Omega or as the Bison Volunteers. It's off to a good start.

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"We stopped being aggressive offensively. We seemed to lack concentration at some key points of the game"
— Coach Flannery of Wednesday's game against St. Francis



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BISON SCOREBOARD

FOOTBALL
(5-6)

November 19, 1994 (home)

1 2 3 4 Final

Bucknell 0 7 7 15 29
Fordham 17 0 3 6 26

BISON BOX SCORES:

F-Moonhead 31 pass to Leith, kick F-Ross 5 yd run, kick good
F-Hagan, FG 30 yd
F-Horst, 1 yd run, kick good
F-Hagan, FG 33 yd
F-Lemon 20 yd run, kick good
F-Glus, 11 yd pass to Gentile, kick
F-Ross 45 yd fumble return
F-Horst, 1 yd run,

Passing	NAME	ACI	YDS	TD	LONG
48-27-2	383	1	55		
Receiving	NAME	ATT	YDS	TD	LONG
	Lemon	5	106	0	55
	Gentile	5	82	1	32
	Phillips	5	60	0	18
	Svenson	5	31	0	18
	White	2	31	0	22
	Sakowski	3	31	0	15

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Golden	4	0	3	11	11
Anderson	4	0	2	5	10
Mboyu	4	2	0	3	10
Hamer	7	3	0	6	17
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FINAL TEAM STATISTICS:

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First Downs	28 14
Rushing	11 6
Passing	16 7
Penalty	1 1
Rushing Attempts	44 24
Yards Gained Rushing	181 80
Yards Lost Rushing	47 21
Net Yards Rushing	134 59
Net Yards Passing	383 236
Passes Attempted	48 41
Passes Completed	27 20
Had Intercepted	2 1
Total Offensive Plays	92 65
Total Net Yards	517 295
Avg Gain Per Play	5.6 4.5
Fumbles: # Lost	3-2 2-0
Penalties: # Yards	10-84 9-73
Number Punts-Yards	4-156 2-57
Avg Per Punt	39 36.7
Punt Returns: # Yards	3-9 3-39
Kickoff Returns: # Yards	6-109 4-97
Int Returns: # Yards	1-4 2-0
Possession Time	34:18 26:42
3rd Down Conversions	3-15 4-13
Sacks	1 1

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS:

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BISON SPOTLIGHT

Lynn Kachmarik, head men's and women's swimming coach
Bucknellians discover hidden treasureBY COLEEN P. ZOLLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It seems that everyone comes to Bucknell searching for something that they hope will last them a lifetime, including the skills of being a well-rounded person, managing a family and a career. However, for head women's and men's swimming coach, Lynn Kachmarik, things were not always that complicated. Kachmarik arrived in 1982 with an impressive resume and a plan to coach "big-time" swimming after two years. As an undergraduate at Slippery Rock she earned All-America honors as a swimmer and a water polo player. From 1976 through 1986 Kachmarik played on and captained the US National Water Polo team. Later, she was the squad's assistant coach. In 1990, Slippery Rock inducted Kachmarik into their Athletic Hall of Fame.

One would think that swimming for such a successful athlete-turned-coach would be an intimidating experience, but that is not so. Her numerous merits are a hidden treasure. Most of her swimmers are not even aware of the accomplishments of their energetic leader. "She's very supportive and unassuming," said Carey Martin '98.

In spite of Kachmarik's phenomenal history of excellence, she feels that her greatest victory has come recently. These past two years have presented Kachmarik with new challenges. Daughters, Katie, 2 and Taylor, 1, have not

only changed her personal life, but her role as a coach as well. "It is a sacrifice to leave my kids and go to practice," said Kachmarik. "but I love what I do. I don't see it as a job, but as a way of life."

This way of life certainly has changed for Kachmarik since her arrival in Lewisburg. In 1988 she met Scott Kachmarik, currently assistant director of housing and residential life; they were engaged in 1989. Lynn's plan had gone astray. Certain aspects of the new lifestyle lend themselves to being a good mother, such as residing in the Gateway Complex. "Of course I would like a real house, but living on campus is a plus," said Kachmarik, "I can have lunch at home with my kids. I can make recruiting calls at home, and I can go to morning practices before the kids are even awake." Yet, no matter how convenient the living arrangement, "Sometimes I don't feel like I'm getting enough time with the kids."

Kachmarik's role is important on campus not only for her swimmers, because she is a wonderful example of someone who has balanced a growing family and a booming career. "It's great for them to see," concludes Kachmarik, "it is possible to have a great family and a great career." It is quite ironic that she has personified that dream for which the majority of students search, since it is a far reach from what she sought when entering the Bucknell community.



Photo Courtesy of Sports Information
Lynn Kachmarik is able to balance a hectic schedule of raising two children and coaching both the men's and women's swimming teams. Kachmarik, once captain of the US National water polo team, was inducted into Slippery Rock's Athletic Hall of Fame in 1990.

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SPORTS

Rich Lemon '97 named Patriot Co-MVP



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Rich Lemon '97 finished his sophomore season leading the Patriot League in rushing and all-purpose yards. Lemon was named Co-MVP of the Patriot League.

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Rich Lemon '97 (Warren, OH) was one of nine Bucknellians selected to this year's All-Patriot League team. Lemon was also named the league Co-MVP with Erik Marsh of Lafayette.

Lemon rushed for 1,496 yards this season bringing his career total to 2,647. In just two seasons with the Bison, Lemon is only two yards shy of Brian Henesey's '91 all-time Bucknell rushing record.

Lemon was also named by the coaches the Offensive Player of the Year. Last year Lemon's 11 consecutive 100-yard rushing efforts was a NCAA Division I-AA record. This year Lemon led the League in rushing (6th in Division I-AA) and all-purpose yardage (170.9 yds/g, 9th in Division I-AA), and ranked fifth in receptions per game (3.82).

Tailback Erik Marsh finished his senior year with a third consecutive Patriot League title. He also rushed for 1,249 yards for his third straight year. Marsh scored 11 touchdowns for the Leopards, and ranked second in all-purpose yards with an average of 138.9 yards per game. Marsh also has the Patriot League rushing record with 4,834 yards.

The other Bucknellians named to this All-Patriot first team are linebacker Russ Strohecker '95 and punter Rich Miller '97. Strohecker finishes his career with a school-record 370 tackles. Miller completes his career with a school-record punting average of 39.7 yards per punt.

The six second team players that will represent Bucknell are tight-end Mark Gentile '95, defensive-end Ed Burman '96, defensive-back Jeremy Patten '95, linebacker Andrew Welty '95, strong-safety John Henry '95, and cornerback Mark Miller '96.

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SPORTS

Commentary

Anyone for football and a film?

I ate turkey on Thanksgiving, but that was not the only tradition upheld this year.

The football games blared in the background as my Dad and I arrived at my Grandparents house for dinner. I got back from school late Tuesday and hadn't really talked with my Dad yet. During the school year we talk once in a while, but this day is special for both of us.

Everything was perfect as always. My grandparents were preparing the meal and refusing any help. Of course there was too much to eat, and we felt stuffed, but we relaxed at the end.

We started to watch the games on television. Every year we finish dinner early so we don't miss any football.

The names of the players we talk about change every year but that doesn't matter. We are bombarded with commercial after commercial about beer and cars, but remain transfixed in front of the screen. We know watching football is our favorite tradition.

Our conversation about sports eventually funnels into issues that really matter. We talk about school, relationships, jobs, siblings, etc., while we complain about the calls that affected our favorite teams. We talk about the future as John Madden draws another one of his useless diagrams. I can't explain this phenomena, but football acts as a catalyst for communication between my Dad and me.

As we arrived home, stuffed and sleepy, I turned the TV on to see Kevin Costner appear. Normally, I can't stand his acting, but in *Field of Dreams* he is magnificent. In one scene Costner has a catch with the father he refused to speak to because of differences. They get together one last time for the ultimate bonding on a baseball field in Iowa (see movie for more details).

I quickly remembered the magic of having a catch with my Dad. There is not a stronger bonding experience in my book. I wanted to throw the ball around at that second but realized that I was in an apartment 29 stories above Philadelphia (o.k., so this is not the Midwest!).

All of these activities on Thursday made me think about something. Sports act as a catalyst for communication between individuals throughout this country and the rest of the World. Unfortunately this fact is rarely recognized. Sports have played a huge part in my childhood and I know many readers out there can say the same.

I just want to thank the NFL and Kevin Costner for reminding me about my Dad this Thanksgiving. Oh, thanks Grandma for the great food!

I can't fully explain what happened but it worked, again.

Keith
Keith Nigro, Sports Editor

Lady Bison make first home appearance

BY JEAN TANTIMOTO

The Bucknell Women's basketball team made their first showing at Davis Gym for the 1994-95 season, dropping a close one to Monmouth College Wednesday night. The Bison got off to a sluggish start, hitting just six of 20 field goal attempts, quickly falling behind, 39-15 going into the half.

The Lady Bison came out fighting in the second half, mounting

a serious rally against Monmouth. Dominating the second half were the Bison, outscoring the Hawks, 36-19. This valiant effort was sparked by aggressive play in the paint by Kristen Lloyd '98 and a pair of three-pointers by Beth Coffey '97 and Chiara Sockel '97. At the ten minute marker the Bison had completed an 16-2 run and cut Monmouth's lead to 11.

Following a three-pointer by Carolyn Mangan '95, with 1:08

left, Shannon McGowan '97 hit two free throws to bring the gap to just six points at 54-49. That is the closest the Bison would come to the near victory though. The Hawks of Monmouth were able to hold of the Bison for the win, 58-51, bringing their record to 2-1. The Bison fell to 0-3.

McGowan led Bucknell in scoring with 11 points also grabbing 11 rebounds. Casey Hollister '96 also turned in a good game with 10 points and 10 rebounds. Lloyd added 10 points to the losing effort as well.

"In the second half we shot the open shot and really played under much better control," said Bucknell head coach Juliene Simpson after the game. "We are still a very young club, I thought Carolyn Mangan did a very good job for us. She really gave us stability, which is an element we don't always have for 40 minutes." The Bison were not able to pull off a victory, however, the play in the second half in which they played with more focus and cut down on the turnovers may be an indication of hope for a successful season.

Scoring for the Hawks were

Erin Addesso, with an impressive 17 points and 10 boards, and Ramona Johnson with 10 points.

Bucknell's women got in some playing time over the Thanksgiving break as well, dropping their first two games to Mt. Saint Mary's and American University. Although they've been slow out of the starters box they players and coaches seem to be optimistic about the season.

They began their holiday expedition at Knott Arena in Maryland to visit Mt. Saint Mary's College. This afternoon contest started off encouraging, with Bucknell being down by only six at the half, 26-32. Despite the efforts of starters K.C. Vlah '96 and Casey Hollister, who combined for 20 pts, the close halftime margin increased, with the Bison eventually losing 47-79. Shannon McGowan also contributed to the effort with seven rebounds and a blocked shot.

Mt. Saint Mary's was led by starting center Susie Rowlyk who had 22 points and pulled down nine boards. Kris Bryant added 13 points to the win.

Turnovers were a key difference in this game. Bucknell had 30

compared to Mt. Saint Mary's 11. Holding on to the ball is one of the problems that the Bison need to work on in order to turn this season around.

On the 28th, while most of us were cramming to get some neglected holiday homework done the Lady Bison were in the nation's capital playing American University. It was another close one going into the half. They were down by less than 10, 24-33. The Bison had another strong showing from Casey Hollister who had 10 points and five rebounds. Carolyn Mangan came off the bench to had twelve points. Although they were only outscored by five in the second half it wasn't enough to pull out a win for Bucknell. The final score was 48-62.

Scoring for American were Stacy Meeker with thirteen points and Ally Baker with 11 points and seven rebounds.

The Bison are looking ahead to their first Patriot League game on January 7 at home against the Navy's Midshipwomen. Navy, who is predicted to finish fifth in the league should prove to be a formidable opponent.



Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian

Casey Hollister '96 scored 10 points and had 10 rebounds against Monmouth Wednesday evening. The Lady Bison's next game is this Saturday at Kent.

Bison Calendar

Friday, Dec. 2	WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD INVITATIONAL PENTATHALON	12:00
	MEN'S TRACK AND FIELD INVITATIONAL PENTATHALON	12:00
Saturday, Dec. 3	WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD INVITATIONAL	9:00a
	MEN'S TRACK AND FIELD INVITATIONAL	9:00a
	Wrestling: Sheridan Invitational at Lehigh	10:00
	Men's swimming at Duquesne	1:00
	Women's swimming at Duquesne	1:00
	Women's basketball at Kent State	7:00
	Men's basketball at Maryland	8:00
Sunday, Dec. 4	Women's basketball at Akron	3:00
Monday, Dec. 5	JV BASKETBALL VS. SUSQUEHANNA	8:00
Tuesday, Dec. 6	WOMEN'S BASKETBALL VS. PALMER	7:30

The refs of the NFL

Is it time for a change in rules regarding instant replay?

BY LOU SKENDERIS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Throughout the history of sports, the incompetency of refs, umps, (or whatever) has been the age-old beef with most fans, players, and coaches alike. This year's inconsistency of penalty-calling by NFL (that's "National Football League" for you soccer fans) refs is but the latest in the saga of NFL ref problems. One call in particular that I am having a huge problem with, "Pass Interference," has "drawn the flag" at least half a dozen times in each game. And it seems to me that it is called when the refs are the most jittery; in big games, on big-gain situations.

In the past, what made a Wide Receiver great was his ability to elude the Cornerback and/or Safety. This was not as easy as it sounds, for there existed an ongoing battle of pushing, shoving, pulling, tugging, and hand slap-

ping between the receiver and the defenseman. That's simply part of the game. But today, I don't know how a new Wide Receiver will make his mark in the books, let alone catch a ball for a legitimate completion.

It all started with the new "5 yards" rule, as it has come to be known. This regulation dictates that a defenseman can not PUSH a receiver when he is more than five yards downfield from the line of scrimmage. The refs though, in their own heads, have extended this rule to include ANY TOUCHING whatsoever, five yards downfield. How is the coverman supposed to do his job? "Pass Interference" used to (just last season) only be called when the defenseman directly interfered with the receiver trying to catch the ball while it was in the air. In addition, the rule books state that the defenseman has just as much right to that football as does the offensive

receiver. Hence if the two touched each other going for the ball, it was deemed "Incidental contact".

By contrast, I have a case that exemplifies the patheticness of both my above points. In the Pittsburgh/Houston game, when a Linebacker (I think it was a Linebacker) came over the shoulder of the receiver and caught the ball (WITHOUT BARELY TOUCHING THE RECEIVER!!!) he was flagged for "Pass Interference." What a hunk of cow manure! Number one, TV's instant replay showed minimal contact (which used to be allowed), and number two, it is "Incidental contact" (what little there was) anyway. Instead of an interception, that poor defenseman (and his team) were penalized 15 yards and an automatic first down.

It may be time to bring back Instant Replay (an amended version, of course), and make the refs full-time employees of the NFL.

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Bucknellian Sports Trivia Quiz

1. For What NFL team did new Oiler Coach Jeff Fisher work?
2. Who is the current Women's Tennis money leader with \$2,146,665?
3. Which Melrose Place star was an All-American soccer player in college?
4. Can you name the Bucknell women's basketball player who finished third in the Patriot League in steals last year?
5. What was the name of the goon brothers in the 1970s lucky film Slapshot?

Answers

1. Fisher was an assistant for the Philadelphia Eagles; 2. A. Sanchez-Vicario; 3. Andrew Shue (Billy); 4. K. C. Vlah '96 collected 80 steals last season; 5. The Hanson's (Steve, Jeff, and Jack).

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Clear. Lows near 20. Wind light.
 Friday—Cloudy with a good chance of rain and snow. Low in the lower 20s north to around 30 south.
 Saturday—Mostly cloudy with a chance of rain. Lows in the 20s and highs in the mid 30s to mid 40s.
 Sunday—Partly cloudy. Lows in the 20s and highs in the 30s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Asres resigns as director of multicultural affairs

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

After directing multicultural affairs for over three years, Alem Asres has resigned. He left his office for the last time yesterday.

Saying that he had been looking for a better, higher paying and higher-level position, Asres took the job of assistant dean of the college of engineering at the University of Madison in Madison, Wisconsin.

As Bucknell's first director of multicultural affairs, Asres said that he feels he's achieved much of what the University originally hired him to do—develop programs that would sensitize the

campus to issues of multiculturalism.

The multicultural affairs office promotes an awareness of multicultural issues and enhances the learning and social environment at Bucknell. Asres says he did it with help from students.

"Bucknell students have been a wonderful part of this accomplishment," he said. "Bucknell should really be proud of its students of color, those in Greek organizations involved with Greeks Advocating Multicultural Education (GAME), and those involved with the group Bucknell Cultural Ambassadors (BCA)."

Comparatively speaking, Asres said that he feels the level of mul-

ticultural awareness at Bucknell is better than it was when he took the job. But in no way is it close to being enough. Much still needs to be achieved in the promotion of awareness of multicultural issues.

"We're doing a good job in that direction, but we have not done an excellent job," he said. "One step forward is good. Hopefully we'll continue moving forward. We've started good programs. I hope that multiculturalism will grow and develop so that Bucknell can be on the cutting edge of this issue."

Asres said that he believes many people perceive multiculturalism to be for minority students or people of color only, and

that it does not meet the needs of other students. What Bucknell needs to do, he said, is continue to push for "inclusivism rather than exclusivism," and to "listen to students' needs, looking inward when thinking about how to move into the 21st century."

Daisy Dominguez '95, a student intern in the Multicultural Affairs office, said that she felt Asres did a "terrific job, given the limitations that we have on this campus. We have a campus that isn't very diverse," she said. "And we're trying to teach multiculturalism to students who don't know what it is, or to others whose lives

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Alem Asres leaves his position as director of multicultural affairs to begin as assistant dean of engineering at the University of Madison in Madison, Wisconsin. Asres came to work at Bucknell during the summer of 1991.

Dance Co. leaps into action



Photo courtesy of Public Relations

Er-Dong Hu, assistant professor of dance, in "Swordsmen."

BY LAINA WILK
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

While the temperature outside continues to drop, the thermometer in the University Theatre continues to rise.

The Bucknell Dance Company will perform their annual fall concert at 8 p.m. tomorrow and Saturday evening. This year's concert, which Danna Frangione, professor of dance, promises to be "remarkably entertaining," follows in the steps of this semester's campus-wide focus on China.

Er-Dong Hu, professor of dance and

new Bucknell faculty member, will perform "Swordsmen."

An award-winning piece, "Swordsmen" is danced in the style of classical Chinese Opera. In this difficult, acrobatic style, there is a focus on expression, especially of the eyes. Frangione noted that Hu is an expert on this traditional Chinese form of dance.

"If you look this style up in the textbook, Er-Dong's picture would be there," Frangione said. The "Swordsmen" is the tale of a general who gets intoxicated the night before going into battle.

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Coal's future uncertain at power plant

BY KATE ARDINGER
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

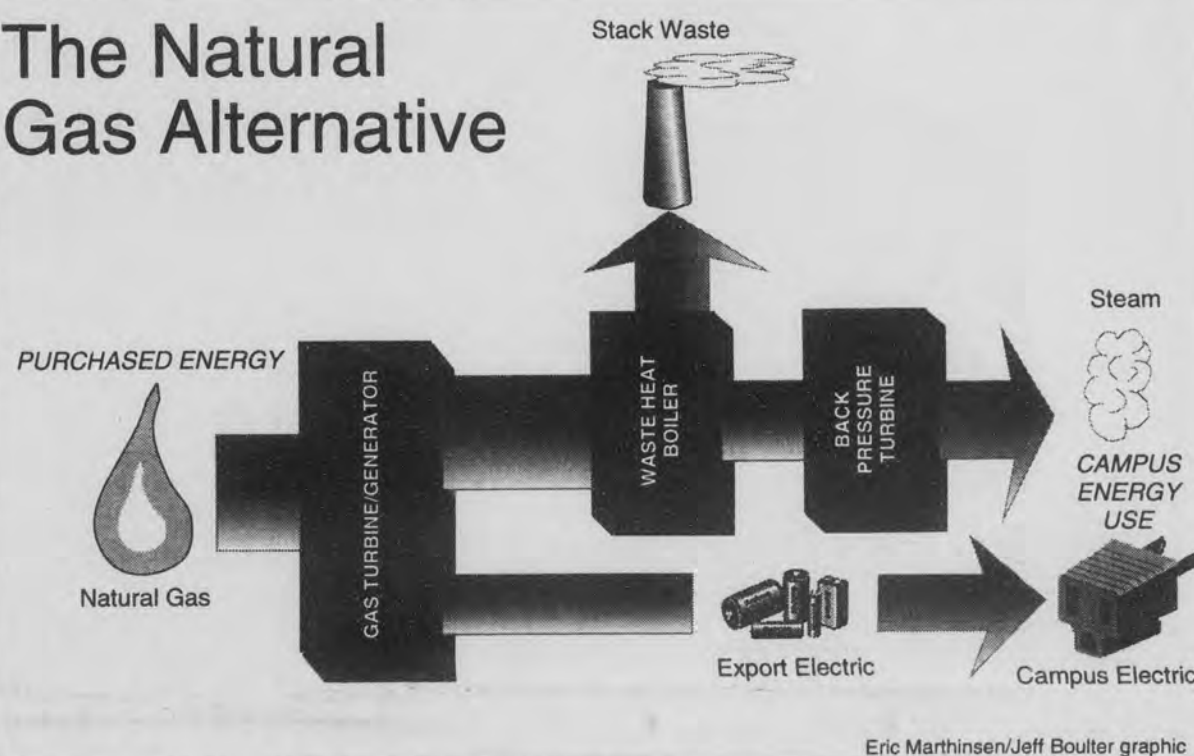
In the near future, Bucknell may be hit by a wave of innovative technology that is "greener" and cleaner for the University.

Bucknell is considering building a more efficient co-generation plant using natural gas instead of coal. The motivation behind this project, which has been progressing for the past five years, is the need to replace the existing power plant located on River Road. The Walter C. Geiger Physical Plant Building, which has been supplying the University's steaming needs since 1948, is no longer able to meet the increased energy demands of the University.

On Nov. 12, the subcommittee on Buildings and Grounds, a subcommittee of the Board of Trustees' Financial Committee, met with Dennis Hawley, director of Physical Plant and Michael Noll, manager of Energy and Utilities, to discuss progress with plans to construct a new co-generation plant at the University.

Two alternatives, the Large Plant option and the Small Plant option, are being considered. Instead of coal, both plants would use natural gas—a much cleaner fossil fuel, according to Noll. The University spends \$1.25 million annually on

The Natural Gas Alternative



Eric Mathinsen/Jeff Boulter graphic

Using natural gas as fuel for a new power plant would allow Bucknell to meet its increased energy needs as well as sell extra energy generated back to the local power plants.

Trustees examine options for generating power

BY KATE ARDINGER
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Board of Trustees is considering two co-generation designs to replace the 46-year old Walter C. Geiger power plant that is running out of steam.

The Geiger Plant, which uses coal and has increased its pollution emissions in the past few years as a result of increased steam demands, no longer has the steam capacity to meet the University's increasing energy needs.

The two plant designs that are being considered are referred to as the Large

Plant and the Small Plant. Both plants would use natural gas as their fuel—a cleaner fuel than coal and more environmentally acceptable and would be able to co-generate steam into thermal energy and produce a by-product of electrical energy.

More expensive than coal, natural gas might eliminate the cost of purchasing electricity if it is used to generate electricity. The existing plant is able to supply the total thermal needs of the campus and only 20 percent of its electrical needs. Consequently, the University

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Delta Upsilon implicated in spruce run



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 Vince DeCerio, director of Public Safety, and James Middleton investigate one of the locations where members of Delta Upsilon fraternity are alleged to have stolen spruce trees. At the time of this story, the investigation into the thefts was not complete.

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Getting swept into the Christmas spirit is a natural part of the holiday season. This season, members of Delta Upsilon fraternity may be called the grinch who stole Christmas.

East Buffalo Township police suspect that that members of the fraternity liberated spruce trees from the yards of two Lewisburg residents.

As a result of the incident, Ed Dadez, an associate dean of students, said the University cancelled the fraternity's winter formals, which were to be held this weekend, because there were "criminal violations leading to the formal."

Chris McCarthy '95, president of DU, declined to comment on the incident.

Dadez also said that the University will file internal charges against the fraternity for disorderly conduct, violation of state, federal and municipal law, and property violations.

Gerald Commerford, an associate dean of students, said that even though the incident took place off campus, "when an incident adversely affects the community, the University has the right and the ob-

ligation to file charges with the student judicial system."

Though one resident has agreed to accept restitution for the approximate \$3,000 loss in lieu of filing charges, Katherine Wheatcroft, a lecturer in English at Bucknell, intends to file criminal charges with the East Buffalo Township Police department pending the investigation of the theft of three trees, worth approximately \$550.

According to Chief of Police Barry Hosterman, at about 9 p.m. on Monday night, Dr. Paul S. Lin of Lewisburg reported the theft of six trees from his house on Turtle Creek Road. When officers reported to the scene, a rental van from King Car Sales was seen in the area, said Hosterman.

Officer Klinger of the East Buffalo Township police traced the van to a student at Bucknell, and with the help of Bucknell Public Safety and Lewisburg police, Klinger located the vehicle and the remains of four trees near the Delta Upsilon house. A member of the house was approached and questioned.

On Tuesday morning, Wheatcroft notified Public Safety of the thefts on her property, and the complaint was referred to the East Buffalo Township Police Department.

Decision up in air... Tobacco sales still debated

BY KAREN WATERS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The proposal to ban the sale of cigarettes and tobacco products in the convenience store has been a highly debated issue amongst smokers and non-smokers of the university.

It is such a highly debated issue that at the recent Committee on Complimentary Activities

(CCA) meeting a clear majority in support or against the issue could not be attained.

Initially Ruth Burnham, associate dean of students who proposed the ban of tobacco sales in the convenience store discussed the idea with Kevin Kaminski '95, chair of CCA. In voting upon the proposal to ban the sale of tobacco

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 Keith Nigro '96, sports editor leads the male round-table discussion in "He said, She said." See page 11

Gary Grant—inspirational teacher



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Gary Grant, chair and associate professor of theatre, is the most recent recipient of the class of 1956 Lectureship award for Inspirational Teaching. He gave his formal lecture Dec. 1.

BY CATHIE ANDREASEN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Have you ever sat on the edge of your seat, listening to a lecture? Have you ever found yourself fixated on every syllable that fell from a professor's mouth?

Such captivating oration is rare, and definitely deserving of recognition.

"After looking over the past recipients, I feel extremely honored to have been placed among their ranks," Grant said.

Grant was given one year to present a formal lecture that expounded his teaching talents.

"Teaching is a matter of interaction," Grant said in his unique lecture "How I Stopped Worrying and Learned to Love Post Modernism."

The lecture, performed Dec. 1 in the Langone Center Forum.

He demonstrated his expertise by combining slides, videos and live actors in his presentation, dramatically enhancing his lecture.

"I thought that it was essential that my students be a part of this presentation," he said. "Without their devotion to their own exploration in the theatre, their willingness to take risks and go with me on artistic journeys of uncertain destination, to continue to probe and question my explanation of post modern theatre, I would not be teaching or directing, and I would not have found such fulfillment in my vocation."

It was for this reason that the class of '56 banded together to establish the Lectureship Award for Inspirational Teaching. This prestigious award has been presented annually for 38 years to the most prolific of Bucknell's professors.

Professor Gary Grant, chair and associate professor of theatre, was the most recent recipient of the award.

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co, CCA's decision was split, according to Kaminski, "we could not get a clear majority on the issue."

In discussing the issues relevant to the proposed ban, both the students and faculty which constitute CCA arrived at two different positions, stated Kaminski, "First it is a moral issue in that if we ban smoking in the Bison, by promoting tobacco products in the building it is inconsistent with the ban on smoking." Secondly, smoking is a health issue, yet as Kaminski noted, "It is an individuals personal choice to smoke."

At this point in the development of the proposal, Kaminski stated that CCA has "exhausted discussions and cannot conclude any one decision." Such a divided decision Kaminski stated, delineates the fact that "CCA could not truly represent the feelings of the entire faculty and student body."

The strength of the CCA is limited, Kaminski stated, because it places only "a little strength behind an issue." In deciding to let the issue concerning the ban of selling tobacco in the convenience store, the CCA is not ignoring the issue but waiting for hopes of other interest groups to acknowledge the issue so that as Kaminski states, "they may assist them."

ASRES

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Asres faced some adversity last spring when several students who did not agree with his views on some multicultural issues wrote a letter of complaint to Barbara Shaller, vice president of student affairs. They attempted to file with the Bucknell Student Government their grievances about their dissatisfaction with the multicultural center, and Asres's performance as director said Keith Tobias '96, Bucknell Student Government (BSG) president.

"We respected their opinions, but thought that BSG was a very inappropriate place in which to resolve those issues," said Tike Williams '95, a student who involves herself strongly in multicultural affairs on campus.

"I think that Alem was effective as far as promoting multiculturalism on campus and working with the faculty and administration, but I don't think that he was as effective with the students. With a Ph.D., he was already very accomplished. Perhaps a younger director, a graduate student or someone just out of college would be able to relate to students better," Williams said.

"I can't satisfy everybody, Asres said. "Everybody wants to make an issue about something. But last spring's controversy, Asres said, had nothing to do with his decision to leave Bucknell.

Shaller will be meeting tomorrow with the Multicultural Affairs Office advisory board, which consists of faculty members, administrators, and students, to discuss the board's interest in the position and their sense of the way the position is currently configured. After that, the University will advertise for the position.

"I think we'd like somebody who will continue the tradition that Alem Asres began here," Shaller said. "We'd like somebody who will work closely with all the students on campus."

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Tuesday, November 29

At 4 p.m., officers met with a student concerning harassing mail that the student has received. Investigation is being conducted.

Wednesday, November 30

Officers were dispatched at 9 p.m., to the fieldhouse for a reported injured person. The victim, a visitor, was transported to Evangelical ER by ambulance to be treated for a possible fracture.

A student from an out-of-state college contacted Public Safety concerning some e-mail that had been sent to her from a student at Bucknell. The e-mail was harassing in nature. Investigation is continuing.

Thursday, December 1

At 12:57 a.m., officers were dispatched to the front of Kress Hall for a reported loud explosion that had just occurred. On arrival officers found the source of the noise to be a discharged bottle rocket, shot off by person(s) unknown.

A brother from Phi Gamma Delta reported the theft of his bike from the first floor, common area of the house. He stated that he noticed the bike missing on Nov. 15. Missing property valued at \$700.

Friday, December 2

Officers investigated an incident of unknown person(s) leaving the scene of an accident which occurred at 5:50 p.m., on Moore Avenue. There were no injuries when an unidentified vehicle backed out of a parking space striking a student's vehicle while she was driving east on Moore Ave.

Officers responded at 10:51 p.m., to Phi Kappa Psi for a reported fire alarm activation. Upon arrival officers found that person(s) unknown had either thrown or placed a smoke grenade in the kitchen area, which filled the first floor with heavy smoke. Once the building was ventilated, the alarm system was reset. Investigation continuing.

Officers responded at 5:24 a.m., to the first floor, west wing of Vedder Hall for a fire alarm activation. Unknown person(s) did activate a pull station for no apparent reason. Station and alarm system were reset.

At 11:47 p.m., officers were dispatched to the rear of Hunt Hall for a reported recycling bin on fire. On arrival, officers were able to extinguish the blaze with several fire extinguishers. William Cameron Fire Company also responded and hosed down the bin to assure it was extinguished. Investigation continuing into the cause of the suspicious fire.

A resident of Larison Hall reported that unknown person(s) did throw a rock through his bedroom window, breaking it. No other damage was noted in the room.

Sunday, December 4

At 12:12 a.m., Public Safety Officers assisted Lewisburg Police Department with an assault investigation concerning an incident which occurred in front of Hunt Hall.

A resident of Bucknell West reported that between 5:30 p.m., Dec. 3 and 11:00 a.m. this date, unknown person(s) did enter his unlocked vehicle and damage the ignition system and remove the gear shift knob, while the vehicle was parked at the mode.

At 2:26 p.m., officers responded to Bucknell West for a fire alarm activation. On arrival at the apartment, officers found a small fire on the stove that was immediately extinguished. The cause of the fire occurred when one of the residents placed a plastic container on a hot burner.

A student reported the theft of his bike from the Coleman Hall bike rack. Bike was taken sometime between 8:30 a.m., on Nov. 22. Property valued at \$800.

Monday, December 5

A resident of Swartz Hall reported the theft of her quick-release bike seat and post, from her bike which was secured to the rack at the rear of the building. Theft occurred sometime between Nov. 20 and Dec. 4. Estimated value of stolen seat: \$75.

At 9:37 p.m., officers responded to Bucknell West for a reported individual in need of medical assistance. An ambulance was dispatched and transported the victim to Evangelical ER for treatment.

Public Safety Officers were requested to assist East Buffalo Police in reference to the theft of Christmas trees from off-campus locations. Investigation revealed that the trees were removed by members of Delta Upsilon fraternity. Charges pending.

Tuesday, December 6

Officers responded at 12:52 a.m., to a Bucknell West apartment for a reported act of vandalism. It appears that unknown person(s) did use a pellet gun to break a pane of glass at the mode.

A resident of Smith Hall reported that unauthorized person(s) did enter his room sometime between 1:40 a.m. and 2 a.m., this date, and go through his personal belongings. It is unknown at this time if anything was actually removed from the room. Investigation continuing.

At 4:25 a.m., officers were notified by the ELC custodian of a possible suspicious person in a car parked in the Moore Avenue lot. Officers identified the subject as someone who had no legitimate purpose to be on campus. He was then escorted off campus.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

Life in the 1990s This time around, students opt to visit Vietnam



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Aaron Burgamy '96 opted to study abroad during the second semester of his junior year in South Vietnam rather than in a European country.

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Aaron Burgamy '96 will be the first Bucknell student to spend his semester abroad in the country of Vietnam.

Burgamy will be visiting Vietnam for his second semester through the School for International Training, an accredited college in Vermont.

Through this program, Bucknell has been able to send students all across the globe to such places as Madagascar, Morocco, Indonesia, Jamaica, Thailand, India, Ireland, Russia, Mexico, Brazil, and Venezuela. Barbara Rowe, director of the Office of International Education, describes the college courses that are given as, "non-traditional programs in non-traditional destinations for American students. The school tries to place students in countries that normally are not where Americans students have traditionally studied [Europe]," she said.

Deciding to spend his second semester in Vietnam was not that tough of a choice for Burgamy. "It was kind of a seat of my pants sort of decision," he said. "It was a country I did not know a whole lot about, and I really did not want to go to Europe for my abroad program."

"The reaction of most of the people I have talked to have been really surprised that that is where I would want to spend my semester abroad," he said. "There have been a few people who have thought that I am a fool. Besides that, most people really did not understand why I would choose Vietnam."

For Rowe it makes perfect sense for a student to go to a country that is re-establishing itself and its relations with other countries. She pointed out how it is extremely nice for her to see Burgamy choose to spend his time in Vietnam.

"I came of age during the U.S. involvement in Vietnam," Rowe said. "For me it is a real pleasure to send a young man to Vietnam with a bag, not a rifle."

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Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

A new power plant that used natural gas would eliminate much of the pollutants that burning coal releases into the environment.

purchased electricity. Both plants offer a financial pay-back to the University. They would be able to co-generate steam to meet the campus's thermal and electrical needs.

"One of the real financially attractive features of this project is that we will repay our capital costs with the avoided electrical costs. Unlike most of what we do around here, this project will be self-funding," said Barry Maxwell, vice president of administration.

While the two options are very similar there are a few basic differences between the two plants. The Large Plant would cost approximately \$14 million to construct. It would have two gas turbines that would be able to provide enough steam to meet both the University's electrical and thermal needs, as well as have excess electricity for export.

The Small Plant Option would cost approximately \$10 million, and contain only one gas turbine. The plant would generate just enough electrical and thermal energy to meet the University's

needs, without any left-over electricity for export. In addition to the Large Plant option and the Small Plant option, other alternatives that would upgrade the existing 46-year old plant have been studied. But these would increase the annual operating costs upwards of \$200,000.

"It's a real financial dilemma, because the trustees look at dollars, the students look at greenness, the physical plant people running the plant look at having enough capacity to run and to be able to replace this plant," Noll said.

The trustees understand the need to build a new plant, but also realize that they are looking at a major capital expenditure. "Clearly I think the trustees recognize that we have no alternative other than to expand and deal with the power plant issue...I think the trustees want very much to make sure that we're offering the best technological solution at the least cost," Maxwell said.

Three outcomes were decided at the Trustee meeting for the progression of the plant designs. Authorization was granted to obtain a stand-by boiler and related support equipment as emergency backup for the power plant this winter. Emergency precautions have been taken for this winter to avoid power outages like the one that occurred last winter when a boiler broke down, leaving the University without adequate thermal capacity for a few days.

The Trustees also authorized Noll and Hawley to proceed with the design and permit process for the Large Plant. But the installation of the second turbine will be delayed until the sale of electricity works out economically and/or the University's electrical capacity needs increase. In short, Hawley and Noll are going to permit for the Large Plant, but only construct Small Plant with the future opportunity to expand and build the second turbine.

Finally, an experienced technical manager for the project will be hired.

"Leftfield" garners national attention

Steve McNutt '95 discusses humor, inspiration, and controversial issues



BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Walking around campus, hearing people say funny things, and thinking while lying in bed inspires Steve McNutt '95's weekly clips of humor in "Leftfield," the cartoon that runs weekly in *The Bucknellian*.

McNutt recently received second place in the category of Cartoon Strip at the College Media Advisors Student Awards Program. Judged by Dick Locher, the editorial cartoonist for the Chicago Tribune, the cartoon addressed the issue of homophobia.

Does McNutt have his fingers on the pulse of Bucknellian thought? He laughs, "If I really knew, it would probably be funnier." But McNutt has not been amiss in his topics for parody.

He finds that much of his humor is Bucknell specific because, in a smaller sphere, there are a lot of issues in common to students and faculty.

One of his characters was generated from trip he took with Bucknell to Guatemala. While there, he found himself caricaturing the members of his class.

So should you be looking over your shoulder for what you're saying in case it should spur some crazy cartoonist to provide some commentary on it? "Nah," says McNutt.

But anyone who reads "Leftfield" on a regular basis knows that the Greek system has had quite a few jokes directed at it from "Leftfield." McNutt says that his strip is not intentionally anti-greek or intended to be confrontational, just controversial.

He started with a high school newspaper where one of his strips was censored. But doing the controversial thing is what elicits response. "They have to be eliciting response or controversial in order to keep myself interested. If there was a chess club (and I don't even know if there is a chess club on campus) and that was the biggest thing" then McNutt speculates that they would be at the brunt of the parody.

McNutt says that he targets the Greek system because it is so big on campus. "It was the Night Before Bid-day" is the most popular cartoon I've ever done," says McNutt. He received phone calls, e-mail, and comments from the many people that approached him about that particular strip.

Last semester's readers will recall Professor Peterc being at the butt of "Leftfield" humor. "But that is the kind of thing that was received well because he saw the humor in it and is one of the

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sity spends \$1.25 million annually on purchased electricity.

The Small Plant design would contain one gas turbine, two waste-heat boilers and one conventional boiler. The projected cost of this facility is estimated at \$10 million. This plant would produce just enough electricity and thermal energy to meet the University's requirement.

In order to perform this task, the natural gas would be combusted in a jet engine. The combination of a topping and a bottoming cycle would make it possible to co-generate the steam to produce both thermal energy and electricity. This alleviates the purchase of electricity and therefore creates an annual savings of about \$600,000 for the University.

The Large Plant alternative is the greenest option that the University is considering. This alternative would cost approximately \$14 million. The plant would consist of two gas turbines, two waste heat boilers and one conventional boiler through which the University's electrical and thermal needs would be met.

With the additional turbine, the plant would be able to co-generate electricity beyond the campus's requirement. This additional electricity could be exported to the local Utilities Company. The total savings in annual operating costs would be approximately \$1,000,000 because of avoided electrical costs.

Rather than leaning toward the alternatives of upgrading the existing Geiger plant, the goal of the project has shifted toward replacing the plant in order to reduce the overall operating costs of the facility. The first cost of upgrading the Geiger Plant would be much less than building an entirely new power plant, but the University would have to continue to purchase electricity. Also, the equipment at the plant is old and difficult to replace.

Noll and Hawley will meet with the University's mechanical engineering consultant, The Kuljian Company, on Dec. 15 to discuss the two designs.



The above "Leftfield" cartoons, drawn by Steve McNutt '95, appeared in two consecutive issues of *The Bucknellian* during the spring of 1994.

most well known [professors]. Racism is also one of the more serious issues that he would like to take on. It is all in an effort to present and support controversial issues and "not to offend," says McNutt.

"I wanted people to read it [the cartoon strip "Leftfield"] because they liked it, not because they hated it."

McNutt projects that some of the topics for "Leftfield" next semester will center around the senior perspective and the collective anxiety that seniors experience as the year comes to a close and graduate school and jobs are becoming an imminent or not imminent reality.

An art and political science major, McNutt said that he is "having fun now" with what he is doing with "Leftfield." For him, the opportunity to make cartoons provides a forum for freedom of expres-

sion, and he enjoys doing strips on topics that elicit responses. "Things that are a bit controversial," says McNutt. Is there a career in the future for McNutt in the cartoon business?

Right now he is getting his portfolio together but "I think it would be pretty cool to write and draw for a living," says McNutt.

He is looking to work in a graphic design firm or in advertising sometime after graduation. "The idea of producing everyday is intimidating." But McNutt insists that he feels a need to do something worthwhile and a way of expressing himself through the media seems to be the way he is doing just that right now, judging by the number of letters and calls that he gets in response to his strips.



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The Bucknellian announces Spring 1995 staff

Kristina M. Schurr '95, has been elected Editor-in-Chief of *The Bucknellian* for the spring semester of 1995.

Schurr brings to the position one semester of experience as News editor, three as Features editor, and one as assistant Features editor.

Aiding Schurr as News Editors will be Nicole Cobban '95, who is has been senior editor, Editor-in-Chief, managing editor, and Arts and Entertainment editor for *The Bucknellian*, and Colleen Rush '95, the current Editor-in-Chief and past News and Features section editor.

Carolyn Christenson '98 will head Opinions. The Arts and Entertainment sections will combine with Features to form a Life-styles section, headed by Karin Davidson '97, Katie DeBonville '95, and Rebecca Klingler '97.

Keith Nigro '96 and Eric Shortz '98 will lead the sports sec-

tion, aided by Jeremy Flick '98, Dan Swartz '98 will serve as statistician.

Mary Anne Elma '96 will again be head copy editor. Susan Naughton '96 and Solaida Mamsang '96 will both be Photo Editors. Dave Maher '96 and Amy McGee '96 will manage the darkroom for the second semester.

Sharon Reynolds '95 will return for her third year as Production Manager.

Stephanie Bierly '97 will succeed Matt Garman '96 as business manager.

Heather Abetz '96, Amy Earle '97, and Carissa Ite '96, will manage local advertising; Jason Schaeffer '95 will resume his position as national advertising representative. Kristin Thomas '97 will do advertising layout.

Circulation manager Chris Legget '96 will continue, as will systems manager Nathaniel Clark '97.

Sojka anticipates post-presidential plans



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
When William Adams steps into the presidency, President Sojka will teach in the biology department.

BY JEN ANDREWS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"For the first time in thirty-three years I haven't had a full calendar of things to do but I'm sure I'll fill it up," said President Gary Sojka, when asked about his plans for the future.

His ten year reign as President is ending, but Sojka will not be leaving Bucknell. He will be teaching in the Biology Department.

Sojka put in a request to teach Biology courses for non-majors. However, what he will teach is up to the department. Sojka feels that America has a problem in the area of general science literacy. "It is a worthy problem to work on and improve," he said.

When Sojka was offered the position of president, he did so with the understanding that he would be able to teach when he resigned as president. Sojka said,

"I wanted to join a faculty." Now, with a great deal of enthusiasm, Sojka will do just that. Sojka will begin teaching in the fall of 1996. In the meantime, however, he has offered to assist the new President, William "Bro" Adams in his transition. "My feelings will not be hurt if Bro does not need my help, but I have let him know that I am willing to help him."

Sojka will also continue to be involved in some of the external University committees.

In his career, Sojka has never taken a sabbatical. This time, though, he feels that he will need some time to prepare for teaching. Sojka is looking forward to the new opportunities that are to come his way. "I am willing to do my best to help Bro and to teach what the Biology department wants me to teach."

News Briefs

World Events

Rebel Serbs Trick United Nations

The Bosnian Serbs stepped up their humiliation of United Nations personnel today, promising to release an officer who was suffering from a heart ailment, only to renege by taking two more soldiers captive.

Four days after the Bosnian Serb leader, Radovan Karadzic, promised to release all detained United Nations personnel, 349 are still being held. These do not include the 1,200 member Bangladesh battalion trapped inside the besieged Bihać pocket in northwest Bosnia.

The incident yesterday occurred at Banja Luka, the largest town in Serbian-held Bosnia territory, where three United Nations officers have been held for more than two weeks. Maj. Ziad Hussein, who is suffering from a serious heart condition was supposed to have been replaced by a United Nations officer today. However, the Serbs refused to free the ailing Jordanian and detain three officers, using them occasionally as "human shields."

—New York Times

National Events

Moderate Dems criticize Clinton

President Clinton, the target of criticism from moderate democrats, has offered a spirited defense of his record.

The president commented in an address to the democratic leadership council in Washington Tuesday evening.

Earlier in the day, D.L.C. chairman Dave McCurdy referred to Clinton as a "transitional figure" who had cost democratic moderates credibility.

Clinton made no discreet reference to McCurdy's criticism, but at one point, he said the D.L.C. and its leaders have a responsibility to join him "in the arena, not in the peanut gallery."

Clinton rattled off a list of his administration's accomplishments, from deficit reduction to job creation and expanded trade. Yet, he said that democrats must convince blue-collar Americans that the party will ultimately help them.

—Associated Press

Cigarette packaging examined

Saying that that cigarette packages deceive smokers, a federal panel of tobacco experts is calling for changes.

The panel says cigarette packages list very low tar and nicotine contents and should instead disclose the maximum amount smokers can inhale.

Panel members also say cigarettes should list the carcinogens they contain, warn that certain smoking habits increase absorption of those chemicals, and add a disclaimer that "light" brands aren't really less harmful.

The panel's recommendations came at the request of the federal trade commission and Congress. There had been complaints that F.T.C. designed testing of cigarettes' tar and nicotine deceive smokers into thinking low-yield brands are less threatening.

Industry representatives don't say if they will challenge the recommendations.

—Associated Press

Binge drinking harms students

More than two-fifths of college students are binge drinkers who make life miserable for other students.

So says a new survey on the problem. The survey of close to 17,600 students on 140 campuses nationwide found 44 percent reported binge drinking. At about one-third of the schools, more than 50 percent of students say they're bingers.

At the big-drinking schools, sober students were twice as likely as those at the lowest level schools to be insulted or assaulted. They also were more likely to get unwanted sexual advances from drinking students.

Further, sober students are about two and a half times as likely to sustain property damage.

The study at the Harvard School of Public Health is in "the journal of the American Medical Association."

—Associated Press

Santa found on information highway

The recent e-mail mania has swept through the North Pole like cold December breeze. Santa now has several e-mail addresses for children across the country.

WNYT in Albany offers an e-mail site (santa@newslike13.com) on K's news department's public bulletin board. Internet Access in Ottawa, Canada (santa@northpole.net) has a similar program, but actually responds to callers with messages from Santa, the elves, and information about weather on the North Pole.

The CityLink Web project (http://www.neosoft.com/citylink) has included on their system a copy of a letter from Santa that parents can send to their children.

Another stop on the Web, http://north.pole.org, includes carols and pictures, and an e-mail address (santa@north.pole.org) which Santa himself answers.

—USA Today

On Campus

Upcoming dates to remember

Classes end Tuesday, Dec. 13 at 10 p.m. Reading period is Wednesday, Dec. 14. Final exams begin Thursday, Dec. 15, running until Thursday, Dec. 22.

Registration for second semester starts at 8 a.m., Jan. 24. Classes begin at 8 a.m., Jan. 25.

News Briefs compiled by Karen Waters '96

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Candlelight service celebrates Christmas spirit

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Picture this scene: It's a cold December night, and you're facing that all-too-familiar pre-finals panic. The media tells you that you should be smiling at everyone you meet and decking the halls, yet you wonder how you'll ever get into the holiday spirit with all the work that you have to do...until, while cleaning off your desk, you find the ticket that will get you into Rooke Chapel at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Sunday, or Tuesday evening for the traditional Candlelight service of lessons and carols.

According to Dr. William Payne, chair of the department of music, the Candlelight services were instituted about twenty years ago, when the late Dr. William McRae was the director of the Rooke Chapel Choir. Since then the annual holiday event has continued to grow in popularity, both with Bucknell students and with members of the Lewisburg community.

"All of the tickets for this year's three services have been distributed already," said Becky Lawson '95. Lawson, who has been a member of the Chapel Choir since her first year at Bucknell, stated that



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Jeanne Mellish '95, Jamie Krauk '98 and Michael Phillips '96 rehearse as part of the Chapel Choir for the Candlelight service at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sunday, and Tuesday in Rooke Chapel.

the chapel has been "packed" for every service since her participation in the Bucknell tradition began.

The services involve a huge time commitment from choir members, the Rooke Chapel Ring-

ers, and the Bucknellians who volunteer their time and effort as ushers, readers, as well as additional bell-ringers. Ringers and singers alike are in the chapel for about four hours on the night of each service; not to mention the num-

ber of rehearsal hours that take place during the weeks prior to the services.

Three services will take place this year, although in the past three years, four services have been held. In addition to being at-

tended by thousands of members of the Lewisburg community, the service is videotaped every four years for broadcast on public television stations throughout the country. In this manner, the Candlelight services held at Rooke Chapel are seen and enjoyed by a huge, diverse audience each holiday season. Lawson suspects that next year four services will be held so that the audience will not be restricted due to the videotaping process.

"I think it's important to remember that the service is a service," Lawson commented. She continued, "The idea behind the function is that it's a candlelight service of lessons and carols. While the music is of concert level, the Biblical retelling of the Christmas story is the reason for the service."

As a participant in the service, Lawson's perspective of the event is slightly different than that of an observer. "We [student participants] constantly need to be thinking of what happens next," Lawson explained. "It's important to remember as a participant that it's a spiritual experience for others who are watching."

As always, this year's Candlelight services will feature a wide variety of musical selections. The

works of composers ranging from the sixteenth-century composer Palestrina to the modern composer John Tavener will be performed.

The service opens with the carol *Once in Royal David's City* and soloist Catherine Hollier '96. Rooke Chapel Choir manager Jeanne Mellish '95 will be the soloist in Benjamin Britten's *Balala-low*. Soloists in the traditional Spanish carol *Riu Riu Chiu* will include Karissa Krenz '95, Kenneth Laurora '95, Arthur Thomas '96, Matthew Mehaffey '97, and Ryan Zollner '97.

The Rooke Chapel Ringers will perform a variety of works as well. According to ringer Jennifer Kelley '95, one of these will be Dr. Payne's *Psalms of Peace*.

The services will conclude in the same manner as they have for the past thirteen years, with the ringing in of Christmas by the Ringers and a group of student volunteer ringers. This tradition was brought to Bucknell by Payne. "The bells came with me!" he laughed.

This weekend, take yourself out of the study mode for a couple of hours and join the Bucknell community in celebrating the holiday. The service is sure to brighten up your finals grouch and get you into the holiday spirit!

Packwood preserves a Christmas of the past

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

If you can't wait to partake in the festivities of the Yuletide season until you get home for Christmas, Lewisburg has a few opportunities available. The Packwood House Museum will be offering a theme exhibit entitled "I'll Be Home for Christmas, If Only in My Dreams" that reminds visitors of what Christmas was like in the World War II era. The exhibit will last through Jan. 15 and recalls the "Battle of the Bulge," the last major battle on the Western Front.

The exhibit spans both the house on Market street and the gallery within, recreating 1944 holiday scenes in two distinct settings. The museum shows the many facets and realities of a wartime Christmas holiday at home and the many sacrifices that had to be made in an era marked by the uncertainty of the times. The Kelly Gallery displays World War II U.S. Armed Forces memorabilia, highlighted by realistic settings of "Christmas at the Front."

"In commemoration and recognition of the work, hardships and sacrifices by American 50 years ago during World War II, the exhibit will depict numerous authentic scenes of

the holiday period on the home and battlefronts," said John A. Malcolm, M.D., chairman of the exhibit.

A Victory Garden, a 1944 living room with Christmas tree and a dining room set for a holiday dinner are featured. The Packwood House Museum is converted into a U.S.O. canteen and in the tour center gallery, war-front scenes include occasions such as Christmas day in a German SS Prisoner of war camp and the Pacific campaign.

Also featured is the 1944 Christmas day in Bastogne, Belgium. "The selection of this specific setting draws attention to the last major battle on the Western Front where U.S. Forces had been surrounded by German Army Units for a week. The role of Pennsylvania's 28th Division is highlighted in what was to become known as the "Battle of the Bulge," said Malcolm. It is purposefully designed to remind visitors of those who experienced WWII, both those who fought in it and those too young to remember it.

Special student tours are offered at no costs and Purty Candy is providing a special treat for students attending the exhibit. Tours are conducted by the museum's administrator Joseph Dzwonchuk and his volunteer guide corps.

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EDITORIAL

Asres' influence will continue in his absence

He came to Bucknell when the word multiculturalism was loaded with concepts of political correctness and the 'other'. In a matter of years, multiculturalism has shifted from the catch-phrase of the 90s to a reality for Bucknell with his help.

Few students at Bucknell now will remember the time before there was Alem Asres, director of multicultural affairs, and though he will leave Bucknell at the conclusion of this semester, few will forget the impact he has had on changing the multicultural atmosphere on campus.

Bucknell has long been the target of criticism for being a campus that catered to a homogenous population of students, but the multicultural tone that Bucknell has taken on in the last few years with the help of multicultural affairs and Alem is one of the strongest steps toward truly diversifying the student body and educating the campus in multicultural issues.

Critics might argue that he was not radical enough to make the vast changes that Bucknell desperately needs, but his soft-spoken,

subtle manner has accomplished more by spoon-feeding multiculturalism to a campus that tends to shy away from radical changes.

His approach was quiet, but powerful. One would be hard pressed to find a cultural event on campus that has not been supported or funded by multicultural affairs, including speakers like Maya Angelou and Angela Davis.

His influence has spilled over to the minority organizations that were disconnected and not very visible before multicultural affairs was established. In a matter of years, the organizations that operated as exclusive entities have turned into focused, mutually supportive voices for minority students.

As the first director of the first multicultural center on campus, Alem's presence as an official administrator and staff member gave multicultural issues prestige and a much-needed boost on Bucknell's list of priorities. Now, diversity and multicultural education are not just admissions factors and student issues, but campus-wide concerns that are high on the University's agenda.

Alem was not alone in pushing diversity to

the forefront of the issues Bucknell faces. The campus community has been vital to the continuing progress of multicultural affairs. When Bucknell hired Alem four years ago, the University committed itself to pursuing a multicultural future, and has made slow but sure progress in establishing multicultural issues and embedding them into the daily lives of members of the campus community.

When Alem was elected as *The Bucknellian* Person of the Year in the Spring of 1993, he said, "Individuals are like pieces of a puzzle. When you put them together they form a mosaic of beautiful color." His departure from campus will certainly not put an end to the formation of that mosaic at Bucknell. As a staff that has received a tremendous amount of support from Alem, who was a member of our advisory board, our only hope is that Bucknell can find someone who can carry on Alem's progress. The University's dedication to achieving a truly diverse campus started with Alem, but continuing that commitment rests on the shoulders of his predecessor.

OPINIONS

What is the role of the Trustees in budget decisions?

"Acceptable range," not "micromanagement"

BY LEE IDELMAN

Chairman of the Board of Trustees

Given the impact of the budget upon all aspects of University life, I can readily appreciate the widespread interest and concern regarding its preparation and approval. Ultimately, the trustees bear the responsibility for the fiscal health of the institution and the prudent management of its affairs. The Board selects a president to serve as its chief executive officer. He or she in turn builds an administrative team to manage the institution on a day-to-day basis.

As part of this responsibility, the administration is charged with developing a balanced budget each year for which it must first gain approval from the trustees before implementation. Bucknell has a long history of operating effectively within its budgeted resources. No change in that procedure or mandate is foreseen.

What is under consideration for change, however, is the process by which a balanced budget can best be developed in a timely fashion. As many Bucknellians know, at least twice in recent years the trustees have felt that the proposed rate of

the budget

increase in the comprehensive fee (and thus the budget since we are 80 percent tuition and fee driven) was too large and needed to be scaled back.

In order to avoid these last minute, at times seemingly arbitrary revisions, it appears desirable for the trustees to establish a generally acceptable range for the overall comprehensive fee as early as feasible in the process and then allow the campus community to decide how best to allocate the resulting

expected revenue in a manner consistent with our stated mission. The trustees cannot (and should not) attempt to micromanage every detail of the budget. Campus input, relying heavily on the same criteria which have been used in the past, will of course remain vital in the establishment of the annual "acceptable range" for any given year. Indeed, I can conceive of no other sensible way in which to arrive at such a number without significant input from the campus community. But, it is still ultimately the trustees who must and will make that decision under the powers and obligations consistent with the University's charter and by-laws. Having followed such a procedure, and barring any major unforeseen changes in the prevailing conditions, the trustees, moreover, would then be likely to accept the final campus recommendations without significant alteration.

As the group with ultimately fiduciary responsibility for the financial health and stability of this University, the Board takes pride in the current position which Bucknell has reached among institutions of higher education. Together with the campus community, we look forward to further progress in advancing Bucknell to even greater recognition.

Loss of competitiveness and reduction of programs will occur from Trustee intervention

BY JOHN PEELER

Professor of Political Science

The Charter gives the Board of Trustees supreme authority in financial matters—and, indeed, in everything else except, possibly, the curriculum. Nevertheless, for more than twenty years the Board has collaborated in a highly participatory budget-making process that allows input by faculty, students and administrators. That input has occurred within the parameters of a basic policy agreed upon by the Planning and Budget Committee and the Board, whereby changes in comprehensive fee and compensation would be broadly linked to national economic indices and to trends in higher education. The Board's recent announcement that it would no longer be committed to using such indicators calls into question the character of future campus participation in the budget process. The Trustees appear to want continued consultation, and they would certainly be irrational to ignore what is happening in the broader national economy, or what our competition are doing. But the data tell us what has been happening:

when they see new trends emerging, they want to be able to respond even in defiance of the data.

The substantive argument behind the procedural dispute is this: Bucknell's long-standing (very conservative) strategy has been to try to stay with our principal competition in terms of both fees and compensation. The relatively solid financial condition of the University over recent decades is attributable to this consistent strategy. Important sectors of the Board (and the top Administration) are now saying that this long-standing conservative strategy is becoming risky, that the whole private sector of higher education is in danger of pricing itself out of reach of too many potential middle income students. A moderate response to this perceived dilemma has dominated our budget policy in the last few years: changes in fees and compensation are now barely above inflation. A more radical demand has been voiced in the Board in recent years: that to survive in the long-run, we must aggressively lower real costs.

The radical strategy obviously entails major changes to the institution, and poses grave risk. If revenues fail to keep pace with inflation, we would

clearly need to have some combination of the following: elimination or reduction in academic and nonacademic programs, higher enrollments, larger classes, higher teaching loads, less financial aid, lower compensation, reduction in staff, reduction in services (including library and computer), more crowded residence halls. The risk is that we might lose our claim to provide a superior education, and still fail to attract the middle income students we seek. It is simply not clear that a private institution like ours can survive with a "back-to-basics" strategy. Even if our traditional strategy were unsustainable, it is not at all clear that this radical alternative would be better.

The data available do not support the argument that the traditional strategy is in trouble. Indeed, it is paradoxical that while the Trustees are in disarray, the Administration largely immobilized by the transition, the Faculty resentful and resistant, the University's fiscal condition has never been better!

I think it imperative that we use this disagreement over the budget process as an opening into the larger and much more important issue of our institutional strategy for the beginning of the next century.

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OPINIONS

A Love Affair With Christmas

BY RICH VINNACOMBE

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

"After all, Christmas is but a big love affair to remove the wrinkles of the year with kindly remembrances."

— John Wannamaker

As the holiday season approaches, many thoughts come to mind. I can remember childhood times and my love affair with Christmas. The roaring fires, snowball fights, and the opening of presents, all made Christmas the biggest day of the year. I was always excited to get the gifts I wanted—it seemed so important. It wasn't long after all the presents were opened that the countdown to next year's Christmas began. If only Christmas would come sooner next year!

I feel much older now as I look back at last Christmas and wonder—how could it be here again so fast? Only a short while ago I was running through these same quiet, Christmas lit streets of Lewisburg on a cold winter's night. I do recall the wrinkles of a year, though—the wrinkles of my heart; whether they were the wrinkles of happy times with someone special or the wrinkles of sad and lonely times. My love affair with Christmas has changed into something new.

I've realized that I don't need to receive presents anymore—not really. In fact, it seems to make more sense to give them. The surprising thing about Christmas gifts though is that most of the time I seem to give the wrong thing. When I should give hope—instead I give a tape. When I should give charity—instead I give a card. When I should give love—instead I give a teddy bear. Sometimes it's impossible to give a gift which shows how much you care for someone. Perhaps these are the loved ones that we should give our prayers to. Maybe for their sake and ours we should learn to see Christmas through the eyes of a child again. We should remove the wrinkles of the past year with kindly remembrances and fill the new year with hope, charity, and love. Could you imagine every day like Christmas day?

"It is good to be children sometimes, and never better than at Christmas, when its mighty Founder was a child himself."

—Charles Dickens



Treading Water

by Scott Albright

conclusion of the series



Thick, heavy raindrops find their way under the bent brim of Calvin Peale's Mets cap, coating his cheeks like cold tears as he walks home from the UC, a backpack and chip on his aching shoulder. Looking up at the sky, he notices that a defined gray cloud is hovering overhead in a sea of rich blue; he feels like one of those cartoon characters that a vengeful thunderhead follows regardless of his efforts to hide, stinging him comically in the rear with a sharp bolt of lightning just to make him feel a little bit worse than he already does. Zap!—him, just him and only him. . .

Cal's little meeting with Beth Beckett had been intended to smooth things out, put a little smile on her face, make her realize that Cal really did care for her and that her feelings of perceived neglect were simply imagined. The girl has been calling Cal just about every day since their midnight interlude a couple of weeks before he had thought it was perhaps some of the best and most exciting sex he has ever had—he hadn't thought it had been so bad for her, either, and he had needed to convince her to give him a break. He doesn't mind talking to people, especially those with a body that is as steaming as Beth's; however, the "every day on the hour" deal has become real old real quick. Typically, Beth finishes sobbing after twenty minutes of whimpering and this, Cal feels, has been doing neither of them any good. His class burden is stressful enough as it is and he doesn't need another unwanted distraction.

Cal had tried to be the gentleman, had put Beth's bagel, yogurt and diet tea on his declining balance and even carried it all out for her on his tray. They had sat opposite of each other in the Bison and he had tried to conduct a conversation: "sorority?" "Your hair, uh—looks good," "If the Bison raises the price on Cajun fries again, I'm not coming back." But Beth had been listless, staring at him blankly until she had to answer his questions and then her gaze would drop to her untouched food as she spoke in a monotone.

As he chewed on the last bite of his burger, he realized that Beth was essentially a dead project. He had come to the conclusion that for some reason, she had lost the spark that had made her so attractive to him before Parents' Weekend and that he could find better company and conversation with his water polo pals in the weight-room. He had begun to get up to leave, felt slightly guilty when she looked up at him with a deeper frown and so had dipped his head to give her a farewell kiss on the cheek. She had turned away and he had been embarrassed, looking around to see if anyone had witnessed the rude rejection of his kindness.

"No, Calvin. Don't." Beth had begun to sob again, to whine and for Christ's sake, Cal had thought, not again! She suddenly turned to him then, looked directly into his reddened face and whispered softly in a way that sounded more like a question than an accusation. "That night—you raped... You raped me, Calvin. I don't know what to do. I've been thinking about it ever since and I think I need you to say that you didn't do it on purpose or something—can you please tell me that?"

Cal had been stunned as he stood there, blinking and bawling. He had found himself without words as he stared down at Beth incredulously, disbelieving that she could misinterpret and attempt to denigrate him so maliciously. She had reached up weakly with one hand, but he had refused it, had grabbed his L.L. Bean bag, pulled his cap down even further and stormed out of the building into the rain, leaving Beth as alone and spurned as he thought a thankless whore should be.

Cal is soaked to his boxers now, and judging from the clear skies that surround the dark spot directly above him, he has managed to walk out into a cloud burst—just my f---ing luck—and he decides it would be nice if his day would begin to take a

more pleasant turn. He has class, but decides he will skip it and search for some comforting words. His girlfriend Leslie is usually a dependable source to fulfill such needs, to soothe him when his muscles have tightened. It's been over a week since he's talked to her over the phone, and he finds it odd that she hasn't tried to get in touch with him, that she hasn't left a message or anything. His thoughts have been so preoccupied with the Beth situation, he hasn't had the chance to offer Leslie any time. He knows she will be understanding with his excuse of a heavy week of books, however; and if he isn't at first, he'll convince her as he has always, as he did on the bridge that one night when she had discovered he had been over at Beth's room.

When he calls Leslie, she doesn't pick up right way, unusually because she usually grabs the receiver after the first ring, and Cal likes to think that she is literally waiting by the phone for his call. When she finally does answer, she sounds strangely and uncharacteristically subdued. He asks how she's been and then begins asking for pity and sympathy with the mention of his incredibly unreasonable and torturous workload.

"But don't you have class now, Calvin?"

Cal is irritated by the hint of reprimand and lack of warmth that he senses in her voice and snaps slightly with an edge of his own. "Hey, can't a hardworking guy catch a break now and then?" He settles himself. This is not why he has called; he needs her to console him, to be the nurturer for a few moments so he can regain his confidence and return to the world with guns blazing.

But Leslie interrupts his idealizing with a rough clearing of her throat. "I know where you just came from Calvin. I know that Beth just confronted you."

Cal tears the receiver away from his ear and stares at it in disbelief, his brow beginning to furrow as if it was scribbled thickly on his forehead by a preschooler. "Leslie, dear, what the hell are talking about?"

With another breath, the receiver begins to speak again with a nasal squawk. "I never believed you completely on the bridge that one night and I had to call her—Beth, I mean. She needed someone to confide in—someone she didn't really know—was so embarrassed—"

Cal's hand was on his hip, then through his rusty, red hair as he interrupted. "I just can't believe this sh-t! This was none of your goddamn business!"

—and when she told me what happened, I just couldn't believe it but I could believe it. Calvin, I told her to press charges. You can't keep doing this to women. You just can't."

Calvin slams down the phone with a plastic cracking vehemence and swipes it off onto the floor. Seconds before, Leslie's voice had been in his hand and now he imagines kicking her across the room, as far as the cord will allow. "You f---ing c---t! Don't think you won't pay big time for this!"

Cal feels his body beginning to shake then as the possible consequences begin to become evident. Everything—gone. . . just because of a lousy one-night stand! He considers calling his father, that his Pop could send someone over from his firm who specializes in such predicaments.

But there is a revelation and a grand feeling rushes over him, lessening the acute pressure that is straining the wall of every vein and vessel in his body. There is no need to call his father. Cal realizes as one side of his mouth curls up with half of a knowing grin. Beth has no case. There were no witnesses. It would be his word against hers, even if Leslie decided to go against him (though he'd be damned if that was going to happen, she was still his). And maybe, hey—sure, he had been a little rough, a little forceful, but he'd just deny it all. And nobody, no one, not a soul who really matters will ever know.

Russian Aid under Siege

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Aid to Russia has always been a controversial issue within the Congress. One of Clinton's economic reform initiatives last year was to cut aid significantly. The new Republican majority, however, is determined to cut the aid we promised Russia even more than the Clinton Administration. Jesse Helms, a Republican senator from North Carolina in line to head the senate Foreign Relations Committee, and Mitch McConnell, a Republican Senator from Kentucky—have repeatedly suggested that foreign aid to Russia is too generous and plan to take a strong initiative next year. Administration officials warn that if Congress makes deeper cuts it could strain relations with Russia and push the many nationalists in Russia's Parliament to turn against the United States. Brian Atwood, director of the Agency for International Development said in an interview, "If we don't help Russia through this economic transition, we're going to have to worry a lot about the future." Democrats fear that if aid is reduced further, Mr. Yeltsin and the Russian Parliament may embark on painful, even repressive reforms to prevent a collapse of the economy. However, in light of the reforms since the fall of the Soviet Union, it would appear unlikely that the return to repression at this stage would be possible.

The history of past leaders in Russia was to create a euphoria of liberty, get cold feet, and end up returning to even more repressive political and social actions. Catherine the Great was among the first of Russian rulers to free up serfs for voluntary labor. She reorganized the provincial government in 1775 and initiated Enlightenment ideals into institutions. Catherine's reforms created a euphoria of a modern social structure, but convinced only autocratic powers could preserve intact a state like Russia, she introduced measures which repressed all strata of society.

Similar to Catherine II, Nicholas I began with a flourish of liberalization, demanding a constitutional monarchy at the very beginning of his reign, but ended up clamping down to more repression. The Age of Alexander II was one of developing industrialization, of liberalism, and progressive guarding of the rights of individuals. But, after an attempted assassination, he became determined to protect the autocracy.

Initially, Communism began under Lenin as a liberalism by virtue of the fact that all wealth should be taken from the aristocrats and divided among all people. As time progressed, however, the state took on more power and instead of representing the rights of the people as per theory, it became an entity of power under Stalin.

The Glasnost of political and social reform under Gorbachev, however, is more likely than past reforms to result in permanent, long lasting, and continual political and social liberalization. It seems at this point the seeds of freedom which have sown and the democratic institutions which have been installed are more likely to develop over the ensuing years. The coup attempt of 1991 was exactly the conservative backlash needed to return to repression, and it failed. The reasons: the leadership knew Sovietism could not compete from the economic standpoint, the political infrastructure that supported communism had been replaced with democratic institutions, and finally, the hearts and minds of the citizenry have changed and are no longer willing to return to the repressive regimes of Communism.

Mr. Helms has suggested that aid to Russia was ineffective because it did not stop Nationalists and Communists from winning a majority in parliamentary elections. In fact, it has been asserted that Moscow was using some of the aid money for military operations. A cut in aid to Russia is not, as the Democrats say, a disaster waiting to happen. As Richard Nixon once said, "We must remember that democracy is a fragile plant. If it is not nurtured and cared for, it will wither and die. But once it sinks its roots, people will care for it...they will fight to defend it." It seems that democracy's roots have strengthened in Russia in the past years of Glasnost. With or without United States aid, the Russian population will not allow the government to return to repressive regimes.

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FEATURES

She said: Chivalry cool, inequality cruel

From the moment the women were together, the room echoed with opinions, evaluations and analyses. Betsy Leichtfuss '96, Jen Wood '97, Sarah Catlin '98, Jen Trow '96, and Jean Tanimoto '97 were the participants in this animated discussion that raised as many questions as it answered. Topics ranging from men opening doors for women to whether or not men and women can actually be friends were covered in this round table discussion. Without a word of encouragement, the women delved right into the revealing talks.

Betsy: A dictionary definition of feminism is "the doctrine advocating political and social rights for women equal to those of men." What would be your definitions of feminism? I know for myself, I never really bought into the whole feminist movement. First of all I like it when guys open the door for me. Also I think that if my work is good enough I don't need the fact that I'm a woman to push it further along.

Jen W: I agree. I've always thought that feminism was for liberals, I associated it with liberals.

Jean: I think that feminism

turn a lot of people off from these issues.

Betsy: I don't know, I've always been kind of turned off by guys that are ultra-feminine and end up being too wispy-washy.

Jen T: Either extreme I think is kind of pathetic in a way.

Jean: I think that it needs to be on the part of men, not just women who are speaking up for women. Men have to acknowledge that women do play a bigger role in this world and that we should be on more fair ground.

Jen W: I think that if there were any sort of amendment it shouldn't be just in terms of women's issues, it should be everything. It's already in the Bill of Rights that all are equal. But it's not just women's issues anymore. I think it's gay rights, it's women's issues, it's race and it's all real similar and if there's an amendment it needs to be for all of them, all encompassing.

Jen W: I don't think quotas are the answer. It will just create tension and resentment.

Jean: And people will start to think she only got that job because she is a woman.

Betsy: What if they already met their quota? We have a quota of 5 women, and I'm just as qualified but since they already met their quota of 5 women and they also have to meet another quota they can't take me because they have to take someone else, even though I'm more qualified. I don't like that idea.

I guess we'll go on to another question, we kind of killed the feminist thing. What are the differences between men and women. Why do you think there are differences?

Jen T: I think women are brought up to read everything, analyze everything. We're just brought up on cute little sitcoms where everything is romantic and cool and in the movies, you know, we all have that little fantasy thing.

Jen W: I think you also end up reading these romance novels throughout adolescence where women are always pouring out their feelings to these men who just kind of grunt and then sweep them up into their arms and I think to a certain extent it's sociological. Of course with that kind of influence, eventually it's going to get to you and you are going to fall into a hole.

Betsy: I'll admit it, I want to be swept off my feet.

Jean: Yeah, I think it's conditioned, your environment, how you're raised because I know guys with four sisters or who have been brought up by just their mother and they're a lot different from guys who have six brothers. I think your environment puts you into a role that you accept.

Betsy: Would you say that women are more emotional than men?

Jen T: Yes, for the natural, biological, hormonal reasons. It seems that a lot of things don't get to guys like they get to girls—little things like not calling.

Jen W: I tend to disagree. I think they are just as emotional, but they tend not to express it.

Jean: There are guys who don't want it to seem like it really bothers them but it really does. I know guys who could care less if a guy calls her. But saying guys are dogs, girls can be just as bad, but they don't always show it because it's not the norm. Guys can care but they are not going to go up to their friends and be like "oh god, she didn't call me tonight, I really wish she would call."

Betsy: I don't know, I've heard about guys who really get into it, like, "she's playing with my mind." They say that girls play with guys minds, and I don't know, do you think guys honestly think about it?

Jen T: I guess it depends on the person, if they're malicious and manipulative they may be like, from the moment the women were together, the room echoed with opinions, evaluations and analyses. Betsy Leichtfuss '96, Jen Wood '97, Sarah Catlin '98, Jen Trow '96, and Jean Tanimoto '97 were the participants in this animated discussion that raised as many questions as it answered. Topics ranging from men opening doors for women to whether or not men and women can actually be friends were covered in this round table discussion. Without a word of encouragement, the women delved right into the revealing talks.



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian
Sophomore Jean Tanimoto said that the environment in which someone is raised affects one's perspectives.

"I'm going to see how many diners I can get, see how many doors I can have opened for me out of this guy."

Jean: I think it's about the same, guys and girls both do it.

Sarah: It's the type of person more than the gender thing.

Betsy: Do you think that that type of a person thing is starting to take more of a hold now, do you think it used to fall into a gender issue? I've always been curious about the traditional roles, back in the 1950s, where it was tradition that the boy always called, and then I think that girls can call too. Do you think that the differences between men and women are as prevalent today as they were in the past, in traditional roles?

Jen T: Like women proposing to men?

Betsy: Yeah, like the fact that that exists now, I mean it was virtually unheard of how many years ago.

Jen T: I think it's totally different now. For so long my mom would always be like "don't call him, wait for him call you." I'm like mom, "it's no big deal, it's just ridiculous. I asked people to my junior and senior prom and I think she was totally embarrassed.

Jen W: I think it's more a function of the person, the individual, than in general. Because some girls are shy and have trouble picking up the phone and saying "hey, let's go to dinner," and some guys have the same problem but then again, some girls can do it and some guys can do it, I think it's the individual.

Betsy: Do you think that guys find it pushy? I know for me, I find it hard to call a boy up and say I do you want to go to dinner. I feel more comfortable waiting. How comfortable are you being the initiator and how comfortable do you think most girls are? Are we giving mixed messages when we say we like to have the door opened for us but we also want to call?

Jean: Yeah, I think that also might be a reason why guys get upset about the feminist movement because a lot of women say "I want equal rights, I want equal treatment," but then they say "I

want romance and I want the guys to be chivalrous to me." So it's not clear. You can't have it all.

Betsy: Do you think that men are hard to talk to?

Jen T: I don't see guys getting all mushy like we do.

Jen W: Yeah, but how do we really know if they do or they don't?

Sarah: I have a guy friend who told me that when he's with his guy friends it's much more basic, and he goes to his girlfriends to talk about what he's feeling. But when he's with his guy friends they totally just clown around and have a really good time, he's never gotten into deep conversations about his emotions and relationships. Guys give each other such a hard time. I mean if you're a guy and you open up, you're asking for it.

Jen T: But at the same time, it can be hard to talk to other girls, maybe it's just people in general. I guess again it kind of depends on the kind of person that you are. If you're someone who can just go up to someone and start a conversation, and are really open, then it wouldn't be hard.

Betsy: Are you closer friends guys or girls?

Jen T: I think I have more guy friends. The girl friends that I have I consider my best friends but as far as friends in general I have more guy friends.

Sarah: I'm about even. As far as close people that I could tell almost anything, I have two or three girl friends and two or three guy friends.

Jean: I have both. With guys you kind of feel like there's no competition, you can just tell them things. Even though you do tell your girlfriends things a lot, but because they don't judge you and they're just there to listen.

Jen W: I agree that there are some things that it's easier to tell your guy friends because they're not going to judge you. I mean let's face it, girls can get catty, even best friends. If you go to the guy, they're like, "oh really, that sucks, but there's stuff more important than the fact that you had food on your face at dinner and he saw you, so get over it and move on."

Betsy: Are we basically saying that men can see things clearer than women? We've like run ourselves into the ground, we've said that we're catty, we're very trivial...

Jean: Not that they see it clearer, just from a different perspective. Guys can help you see it from both sides.

Sarah: I think a lot of times guys look at things with less emotion than girls do though not always. I have some guy friends that are very emotional, but I think for the most part, I feel that women deal better with emotions and sometimes they get too into it and over do it and it just messes things up, but for the most part, women realize they have them and deal with their emotions better than guys.

Jen T: Sometimes I think with guys they don't know how to deal with emotions so they just don't. Jen W: I tend to disagree. I think it's more sociological, that the emotions are there. Maybe they haven't been taught how to deal. They may not know how to recognize or know how to deal, because they're not encouraged to sit there and have a cup of coffee and go on and on and bitch about stuff.

Sarah: Yeah, I think you're right, I think they definitely have emotions, I just don't think they deal with them.

Jean: Or maybe they'll think about it and deal with it themselves and not tell other people. They'll think about things that are bothering them and deal with it in their own mind.

Jen W: I think that's because

of gender roles that we've slipped into, we're very programmed through everything.

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Jean: It depends on the guy though because I have this one friend who is the cheesiest person in the world and he just wants everyone to know about it.

Betsy: Would you want a guy like that. As much as we say gender roles, gender roles, bad things, bad things, I don't think I'd want a guy to be all cheesy and romantic, like a girl. I would feel really taken back.

Jen W: It would kind of disturb my sense about what masculinity is. Like we said, I like masculinity, I like chivalry, and I think that most girls do.

Sarah: Do you think guys think it's a drag to do something romantic. Does it really burn them out? I don't understand why they don't do it more often.

Betsy: I don't think they think about it, I don't think they register.

Sarah: Think how much we would love those romantic scenes, I mean, does it just not affect them?

Jen W: No, I think it does.

Jean: Yeah, I think they would like it if we did it for them, but it's just like they have to think about it and put effort into it, it's just too much work.

Jen T: I think guys don't do it as much because of the commitment thing again. Because when they do something like that, they must mean a lot to you.

Sarah: I think it's kind of harsh, but in a general way I think it's true. Do you think that that happens more now than it used to, that women decide, I want to hook up tonight. It just seems that it's more accepted now that girls are going to go to that too. Like it used to be before that it was the guys who used to go for the one night stands. Now girls are more like "let's see if I can get kissed this weekend." I just think it happens more now.

Jen W: I agree. But do you guys think it still goes with the stigma, she slept with him, she's such a slut, but oh god she didn't, she's such a prude. It's a double standard, it doesn't matter what you do, you're going to get criticized. I think you just have to learn not to give a damn.

Betsy: And it depends who you get criticized by, would you rather be called a slut by a church nun or would you rather be called a prude by girls who just sleep with anyone? I think it depends on who's calling you what.

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Betsy: Like I know you can be cordial but can you honestly, truly be friends and hang out?

Jen W: In some cases. Depending on the individual, you can even be closer. You know them now, better than you did before.

Jean: I think it takes time after

Bill: Let's break it down.

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Sarah Catlin '98 emphasized the difference between the words "equal" and "fair" in rights for men and women.

the relationship and then you can be friends.

Betsy: I have this question. This is what one of my high school teachers said that women exchange sex for love and men exchange love for sex. Do you think that's true? What I mean is that in a relationship, in order for a woman to get a man to say I love you, she'll have sex with him and in order for a man to get a woman to have sex with him he'll say I love you.

Sarah: I think it's kind of harsh, but in a general way I think it's true. Do you think that that happens more now than it used to, that women decide, I want to hook up tonight. It just seems that it's more accepted now that girls are going to go to that too. Like it used to be before that it was the guys who used to go for the one night stands. Now girls are more like "let's see if I can get kissed this weekend." I just think it happens more now.

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FEATURES

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Keith: O.K., number one, it has been said that men and women have very different ideas about what is important and that men don't know what women want, and women don't know what men want. Is this true? In what respect? What do men want? What do women want?

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doesn't change. Nowadays men are more apt to express their emotions than, say medieval times. You had to be macho, there was that dominant and dependent role.

Keith: So, do men need to be in control? Is that something they need in their lives?

Bill: I think everybody wants to be in control. I've definitely seen instances where women are seeking control. I think people find security in control of any situation. I don't think it's limited to relationships. You want control over your life.

Ted: Going with what Bill was saying about men not showing their feelings, I think that a lot of men have a lot of thoughts that they keep internally and they struggle with it within themselves and this might come out in aggressive behavior or drinking or something to either hide the facts, like murder or abuse of children, or rape, I just think for some men it just builds up so much, they don't know how to share it with anybody and unfortunately it takes a turn for the worse and innocent people can get victimized.

Keith: One of the things I was thinking about are the relationships where the guys are absolutely whipped on the girls, "married couples," how do you feel about that?

Ted: What do you mean by whipped?

Keith: They just do anything the woman says.

Paul: That's fine to want to do something for the girl, but there's a point where it's too fucking much.

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St. Francis	24	28	52		

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Steigerwald	3	0	0	4	6
Golden	5	0	3	8	13
Anderson	2	0	0	5	4
Mboya	5	4	2	8	16
Hamer	4	1	0	4	9
Eliert	0	0	0	0	0
Holden	0	0	0	0	0
Wenk	0	0	1	2	1
Hook	0	0	0	0	0

December 3, 1994 (away)

Bucknell	26	2	38	52	
Maryland	47	33	102		

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Steigerwald	5	4	0	4	14
Golden	2	0	0	3	4
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Anden	0	0	0	0	0
Keranko	0	0	0	0	0
Wells	0	0	0	1	0

November 30, 1994 (home)

Bucknell	15	2	36	51	
Monmouth	39	19	58		

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Name	FG	3PT	FT	RB	TOTPT
Sockel	1	0	3	6	8
Hollister	4	0	3	2	11
McGowan	4	0	1	7	9
Coffey	2	1	0	0	5
Vlah	1	0	1	6	3
McDuffett	0	0	0	3	0
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SPORTS

Lady Bison tame Broncos for first win

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

They say good things happen to those who wait. For the women's basketball team, the wait was 11 games and almost 10 months, dating back to last season, since it last won. That win finally came on Tuesday night in Davis Gymnasium when the squad beat Rider, 94-78, to take its record to 1-5 on the season. Five Bison players scored in double-figures.

It was the team's highest point output since the 1989-90 season when it beat Rider, 95-83. The Bison's 94 points were doubled the team's averaged for the previous four games.

"We haven't been shooting enough in the past," Casey Hollister '96 said. "Our coach [Julie Simpson] told us to just go out and shoot the ball. Everybody seemed more relaxed."

Hollister finished the game with 13 points and a career-high 16 boards.

The teams traded baskets over the first 10 minutes of the game before Bucknell went on an eight-point run to take a 27-19 lead. The Bison took a 40-35 lead into half-time after Shanon McGowan '97 made a pair of free-throws and Lauren Wagner '96 hit a twelve-foot jumper in the last 30 seconds of the half.

McGowan led all players with 18 points, a career-high, and Wagner added 10.

After the Broncos closed to 40-39, the Bison went on an 11-0 run over the next five minutes to take a 51-39. The run included four points from McGowan and five free-throws from co-captain K.C. Vlah '96.

Vlah's 17 point, five assist and five rebound performance, which included 12 for 16 from the free-throw line, was the best of her season.

Rider would get no closer than seven points the rest of the game. The Bison continued to break down the Rider's full-court press, which was no less than a half dozen lay-ups for McGowan under the basket.



Bucknellian File Photo

The Lady Bison miss the play of M. Nawarskas '94 who powered the offense. Holes in the offense could display trouble for Bucknell against Patriot League rivals. The Lady Bison collected their first win in 11 games last Tuesday by beating Rider 94-78.

"They put so much pressure on our guards," Hollister said. "We just kept moving the ball which resulted in easy baskets for Shanon."

The Broncos closed to 83-76, but the Bison made 11 of 14 free-throws down the stretch, including four from Vlah and five from Chiara

Sockel '97, to hold off Rider.

The Bison now play two tournaments over the next 20 days, one at Fairfield and one at Pittsburgh.

"We need to come out fighting like we did against Rider," Hollister said. "This win has given us a moral boost."

The team begins conference play January 7 at home against Navy.

"We've been picked to finish at the bottom of the Patriot League play," Hollister said. "Our goal is to go out there and prove everybody wrong."

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Commentary

The NFL's greatest running back?

BY LOU SKENDERIS
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Ever since two runningbacks named Emmitt Smith and Barry Sanders entered the National Football League, fans, sports commentators, and other players alike have been musing over the undying question: Who is the best runningback in the NFL today, Barry or Emmitt? Well, today, finally, we are going to put this topic out of its misery and solve this puzzle once and for all, by taking a step by step look at these two all-pros. First, let's talk speed. Barry wins this one since he uses his speed more effectively when "turning the corner" to run upfield and when cutting back across it. I don't know who would prevail in a flat-out 50-yard dash, but who cares. Yes, Emmitt has speed, but Barry has more. This then feeds into Barry's true strength, which is his God-given talent to make absolutely unbelievable cutbacks. Agility, balance, and ballerina-like finesse allow him to alter his direction entirely in less than a second (literally). This is the defining trait of Barry Sanders's successful career.

Now let's be fair to Emmitt—even though I personally don't like the Cowboys. Emmitt Smith is an excellent cutback runner. He can find the holes faster than almost anyone, terrorizing defenses throughout each and every game. BUT, and that is a big but, what Smith exhibits week in and week out is a product of a good team. So good in fact, that they have won two Superbowls in a row and are threatening to make it three straight. The only reason the Cowboys haven't already won three straight is because Detroit whipped them in the playoffs in the '91 season (the year the Skins went

all the way — GO SKINS!). How did the Detroit Lions beat the now World Champs in '91 and then again this year on a Monday night you ask? The answer is simple: the Cowboy defensive squad practices during the week against Emmitt Smith. So naturally, when they encounter a better running back than their own (which they rarely do), they don't know what to do or how to do it. So they lose.

But I digress no further. There are a few more comments to be made on this issue. For one, Barry Sanders has no Darryl, "the MOOSE", Johnston, making powerful blocks creating holes the size of a Mac truck; let alone four competent linemen or a dense tightend. What Barry does have are four atrocious linemen, whom Wayne Fontes (the all-time pathetic and senseless Head Coach of the Detroit Lions) refuses to replace with any high-round draft picks. In fact, Wayne-o, up there in the motor city, has only drafted two linemen in one of the first four rounds of the draft since Barry Sanders came to the Lions! In contrast, Jimmy (the combed-hair wonder) Johnson flooded his offensive line with high draft picks to aid Emmitt Smith. Through all of this, keep in mind that Emmitt is complemented by all-pro Wide Receivers, Quarterbacks, linemen, tightends, and defensemen. Barry is backed by one (1), count them, one, all-pro linemen.

What I am trying to say is, what Barry does, he does on his own. What Emmitt does, he does on a great team. Even so, Barry Sanders is on pace to beat the Dallas Cowboys (as an entire team) in rushing this year, AND run for two thousand yards. A feat Emmitt has yet to even come close to.

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SPORTS

Commentary

Life in America: Isn't it great to be a kid?

I was circumventing the world of sports looking for something juicy to write about this week.

Many thoughts crossed my mind but nothing panned out. One topic was which team will lose more games this year—Bucknell men's or women's basketball? I realized both are playing badly at this point in the season and it would take too much room for this column.

I then turned to fan apathy on campus, but realized the apathetic fan would not be reading my article.

I searched through many of the national papers for a brief minute and found nothing stimulating enough to ponder.

I guess I'll just tell you a story which involves our country's youth and sports.

I have a 10 year old friend who wants to be a basketball star. He acts like Michael Jordan when dunking and Charles Barkley when blocking. He has all of the gear and enough energy to run up and down the courts all day. He has almost doubled in size over the last year making him a towering 4'11" third grader. In his mind, he is on his way to the NBA.

He reminded me of when I was a kid. It was the bottom of the ninth and I was facing the fastest pitcher in the league. We were down by three and there were two outs. Of course I hit a grand slam and became the hero.

I would quickly race inside to get something to eat in between dreams. When I was finished, I might get ready to be the star quarterback or the best goalie in the NHL. Bo Jackson had nothing on me—I was the most prominent sports guy in the business.

Over the summer I tried to get him to realize that everyone doesn't become a star and today's athletes are more competitive than ever before. You must possess other skills than simply athletics.

He just would stare at me like I was the devil and pretended to listen.

I wondered if I should have done this. Doesn't everyone fantasize about playing professional sports?

Who were your heroes? Do you remember dreaming about being Wayne Gretzky or Babe Ruth? How about Eddy the Eagle or even Hulk Hogan? What is so wrong to wish that millions of people will model your moves?

You would get to sell shoes, skates, bikes, balls, bats, insurance, deodorant and various other things to make a buck. You would get to buy that second house in Florida or Arizona. Unless you gamble or do heavy amounts of drugs, you never would have to worry about a dime.

Isn't that a great sense of security? Unfortunately only a select few get to experience this power.

Maybe my little friend listened to me after all. I haven't seen him in a few months, but we talked over Thanksgiving break.

He was so happy to be the starting center for his traveling basketball team, but the league was starting to drain him. He is getting hit with a lot of work in school (his private school doesn't mess around), and he mentioned a huge 5'2" third grade center that gave him a hard time.

He now wants to be a doctor if the NBA thing doesn't work out. I can't wait to get back and play a game with him one on one.

Keith

Keith Nigro, Sports Editor

MEN'S BASKETBALL From page 13

down 20 points," Hamer said. "It's hard to play a team that sends four big guys to the offensive glass. It put a lot of pressure on Brian [Anderson '96] and Kihlon. The guards didn't give enough help."

When the half was over, the Bison found themselves down, 47-26, despite having played 15 minutes of solid basketball, and with Golden sitting on the bench with three personal fouls.

"We should have put them away earlier," Hipp said. "Sometimes it is hard to put 40 minutes together when you go into a game knowing its not if you are going to win, but by how many."

The second half was a near carbon-copy of the first. The Bison came out and played evenly with Maryland for the first seven minutes before the Terrapins went on a 27-8 run to make what was a respectable score into a slaughter.

The second half began with another monstrous dunk from Smith. After a missed shot by Keith Booth, Smith came flying in towards the basket, grabbed the ball in mid-air and slammed the ball through, all in one-motion.

Mboya and Dave Steigerwald '96 were able to keep the Bison within 20 for some of the second half by continually knocking down three-pointers. Mboya hit a trey a minute into the half to close the lead to 49-31. After another short run by the Terrapins, Steigerwald nailed three three-pointers to again close the lead, this time to 61-44.

But within a two minute span both of Bucknell's big-men, Anderson and Golden, fouled out. With Bison lacking size and depth in the middle, Maryland had a field day inside.

In the 27-8 run that lasted over eight minutes and gave the Terrapins a 92-54 lead, Smith made six down low, Hipp added two short jumpers, Booth tossed in a pair of buckets and Rhodes poured in two lay-ups, four free-throws and a trey.

Rhodes finished the game with a career-high 27 points and three steals, along with that same num-

ber for rebounds and assists.

"Rhodes had a hard-fought 27," Williams said. But I think what makes him so valuable are the rebounds and assists he adds."

In fact, all five Maryland starters scored in double-figures. Hipp maintained his season average with a 16 point, seven rebound performance. Booth, the Terrapins fourth All-ACC Honorable Mention, added 14 points and grabbed 10 rebounds and point-guard Simpkins contributed 13 points and six assists.

The Terrapins also shot 65% in the second half and 58% for the game and out rebounded the Bison 42-29. The Bison committed 26 turnovers, something that has plagued their play all season.

There are two possible positives that can come from this game for the Bison. One is Anderson's defense on Smith. Sure Anderson may have fouled out with 14 minutes left in the game, but he did hold one of college's premier big men to 13 points, four of which he got after Anderson fouled out, and nine rebounds.

The second positive is the shooting of Mboya and Steigerwald. The two combined to make eight shots behind the three-point arch, and both finished the game 14 points.

The Bison travel to University Park to take on Penn St. tonight. Bucknell last played and beat the Nittany Lions, 69-64, in the 1975-6 season, the first of Charlie Wolium's tenure at Bucknell. The Nittany Lions are led by First-Team Academic All-American John Amaechi, who averaged 17 points and nine rebounds last year.

"We've had a couple good practices this week," Hamer said. "They have a big team down low. We need to concentrate on giving Brian and Kihlon more help down and low and send more players to the glass. We feel if we push the ball up the court, we can get some easy baskets."

The team returns home on Saturday to play St. Bonaventure at 3 p.m. This is the Bison's last home game for more than three weeks.

TRACK From page 13

Jodi DeRonde '97 and Karen Leonard '98 took third and fourth respectively in the 55 meter dash. Bucknell swept the 400 meter hurdles taking all three of the top spots.

The men, who are relying on a deeper, more experienced squad began their run for the Patriot League title on Saturday. Bucknell coach is confident that with this years team they will be legitimate contenders, hoping to bridge the gap between them and Patriot League powerhouse Army.

In the track events Ibakari Brown brought a little sunshine to the fieldhouse, finishing second in the 55 meter dash, and winning the 200 meter dash.

The men's 4x400 meter relay team, Brian Cagno, Vinnie Guandolo, Brett Warner, and Dan Akwei, ran a close race, coming in second to Villanova. Senior captain Rick Van Emberg, who is a

"possible national qualifier," according to coach Gulden did not compete in the meet.

Kareem Abdul Matin '96 led the field events for Bucknell, winning the triple jump and placing second in the long jump. Jeremy Jarosky '97 also placed in the long jump. Captain Jim Heizman took first in the 35 pound weight throw. Freshman Derrick King placed fourth in the long jump with Dennis Hare '96 coming in fifth. Overall it was a positive meet for the men's team.

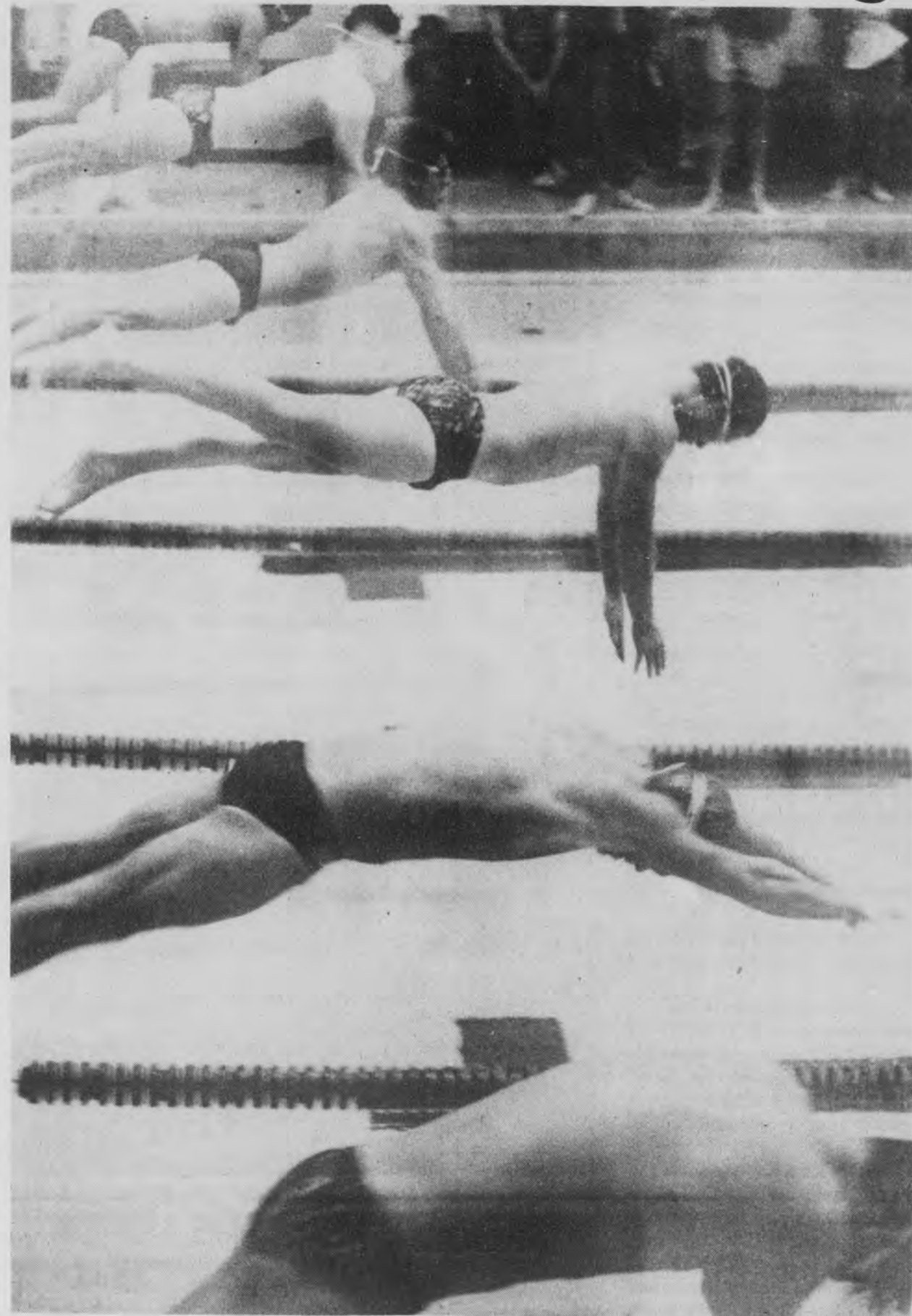
Both the men and the women seem optimistic about the upcoming season. Getting off to a good start the Bison continue to train hard during December and return early in January to their next meet at the Father Diamond Invitational. Bucknell's track and field are looking forward to the next few months, with their sights firmly set on the Patriot League Title.

Bison Calendar

December 9 through December 13

Fri. Dec. 9	Women's Basketball at Fairfield Tournament Harvard vs. Boston University Bucknell vs. Fairfield	6:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Sat. Dec. 10	MEN'S SWIMMING VS. SETON HALL (Diving) WOMEN'S SWIMMING VS. SETON HALL (Diving)	1:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m.
	MEN'S BASKETBALL VS. ST. BONAVENTURE Women's Basketball at Fairfield Tournament Consolation Championship	3:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m.
Tue. Dec. 13	Men's Basketball at Rutgers	7:30 p.m.

Pirates sail into Lewisburg



Bucknellian File Photo

The Bison duel against the Pirates from Seton Hall this weekend. Quickly out of the blocks against Duquesne, the men's and women's teams improved their records.

BY SCOTT WOODWORTH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With the holidays approaching, the Bucknell swim team is preparing for its final meet of the year against Seton Hall.

The Pirates will be in town December 10 to challenge the Bison. Seton Hall is a much larger school, but both the male and female Bison should give the Pirates a tough meet.

The men's team hopes to start off the new year still undefeated with a 4 and 0 record, while the women's team is looking to up its record to 5 and 1. Wins are very

attainable for both teams, especially since Bucknell has been swimming well recently. Both squads are showing improvements from last year.

Last weekend the Bison traveled 250 miles to take on the Dukes of Duquesne (pronounced Ducane). The women's team lead from start to finish winning 140-103.

The opening 400 medley relay saw Jen Myers '98, Allyson Gillespie '96, April Harned '97, and Jeanne Klawon '95 set a Duquesne pool record. Jen Myers '98 also set a pool record in the 100 backstroke leading off the relay.

The women's team won most of the events in cruising to a victory. Sarah Cranston '97 and Jen Myers '98 set pool records in individual events. Sarah in the 500 freestyle and Jen in the 200 backstroke.

The men's team lost a close opening relay, but in the end won the meet by a score of 146 to 85. Rick Steenson '95 set pool records in the 200 individual medley and the 200 butterfly. Diver Mike Maloure '98 helped the team by winning the diving events.

The Bison's next challenge will be against Seton Hall this Saturday at 1 p.m.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who is the shortest player in the NHL?
2. Can you name the starting center for the 1984 college team that lost to Villanova?
3. What two golfers won the World Cup for the US the last two years?
4. Can you name the slumping Knicks shooting guard that stays after games for hours to practice?
5. What New York Met was smoking a cigarette in Davey Johnson's office while the ball went through Bill Buckner's legs in game six of the 1985 World Series?

Answers

1. Theo Fleury stands at 5'6"; 2. Georgetown's Patrick Ewing; 3. Fred Couples and Davis Love III; 4. John Starks; 5. Keith Hernandez thought the Mets couldn't pull it out, but New York pulled out this amazing win

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Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Mostly clear. Lows around 10.
 Friday—Mostly sunny. High in the low 20s.
 Saturday—A chance of snow. Lows 15 to 25 and highs in the mid 20s to low 30s.
 Sunday—Cloudy. Lows 10 to 25 and highs in the low 20s to low 30s.

—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Marts Hall on sick call

BY NICOLE COBBAN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Workers in Marts Hall have more than the cold and flu season to worry about this winter. The building may be suffering from what outside consultants and doctors at Geisenger Medical Center have termed "sick building syndrome." The term applies to situations where groups of co-workers suffer similar symptoms of allergy-like diseases, while the building itself appears to maintain suitable working conditions.

In the University's latest attempt to diagnose the source of irritation to workers in Marts, Barry Maxwell announced in a memo to employees that Administrative Services will be relocating part of their operation to the basement of the former Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity house by early next week.

This decision follows a suggestion by an outside environmental consulting firm that some of the chemicals used by administrative services may be emitting irritants through the air system in quantities too small to measure.

Barry Maxwell, vice president of administration, said that even if the level were too small to diagnose, "people that are super-sensitive might be reacting to those chemicals anyway."

Geisenger Medical Center agrees, but claims that the syndrome poses no long-term

health risk. Doctors at Geisenger's Occupational Health Services tested several employees from Marts Hall to determine if the cause of employees' sicknesses were building-related.

Dennis Hawley, director of physical plant, stated that a report from Geisenger indicated that there was no risk to employees working in the building, and that employees that were affected had "some hypersensitive respiratory type of condition much like an allergy, but it did not appear to be a long-term problem with people's health."

According to Maxwell, "sporadic complaints" of possibly related health problems among Marts Hall employees began surfacing in 1988, although Ellis Harley, associated vice president of finance, said the symptoms had been manifesting themselves a couple of years earlier. The University then began a seven-year process of trying to determine the source of the problem, a search that has led them to their present relocation of Administrative Services.

So far, four outside companies have conducted tests of the environmental air quality in Marts Hall. In 1989, the University brought in Spots, Stevens & McCoy, an industrial hygienist firm that tested for chemicals in the air supply.

In April 1990, Honeywell Indoor Air Quality Diagnostics

See Marts Hall, page 4

Roel residency steps on stage

Performer to set piece for Spring Concert



Photo by Deb Cook

Peter Roel, guest artist with the department of theatre and dance, is in rehearsal with the Bucknell Dance Company. Roel will conduct a week-long workshop starting Feb. 6 with the department throughout next week. For more information on the artist and his work, see page 9.

Calendar debates to resume

Peeler, Kresl to propose new Jan Plan

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Members of the University Council released an informal survey outlining three possible options for changes in the 1996-1997 academic calendar to the faculty this week. Prompted by a survey taken by Bucknell Student Government (BSG) that indicated 80% of the students responding wanted to begin the spring semester earlier, the University Council offered the faculty three options for changes in the spring calendar.

The tentative schedules offered in the survey include keeping the current spring calendar, beginning the spring semester eight days earlier (on Jan. 14), or 13 days earlier (Jan. 9) than the current start date.

The survey also outlined several advantages and disadvantages to beginning the semester earlier in January. The advantages ranged from enhancing summer opportunities (such as jobs, internships, and travel plans) to saving the University money by shortening the academic year and not having Commencement on Memorial Day weekend.

The disadvantages focused on the shortened January break, which would reduce time for faculty research and course planning. A shorter January term would also mean that the track and field Patriot League Championships would fall during the reading period for final exams.

"Option two is a disaster for us," says Art Gulden, cross country and track coach, "You can't expect a student to go from finals to a track meet to finals. They can't pull that off and do anything well."

Gulden said option three, beginning the spring semester 13 days earlier, was "livable, but not preferable." He suggested scheduling finals to begin the first Monday after the first Saturday in May, which would leave approximately two weeks for finals, grading, and graduation.

"Academics come first, absolutely," Gulden said, "But let the kids do both. Putting the Patriot League Championships in the middle of exams is irrational. We don't have to have one or the other, just compromise a bit."

Judith Becker, chair of the University Council and associate vice president for academic administration, said that the results of the survey will be discussed at the faculty meeting on Monday in the



Bucknellian File Photo

John Peeler, professor of political science, will propose a new Jan Plan Monday.

Peeler hopes that a calendar proposal could be voted on in the March faculty meeting.

Adding to the calendar agenda, John Peeler, professor of political science, and Peter Kresl, professor of economics, plan to propose the reinstatement of the January Plan in the faculty meeting on Monday as well.

The basic idea behind the proposal, Peeler said, is to reinstate the four week January Plan with two innovations from the old program. The proposed program would require students to participate in at least one approved January Plan, and offers the opportunity to obtain half and full credits upon completion of some programs.

Peeler said that the faculty felt they had "lost something important by abolishing the January Program."

"It was an opportunity for internships, independent travel, and study," said Peeler, "Since we seem to be on the verge of starting earlier, we felt it was important for the faculty to look at the program again."

Gulden expressed his support of the proposal, saying, "I loved the January Plan, and not for athletic reasons. From a practical academic standpoint, it gave students the opportunity to explore jobs, internships, and other areas of interest. From an athletic standpoint, the program was good because it gave the kids the opportunity to stay on campus and do things other than train for sports."

Depending on faculty support, the January Plan may turn out to be the dark horse in the running for the new academic calendar. "There will be a substantial amount of faculty interest," Peeler said, "I don't think it's a sure thing, but I like to be optimistic."

Larison dining hall open for business

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

In the good old days, bad-mouthing cafeteria food was as American as apple pie. Nowadays, Dining Services is barely keeping up with the daily campus crowds that inundate the Bison, the Terrace Room, and the Caf, and has re-opened the Larison dining room in an effort to appease the cravings for cafeteria cuisine.

The dining room, last used in the 70s to serve regular meals, opened Tuesday with an a la carte menu and without the Wood Company's usual fanfare of advertising.

The plans to re-open Larison with regular dining hours started last semester when Dining Services attempted to convert the Terrace Room into an a la carte eatery. Tim Tenon, general manager for dining services, said the idea sparked "serious student disapproval" and that opening Larison was the next sensible move to alleviate the crowding problems and offer alternative dining options.

Tenon said they were able to re-open Larison "with very little expense" because Dining Services already had the necessary equipment. The estimated cost of the opening, \$3000, went towards minor repairs to equipment and superficial renovations.



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

The new menu in Larison offers a variety of foods for campus crowds. The new dining room is open from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Though business has been slow during the first week of operation, Tenon said he had already received some positive feedback. The only complaints so far have been that the new dining room accepts cash and declining balance only.

"Ideally, we would offer meal credit, but the location will not allow it at the moment," Tenon said. The dateline that connects the various branches of Dining Services in the Langone Center does not extend to Larison yet.

"We have to wait and see," Tenon said, "In a couple of weeks, we'll have a good idea of the volume level. Then we can push for the [extended] dateline."

Rita Devlin '96, a first-time Larison diner, said the "rice is gross," but overall the new dining room was "convenient."

Courtney Patton '96 liked the make-your-own-pizza concept, as well as the convenience of the Larison dining experience. "It's close and there is no line. It's OK," said Patton.

Though Larison is only open for lunch from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. during the weekdays, Tenon said that expanding the weekday hours was a possibility if they received enough response.

Dining Service initiative has gone beyond crowd control and into the realm of environmentally friendly disposal, as well. Bison patrons may have noticed the large styrofoam-eating machine that makes the once non-biodegradable product into a recyclable commodity.

Tenon said that the machine, purchased from International Foam Solutions, shreds the styrofoam and sprays it with all-natural fruit acids from lemon, orange, and grapefruit juices. The acid dissolves the styrofoam into a gel, which is collected in a hopper at the bottom of the machine. Once the 400 lb. capacity barrel storing the gel is filled, the company picks up and disposes the gel at no cost.

The company claims that approximately 30% of the gel can be recycled and used in making products such as material for highway dividers and underwater pylons.

Trustees to hear proposed tenure recommendations

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The University Review Committee (URC) decided last December which tenure applicants the committee will recommend to the Trustees in late April.

Of the nine faculty members that applied for tenure during the Fall 1994 semester, the seven who confirmed that the URC had notified them of the decision are: Carmen Acuna, assistant professor of physics, Glynnis Carr, assistant professor of English, Michael Prince, assistant professor of chemical engineering, Richard Waller, chair and assistant professor of history, and Brian Williams, assistant professor of chemistry.

Jeffrey Csernica, assistant professor of chemical engineering, would not confirm whether or not he had received a tenure recommendation from the URC.

John Wallace, assistant professor of biology did not receive a recommendation from the URC.

The Trustees will meet the weekend of April 28-29 to discuss the recommendations and submit final approval for the tenured positions.

Bucknellian announces new section

The editorial staff of The Bucknellian recently decided to combine the Arts & Entertainment and Features sections of the newspaper into a joint section.

The new section, under the banner heading of Lifestyles, will include the profiles and entertainment stories previously separated into two different sections.

Heading the Lifestyles section will be former Features editor Karin Davidson '97 and former Arts & Entertainment editors Becky Klinger '96 and Katie DeBonneville '95.

Tentative options for Spring Calendar

First day of classes	Spring Break	Last day of classes	Exams
Wed., Jan. 22	Mar. 15-23	Tues., May 6	May 8-15
Tues., Jan 14	Mar. 8-16	Mon., April 28	April 30-May 8
Thurs., Jan 9	Mar. 8-16	Wed., April 23	April 25-May 2

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 Eric Polite '97 drives towards a basket against Holy Cross.



Photo courtesy of Bucknell University Archives

Once the original women's cafeteria, Larison dining hall has reopened its doors to all hungry Bucknellians. This photo, taken in 1944, shows how the room looked in its heyday.

False alarms sparks charges

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

A student was served a subpoena last week stemming from an incident of tampering with fire equipment. Jonathan Bulette '98 was charged with two acts of disorderly conduct, which are considered summary offenses in violation of the Pennsylvania Crime Code.

On the morning of Sunday Jan. 29, Public Safety officers were dispatched to two fire alarms in Smith Hall. The first alarm was set off by Bulette at 2:40 a.m. in the C-wing of Smith Hall.

The second offense occurred at 3:02 a.m. when Bulette activated the fire alarm in the B-wing of Smith Hall. Bulette was discovered, and he later admitted to setting off the alarms during questioning by officers.

"I was not aware of the consequences of pulling the fire alarms," said Bulette, "there is absolutely no way that I would ever do this again." Bulette was originally fined \$172, given 40 hours of community service, and required to serve one year of probation.

Bulette is not the first student to be caught for setting off fire equipment. One first year student is on semester suspension and had to pay over \$600 for tampering with fire alarms.

"Fire deaths are a reality on campus," said Vincent DeCerio, director of public safety, "unfortunately most campuses do have fires from time to time."

In fact, the United States has the highest number of fire deaths in the world with Great Britain at a distant second. "The importance of fire alarms, extinguishers, and early warning systems on a campus is critical," said DeCerio, "they really do save lives."

One only has to recall the recent Bloomsburg tragedy in which five college students perished. "Sometimes the people on campus who set fire alarms off on purpose don't realize that they are jeopardizing the lives of occupants in the building. They are not really aware of the seriousness of such actions," said DeCerio.

"Public Safety is making every effort to put a stop to this crime," said administrative Lieutenant James Middleton, "with that in mind, we will continue to do additional patrols along with prosecution of the responsible individuals."

Public Safety has also installed fire alarm pull stations with a glass cover around them. To activate the alarm the cover must be pulled up which triggers a horn. DeCerio said this addition to fire alarms is an effort to prevent false alarms.

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Friday, January 21
Officers responded to Larison Hall for a fire alarm activation. Officers found that a fire extinguisher had been discharged.

Officers responded to Vedder Hall for a fire alarm activation. Officers found that a fire extinguisher had been discharged. Student reported seeing two males remove license plate from her vehicle parked in front of Seventh St. House. Officers located two students. One of the students admitted to taking the license plate off of the vehicle.

Officers responded to a report of 3 males trying to break into Chi Phi. Officers located 3 BU students in basement area of Chi Phi.

BU student reported finding some damage to his vehicle. Investigation revealed a dent on the passenger rear door.

Saturday, January 22
Bucknell employee reported young teenagers causing problems at Fieldhouse and Davis Gym. Teens left building when employee said she was calling security.

Sunday, January 23
Officers responded to Vedder Hall for unknown alarm. Officers found no alarm sounding, but through further investigation found that unknown person(s) lifted pull station cover activating the audible alarm. The cover was returned to normal position prior to the arrival of officers.

Monday, January 24
Officers responded to Malesardi for a reported ill student. An ambulance was dispatched and transported the student to Evangelical ER for treatment.

Tuesday, January 25
Officers dispatched to Swartz Hall C-Wing to assist RA with a noise complaint. RA with assistance from officers made contact with occupants of room and quieted them down.

Officers accompanied Lewisburg Police Officer to Malesardi to serve a subpoena on a student.

SHS driver dispatched to Kress to transport student to Evangelical emergency room for medical treatment and later returned student to campus.

Wednesday, January 26
Unknown person(s) activated a pull station in Smith Hall on the second floor.

Unknown person(s) activated a pull station in Harris Hall on the second floor.

Officers responded to Harris Hall on a report of an unconscious person. Victim was semi-alert upon arrival. Victim stated he felt ill but refused any medical treatment.

Student reported that his wallet was stolen from the fieldhouse floor while he was running on the track. Student reported that a credit card representative called advising that an individual attempted to use his card. Investigation continuing.

Officers were dispatched to the Botany parking lot for an MVA. Student's vehicle had drifted out of space striking a stop sign. Minor damage to the car's bumper and stop sign.

Officers responded to a fire alarm at Kress Hall. Upon arrival found that a pile of boxes outside the building had been burning. Students had extinguished fire prior to officer's arrival. Possibly caused by cigarette butts in the area.

Thursday, January 27
Student reports that his vehicle was damaged in the parking lot at Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity. The side view mirrors were discovered to have been loosened and hanging on the side of the car. Investigation continuing.

Physical Plant employee reported that a couch and two chairs were discovered missing from Davis Gym. Furniture was last seen on Friday 1/20/95. Additional information reported that the missing furniture was moved to another office for a meeting and the incident was declared as unfounded.

Unknown person(s) activated a pull station in Swartz Hall, B wing, on the ground floor.

Unknown person(s) activated a pull station in Kappa Sigma Fraternity, basement area.

Friday, January 28
Unknown person(s) did remove a plastic cover on a pull station in Vedder Hall, west wing, first floor. An audible alarm alerted a nearby student security aide. Investigation continuing.

Lewisburg Borough Police requested assistance obtaining identification on student George Jaquett '96 taken into custody and charged with underage drinking and an open container violation in Lewisburg Borough. Borough Police requested assistance obtaining identification on student Alex Laracy '97 cited for underage drinking and an open container violation in Lewisburg Borough.

Student security aide reported that a male subject had been observed pounding on doors and behaving in a peculiar manner upon making entry to Smith Hall C wing. Officers on scene did speak to subject involved, and he admitted to the consumption of alcohol off campus. The on duty RA was notified. Investigation is continuing.

Patrol officers did observe a male student urinating upon the pathway between Lit. Road and Coleman Road near Coleman Hall. Subject attempted to flee on foot and was stopped for identification. The subject attempted to flee a second time and was again stopped in order to obtain proper identification. Subject admitted to officers that he had consumed alcohol. The subject was transported to Swartz Hall and the on duty RA was notified. Investigation is continuing.

Saturday, January 29
During a routine check for a fraternity social event, a student under the age of 21 years was seen to be in possession of two cans of beer. The student, who appeared to be intoxicated, was returned to his room and placed in the care of his roommate.

While on routine patrol on 7th Street, Public Safety officers observed two females who appeared to be intoxicated. One possessed a clear cup of what appeared to be beer. Both females were identified as being under 21 years of age. Both were transported to their residence and the RA on duty was notified.

While on routine patrol in the vicinity of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity, Public Safety officers observed a male urinating on the sidewalk. While speaking with the male, the officer smelled the odor of alcohol on his breath. The student was identified as being under the age of 21 years.

The Public Safety officers were dispatched to two fire alarms in Smith Hall. The cause of the alarms were determined to be illegally activated pull stations. Later this same date the identity of the perpetrator was revealed and that individual was questioned and did admit guilt.

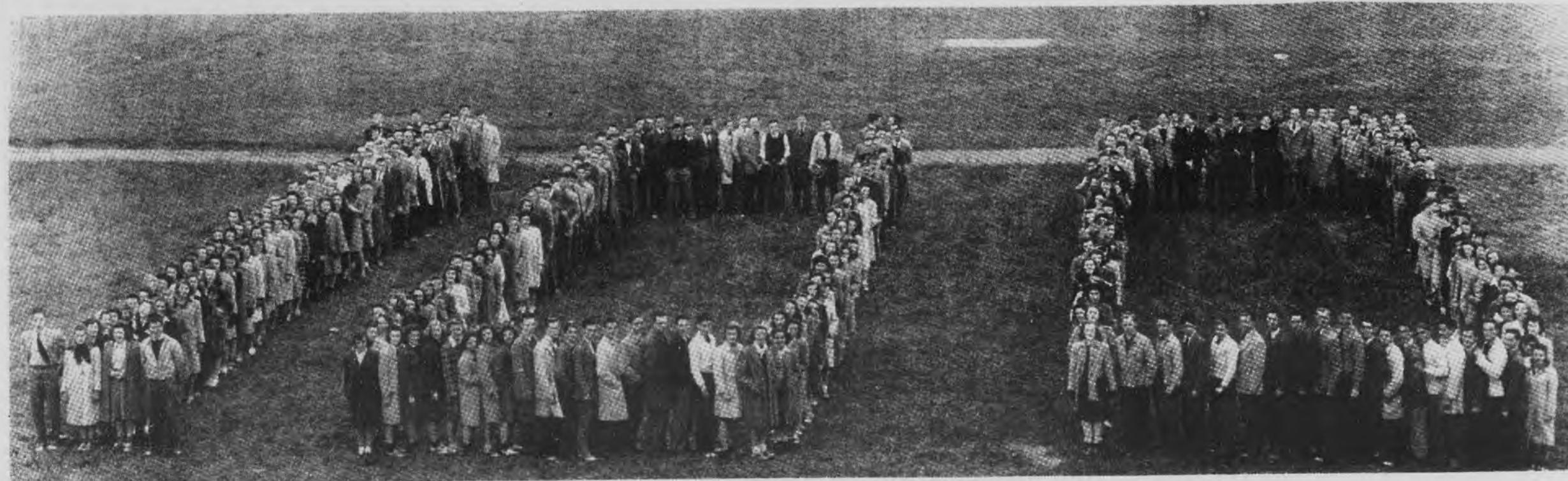
Public Safety responded to Larison Hall where it was discovered that unknown person(s) entered a room through an unlocked window and turned on the hot water to the shower. No items appeared to be missing.

Monday, January 31
Several individuals reported to patrol officers that a suspicious blue pickup truck was observed traveling through the campus at an excessive rate of speed. Information was obtained from Lewisburg Police as to the registered owner of the vehicle.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

Bucknell University—149 years and counting



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The way we were. Top: The oldest extant photo of the Bucknell campus, reproduced from a lithograph, circa 1864; above: Dr. Stephen W. Taylor, the man who secured Bucknell's charter from Pennsylvania State Legislatures in 1846. Taylor went on to become Bucknell's first acting president; right: Bucknell students from 1940 (l to r) Edith Painter, Janet Bald, Alex Alexander, and George Jenkins huddle around Dr. William C. Bartol, himself an 1872 alumnus who taught at Bucknell from 1881-1927 and who became Bucknell's first university historian. Bartol holds Bucknell's original charter on the 95th anniversary of its signing; below: Students from the class of 1946 form themselves in honor of Bucknell's 100th birthday.

Did you know that:

...in 1848 the Academy Building (now Taylor Hall) was built for \$8000, roughly one-third the cost of Bucknell's present annual tuition rate.
...in 1941 Bucknell's tuition was \$300-\$400 annually, less than the average cost to buy books for the 1994-95 school year.



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MARTS HALL

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Organization tested the air as well. Four months later, Clayton Environmental Services, the leading industrial environmental analysis firm, conducted microbial samplings in Marts.

In March 1992, the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), a government agency, was called in to offer their assessment.

According to both Maxwell and Hawley, in all four cases, none of the groups consulted were able to offer any definite source of irritation.

"The outside organizations, and certainly the medical assessment by Geisenger, indicated that everything that they measured for or tested for were in normal limits or didn't exist in quantities sufficient to measure," Maxwell said. "And in the Geisenger situation, their assessment was that there were no indications in the medical testing that there was any threat to the health of the individuals."

Hawley agreed, saying that all of the groups consulted "found nothing out of the ordinary."

In the past several years, at the suggestions of the outside firms, Physical Plant initiated several changes to the building, including replacement of duct liners, changes in the fresh and recirculated air mix, upgrading of air filters, elimination of acoustic partitions, replacement of lighting ballasts, and the installation of portable air filters. None of these changes reversed the symptoms shared by co-workers.

So far, Hawley estimates the University has spent over \$50,000 in trying to remedy the

situation to no avail.

As a last-resort option, Maxwell, Hawley, Harley, Jim Muchler, director of administrative services, and Dennis Swank, director of accounting and business services, the department which was most affected by the syndrome, launched a four-part plan to move chemical-emitting equipment out of Administrative

Services darkroom will be relocated to either the Rooke Biology or Swarts Hall darkroom on March 20.

The final phase calls for all the equipment to be returned to Marts Hall on April 10.

According to a memo sent out by Maxwell to Marts Hall employees, the four-step process is designed to "determine if the re-



Services.

So far, the first phase, which calls for a new exhaust system for the administrative services darkroom and the installation of new charcoal filters in the existing air cleaners, has already been completed.

Starting tomorrow, Physical Plant will begin phase two: removing the printing and plate making equipment to the former Sigma Phi Epsilon house.

Following the initial move,

removal of the particular function has a positive effect" by monitoring employees as each piece of equipment is removed.

"We're trying a process of elimination," Hawley added, "because we can't identify what [the source of the problem] is. So now it's a process of elimination to find out which block of equipment may be introducing the irritant to the air system."

Sandy Raymond, from calendar and scheduling, feels that

Administrative Services remains the most viable source of the problem.

Raymond, who suffered a fluid imbalance in her eyes because of the dry conditions in the office, says that many of her co-workers have experienced recurring respiratory and sinus problems.

"You mostly notice [the symptoms] if you were off for a long period of time," such as holidays or long weekends, Raymond said. "That first day or two back is like walking into a vacuum."

Raymond, whose office is directly above administrative services, says that their air systems are directly linked, and that she feels that the connecting air system is the cause of the problems. "You can tell what [the people in Administrative Services] are having for lunch, or when they make popcorn."

The irony of the situation is that, according to Maxwell, no Administrative Service employee has complained of similar symptoms that might be linked to the syndrome.

Should the relocation of Administrative Services not yield positive results, Maxwell feels that there are no other alternatives left to explore.

"If [moving Administrative Services] doesn't prove that there's any connection," Maxwell said, "it will be very difficult because there are so many variables going on all at the same time. If [moving] doesn't prove to be effective in alleviating the problems, we don't have any other viable options."

News Briefs International News

Peso on the rise after weeks of struggle

Mexico's stock market soared and the peso rose in value yesterday as President Ernesto Zedillo Ponce de Leon declared that the White House's new rescue plan could help the country to emerge from its worst financial crisis in a decade.

After weeks of anxiety and chaos in the financial markets, the badly weakened peso, which on Monday took a nose dive to its lowest point since the crisis began on Dec. 20, roared back 10.5 percent today to close at 5.75 pesos to the dollar.

Traders and institutional investors went into a buying frenzy for Mexican stocks as soon as the new plan was announced in Washington. By the end of the day, the Mexican stock market had gained 10.3 percent, recouping much of the ground lost in the last four trading days as Congressional opposition rose in response to Clinton's plan.

—The New York Times

National News

Denver airport finally ready for take-off

Denver's costly and problem-plagued new airport, which was first scheduled to open in October 1993, will open by the end of February.

The opening of the \$4.2 billion Denver International Airport has been delayed four times by project changes and problems in the automated baggage system, which chewed up luggage during tests.

The construction of the airport has also resulted in \$2.5 billion in unanticipated costs, and at least a dozen state and Federal investigations are looking into allegations of shoddy construction and other wrongdoings.

—The New York Times

Republicans score another win in House

House Republicans have scored another victory. By a vote of 360 to 74, the House has approved the unfunded mandates bill, a key item in Republican agenda.

The measure is aimed at limiting the ability of congress to pass new regulations without providing money to states and communities to meet the new standards.

House Democrats had argued that the legislation could affect vital environmental, safety, and health regulations. But the majority Republicans overrode those objections.

The measure now heads to a conference committee to work out differences with a Senate version.

—Associated Press

First woman to pilot space shuttle tomorrow

When the space shuttle Discovery next lifts off, an event scheduled for Friday, Lieut. Col. Eileen M. Collins of the Air Force will be in an historic role. She will be the first woman to pilot a NASA spaceship.

Collins, 38, will be second in command of the shuttle and its crew of six. In orbit, she will be steering the shuttle at times by firing small rockets and helping monitor flight instruments.

If all goes well, she will move over to the left seat—that of space shuttle commander—by the end of the decade, thus breaking the final sex barrier in space.

—The New York Times

On Campus

Bucknell receives \$75,000 grant from GE

Technology in the classroom is continually improving. With the aid of a three year, \$75,000 grant from GE, the Engineering Department can further expand the recently installed electronic classroom.

The classroom, located in Dana Engineering Building, was officially opened last semester with a five year grant from Air Products and Chemicals Inc. The final product, an electronic classroom, combines computer lab and classroom into one area.

The GE grant will focus on the personal aspects of the classroom. Faculty, working with non-traditional engineering students, will develop appropriate courseware to instruct the course.

Brian Hoyt, instructional administrator, says "Having students build the courseware is more effective, because the students will be testing the effectiveness. They will see if it really works."

An estimated six students will be selected through an application and interview process to work on the program this summer.

Public safety alerts campus to Davis thefts

Recently, there has been a rash of thefts of personal belongings from the Davis Gym locker rooms and fieldhouse workout areas. We are instituting some preventive measures to reduce this problem and to apprehend the culprits. This is to alert you to the situation.

Some tips to remember:

1. Bring only what you need to the gym. Do not place wallets, credit cards, cash, or personal items in an unlocked locker or leave them unattended.
2. Leave personal valuables at home in a safe place.
3. Be alert to belongings of fellow students which also may be vulnerable.
4. Report any suspicious persons or situations to the gym staff or public safety immediately (x 3333). Remember the descriptions and details of the suspicious person(s).

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LIFESTYLES

Profs report standing room only in popular classes

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Already a full week into classes and William Duckworth, professor of music, says people are still trying to get into his "Jazz, Rock, and the Avant Garde" course.

"And I tell them I don't mind as long as they don't mind standing!" Duckworth said. He has a class roster that spans three pages.

Could it be word of mouth that helped the enrollment for MU103? Or perhaps it was because Duckworth was named one of the six Master Teachers in America by *Rolling Stone Magazine*.

Darryl Volpicelli '98, a Biology major, says that the quality of the professor's work influenced his decision to take the course.

"I heard that the professor was a really good professor, and I had always been interested in music," he said.

Of the 118 students enrolled in MU103, not one of them is a music major. A similar thing could be said for EN257 Shakespeare—where only a quarter of the class is made up of English majors at any given time.

Michael Payne, a professor of English who has taught the class for 26 years, believes that what draws the students is increased recognition of the importance of Shakespeare, whether it be spurred from a high school experience or from viewing one of the many modern day film versions of the writer's classics.

Actors such as Anthony Hopkins in *Othello* and Kenneth Branagh of *Much Ado About Nothing* make Shakespeare more accessible and take away the intimidation factor that Shakespeare can generate.

Payne said that each year the curriculum of reading has been different and the course becomes increasingly dynamic as new relationships are found among the works.

In the past, the class has drawn 100 to 150 students a semester. Now Payne shares his teaching responsibilities with Meenakshi Ponnuswami and Jean Peterson, both professors of English.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Along with the hectic drop/add period comes the realization that many classes are already filled beyond capacity. Above: "Jazz, Rock, and the Avant Garde" taught by William Duckworth, professor of music.

Although both MU103 and EN257

draw on material from the past, there is something in both of the media that have maintained a timeless quality. Duckworth said he likes to teach the students the material that exists around the favorites that already are established. "It [the music] is a nonverbal way of looking at 20th

century music," he said. Duckworth attributes the success of the class to technology that has enabled students to "see" Louis Armstrong and Miles Davis rather than to just "hear" their music.

Colleen Bannister '94, a psychology and education major, said "It's [the music] stuff we grew up listening to. It's part

of what we are growing up with now" as qualities that make MU103 interesting to her.

Monisha DeQuadros '98 is enthusiastic about MU103. "It's jazz and rock. It is something you can relate to as opposed to history which is so abstract," she said. Professor Duckworth said that he believes the pendulum of trends is swinging away from the early 80s focus on a technically oriented education and back towards a focus on the arts.

Payne also commented on the modern quality of Shakespeare's work that makes it more accessible to contemporary readers. He cites the drama of *King Lear*, wherein the protagonist battles with hysteria, a mental illness that had been traditionally reserved for women. Shakespeare chooses to explore the madness of the character, and in turn, takes on the issue of gender conflict head on, long before his time. "The more you know about Elizabethan literature, the more of Shakespeare's references can be understood from a modern point of view," said Payne. He also attributes the success of his class to the media, like the British Broadcasting Company, and directors such as Franco Zepherelli who have made Shakespeare readily available.

Shakespeare comprises three sections this semester, "Jazz, Rock, and the Avant Garde" has peaked at 118 now and is still growing. "I think that people take the class and have a good experience and it just keeps mushrooming," Duckworth said of his class.

But allowing so many students to take a class is not all positive. One drawback that both Payne and Duckworth mentioned was the possibility of losing some intimacy in having such a big class.

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EDITORIAL

Curing the calendar once and for all

University Council's 13-day option promises to resolve problem, satisfy everyone

In Bucknell-speak, the word calendar equals headache.

A source of contention since the University abolished the Jan plan in 1993, establishing a calendar that satisfies all members of the University community seems to be impossible.

In an effort to stem the tide of complaints made by those who felt that the gap between the fall and spring semester was too long, committees formed to advance suggestion after suggestion, BSG took student-opinion polls, and President Sojka promised to resolve the calendar issue before he left office.

Unfortunately, none of these efforts has produced any results.

In fact, in the two years since the dissolution of the Jan plan, calendar changes have been so insignificant, and the gap between fall and spring semester so large, that some faculty members even are proposing to reinstate the Jan plan.

In the latest effort to resolve this snafu, the Uni-

versity Council has agreed to consider three options for changing the spring semester.

Option one leaves the spring semester schedule unchanged, option two offers a spring semester that begins eight days earlier than the current start date, and option three offers a spring semester that begins 13 days earlier than the current start date.

Given these three options, the editorial staff of *The Bucknellian* supports option three as being the most beneficial to the Bucknell community.

In addition to reducing the lag-time between the two semesters, options two and three both offer the advantages of longer summers—meaning an increase in contiguous time for travel, research, class preparation, employment, summer internships, etc.—some cost reduction to the University as the length of the academic year would be reduced, and Commencement on a weekend other than Memorial Day weekend.

But option three has the added advantage of placing the Patriot League Championships (Men's and

Women's Track and Field, and Women's Softball) after the end of final exams. Option two would place the Patriot League Championships during final exams.

Clearly, option three would provide a win-win situation for everyone. With a shorter winter break, students would finish classes earlier in May. Because of this they may find it easier to secure summer employment, or earn more money or experience at their summer job or internship.

And students participating in Patriot League Championships could compete without the added pressures of final exams.

Many members of the Bucknell community have spent much time and effort during the past two years seeking a solution to this problem. Resolving it will require some compromise on all sides.

Option three promises to be the cure for what ails the University calendar. It's past time to grit our teeth and take the medicine.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

False alarms endanger lives in residence halls

TO THE EDITOR:

The five deaths at a fraternity house at Bloomsburg University last semester bring home the startling reality of fires and their potential for devastation on college campuses. Although Bucknell's fire inspection, safety and prevention programs are the most comprehensive that you will find on a college campus, the statistics on our campus demonstrate a similar vulnerability.

During the period from August to December 1994, there were 511 fire alarms reported to Public Safety Dispatch. The causes ranged from cooking smoke to shower steam to the deliberate activation of an alarm for no other purpose than to disturb the campus community. Of these 511 alarms, 28 were false alarms, intentionally and maliciously activated. Of these false alarms, 26 occurred in residence halls, usually late at night or in the early morning hours, requiring the evacuation of all the residents. Of these 26 malicious alarms, 13 were caused by someone pulling an alarm pull-station and 13 were caused by the deliberate activation of a fire extinguisher for no legitimate purpose.

What is the significance of these statistics and why are we concerned? In almost all cases of the deliberate activation of a fire alarm in a residence hall, there are three factors involved: they occur on weekends, they occur late at night and they involve alcohol. There is a belief, among new students at Bucknell, that it is a tradition, a "fun" act, or an act of defiance against the institution to set off false alarms in the residence halls. Nothing could be further from the truth. First of all, there is no prank value associated with disturbing fellow students and forcing them to evacuate their rooms in the middle of the night, in the middle of their sleep, and in all kinds of weather. Secondly, this does not affect the University or the public safety officers on duty. They do not live in these buildings. And finally, this is not and has never been a tradition. The University and most students view such activities as inappropriate and juvenile.

During the calendar years 1992, 1993, and 1994, there were 42 fires on campus, nine which were serious, resulting in significant damage to or losses of rooms, wings, or sections of buildings. Fortunately, there were no deaths or injuries. Some of the causes were negligence on the

part of occupants (use of candles, hot plates, etc.). In almost all the cases, the residents were evacuated safely (sometimes barely in time) due to the fire response system on campus and the early warning systems (detectors and alarms) in the buildings. Any failure or delay in these responses or these early warning systems could have resulted in the loss of life. The failure of such an early warning system (smoke detectors and alarms) played a key role in the deaths at Bloomsburg University.

A smoke detector is an early warning system to warn occupants that smoke is invading their area. These detectors recognize the first stages of a fire long before the flames reach a room or

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hallway. Almost all fire deaths occur from oxygen deprivation due to smoke inhalation. People suffocate from the smoke generated by a real fire long before the fire reaches them. Again, this is what occurred at Bloomsburg University. National fire statistics have shown that fires can erupt and engulf a room in three to seven minutes, a hall in seven to ten minutes, and a building in 15 minutes. The safe evacuation time between the first warning of an activated smoke detector or fire alarm and the encroachment of smoke to the point where evacuation is dangerous or not possible, can be as little as three to five minutes. Smoke detectors and fire alarms save lives again and again.

When a residence hall experiences repeated false fire alarms in the middle of the night, the residents become desensitized and soon fall prey to the "cry wolf" syndrome. They no longer respond or evacuate when a fire alarm sounds. In residence halls where false fire alarms have been

a reoccurring weekend problem, public safety officers and Resident Assistants have had to evacuate residents by going from room to room because residents no longer respond to the alarms. In some halls, residents experienced five or six false alarms in one night. With a three to five minute safe evacuation time in a real fire situation, public safety officers and Resident Assistants would not be able to evacuate all the residents before the halls were overcome with smoke and occupants were trapped and/or suffocated. The early warning system by smoke detectors and fire alarms works if all residents evacuate voluntarily and immediately upon hearing a fire alarm. False alarms that impede this response endanger lives. Similarly, a serious danger exists when a resident encounters a small room, trash can, or kitchen fire (due to candles, unattended cooking, electrical overloads), seeks a fire extinguisher nearby, and finds that it has been removed or discharged as a prank. Critical fire "knockdown time" has been lost while the resident is searching for another fire extinguisher. Building fires have resulted from such circumstances.

During the 1994 fall semester, 12 students were apprehended tampering with fire equipment or activating fire alarms in residence halls for no legitimate purpose and were subsequently charged with Category I offenses in the University Judicial System. Six of these students were also charged criminally by Public Safety at the District Justice's office. They were found guilty, placed on probation, and received a total of over \$4,000 in fines and costs. The University has placed protective covers on some fire alarm pull-boxes, which activate an audible alarm at the location when lifted, before the pull-box can be activated. The University will continue to prosecute persons who place residents in danger by creating false fire alarms. The problem, however, cannot be fully resolved until residents themselves apply peer pressure and begin to confront and/or report (anonymously if necessary) those persons who are placing all of us in danger by falsely setting off fire alarms in the places where we live.

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Speak Out

Since the abolition of the January Plan, Bucknellians have not been satisfied with the University calendar. In an effort to satisfy everyone, the University Council has proposed three options to be reviewed for the Spring 1996-97 calendar. The first option keeps the current calendar intact, the second would begin spring semester eight days earlier (Jan. 14), and the third would begin spring semester 13 days earlier (Jan. 9). First year students and sophomores would be affected by any change in the calendar, and this is a sample of their opinion.

Thirteen days would make the break too short! If the break ended eight days earlier, we'd be going back around the same time as most other schools.

—Katie Miller '97

I'm not involved in athletics, so returning eight days earlier would be optimal for me. As of now, the break is far too long.

—Frank Procidia '97

Currently the winter break is too long. Returning eight days earlier wouldn't bother me at all. The summer would also be longer and would benefit our student internship possibilities.

—Julie Kimball '98

Bucknell's calendar should stay just as it is. If we shortened winter break by eight days, finals would fall during the Patriot League Championships. This would not be fair to our school's athletes. It is impossible to be in two places at the same time.

—Derek King '98

OPINIONS



Pennsylvania state law: The students' right-to-know

BY VINCENT N. DECERCHIO

In 1988, the legislature in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania passed PA Act 73, *The College and University Security Information Act*, requiring all colleges and universities in Pennsylvania to report their crimes on campus annually to the Pennsylvania State Police and the college community. This mandate was implemented in the form of an annual uniform crime statistics report (UCR) to the Pennsylvania State Police and an information brochure distributed annually to the campus community. As this law drew support across the nation, more states implemented a similar act for their colleges and universities. In 1990, The Student Right-To-Know and Campus Security Act (Public Law 101-542) was signed into law by Congress and became a national reporting law for all colleges and universities. This law was a refined version of the Pennsylvania reporting law of 1988.

The purpose of the state law, and later the federal law, was to require colleges and universities to accurately

report their campus crime statistics to the community and to demonstrate what measures were being taken to prevent/reduce crime on campus. The Right-To-Know brochure provides campus crime statistics, the composition of the campus police/security department, information on residence hall security and crime prevention strategies. In addition to reporting such information to the campus community, the college or university is also now required to report their information and crime statistics annually to two central authorities: The Federal Bureau of Investigation and the United States Department of Education, Washington, D.C.

The results of the legislation have been beneficial in bringing to light some problems and practices on college campuses that were previously unavailable to the public. Problems and unsafe conditions on some campuses were not made public, thus hampering efforts by campus and local law enforcement agencies to reduce crime and to make the community safer. It was a normal response for some college administrators to fear that publishing their crime statistics

would adversely affect their enrollment figures. But after the smoke cleared from the controversy, no one has been able to produce statistics to show that these crime prevention efforts have hurt any college enrollment. In truth, they haven't. These efforts have, however, produced better trained, more accountable campus police/security departments, better crime prevention programs on campus, and safer campuses. Students, faculty and staff have shown they possess the intelligence and the maturity to analyze and process such information in a calm and objective manner.

Effective January 11, the police log (security log) amendment to the Right-To-Know law in Pennsylvania will take effect. This law requires every college and university in Pennsylvania to maintain a daily, chronological police/security/public safety log available to the public upon request.

This log will provide a brief description of all valid criminal incidents, complaints or reports submitted to Public Safety along with the response, the names of people arrested

and any criminal charges filed. The log is not required to provide the names of victims, witnesses, complainants or suspects. The log may not jeopardize any incident that is under investigation.

Except for providing the names, charges and people arrested, everything else in the Public Safety Log will be identical to the summaries compiled and published weekly in *The Bucknellian* Public Safety Log. This information will now be available upon request on a daily basis for the current 24-hour period after 9 a.m. This public safety log should not affect students at Bucknell any differently than the weekly Public Safety Log in *The Bucknellian* does.

Some members of this community have argued that there are negative implications associated with the requirement to publish the names of the people arrested for a crime. I cannot agree with this contention. The charging and subsequent arrest of a person by police authorities occurs only after a thorough examination of the evidence and circumstances in the case. When in doubt, the charging is delayed until there is reasonable cer-

tainty that there exists sufficient evidence to warrant the arrest. Our constitution provides every citizen with due process protection from arbitrary police action. Those persons who are exonerated in a court of law can receive the same exposure in the local newspapers if they so request.

All members of the Bucknell community share the same responsibilities for following the law and for respecting the rights of others as do the citizens living in other communities. People have a right to know who is breaking the law and who is infringing upon their right to live peacefully and lawfully. Members of a community also have the right to know what the problems and hazards are in their community and what authorities are doing to eliminate or reduce these problems. The community needs to work with the authorities to correct the problems in its neighborhood. Crime prevention strategists and sociologists tell us this is the only way for a neighborhood to remain healthy and safe. Keeping citizens in the community informed is an important part of this process.

Republican budget cuts affect NEA Paul Hill writes to the world

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

The National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) has been preparing to defend themselves against the sharp axes of the newly elected Republican Congress. Washington has been replaced with budget cutters who feel that the nation can no longer afford to fund the NEA and the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB), or who think the federal government has no business doing so anyway.

In an interview with C-Span, Newt Gingrich, the newly elected Speaker of the House, called the Endowment "a plaything of pork." "I am for the Atlanta Ballet. I'm for the Metropolitan—maybe the greatest art museum in America—in New York City. But I'm against self-selected elites using your tax money and my tax money to pay off their friends." Gingrich was referring to the peer review system in which artists evaluate other artists applying for federal grants. He feels the system is elitist and a waste of federal tax money. The NEA feels differently and is ready to fight back.

Members of the National Endowment for the Arts and those for freedom of speech, have been making it their job to get the people in their cities and states busy writing to their representatives in defense of the NEA. Many feel that art defines a society, and to close down the NEA would only create a closed society. "If the government turns its back on institutions like the Met, they would either have to curtail services or raise ticket prices steeply. Great art—the masterpieces that once hung in the parlors of the

rich—would once again be available only to those who can afford it. The silly fight against elitism serves only the cause it abhors," wrote Richard Cohen, a *Washington Post* columnist.

Public interest in sustaining traditions represented by art museums, libraries, symphonies, dance, and theatre has been made clear. The NEA has made such talent available to wider audiences with federal funds, and wishes to continue to do so. Gingrich feels this can be done through "privatization," which the NEA thinks is a code for elimination.

The National Endowment for the Arts has survived the censorship wars. Past Congresses have proposed cutting the NEA from the federal budget due to obscenity and pornography in some art, but realized that subsidies by the government are an ancient and necessary tradition for art in a society. This, however, isn't the old "culture war." This is the federal budget. It creates a different argument when you're weighing the arts against food stamps, Medicaid, education, and child nutrition.

The new Contract with America recognizes the citizen legislature that doesn't think the government should be in debt. The Republicans have been swinging their budgetary axes at everything, not just the NEA and the CPB.

The new Congress should not eliminate funding to the NEA completely, but some trimming is necessary. The federal deficit will affect the future of our children more so than a lack of art.

BY JOHN STITH

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

A letter from Paul Hill to the World:

Would you believe those pro-life groups? Are you aware that most of them are still refusing to shoot people for their cause?

In 1994 the true anti-abortion mercenaries shot ten abortionists. (Well, we shot four; the rest of the people were in the way.) Five of the people we shot died. I'm proud to say I took out a couple myself. No doubt all the gunmen and the gunman are true all-Americans. We watch our *Rambo* movies and read up on the latest firearms. We know what most Americans know: that violence is the solution to any problem. The Terminator didn't solve things by sitting down and talking to people. When confronted with evil, you blast it away. Anyone who does otherwise is a wimp. Look up "pacifist" in the dictionary, you find "wimp."

So where do these nonviolent pro-life groups get off, anyway? The National Right to Life Committee—the freakin' largest pro-life group in the country, with 200,000 members—doesn't use violence and never has. What do these radicals, these lunatics, expect to accomplish? Do they think world peace is going to fall from the sky? Peace has to be won with a gun, bullet by bullet.

"Normal" Americans know this. They want a big military. They don't want us talking with the Commies. They would shoot 'em up for lots of causes.

But these peacenik pro-lifers are something

else. Do these people think they're like Ghandi? Like Martin Luther King? Maybe you can win your civil rights without violence, but convince Americans to stop having abortions? Stop killing? The only way to convince people to stop killing is to take out a few. That's why we have the death penalty.

Are they trying to be Christian or something? We all know what Jesus said: "Kill Kill Kill." I lost the page number on that verse but I'm sure it's in my Bible somewhere.

These extremists still believe people respect nonviolence. They don't get any respect, and everyone knows it. This is America—the bad guys don't get reformed or educated or come to some sort of agreement. They get killed, preferably with a bullet as a souvenir. Hell, even in *The Lion King* the bad lion gets torn to shreds.

These pro-lifers are behind the times. It's anti-abortion time now. America never listened to them, but everyone will listen to us. This war is just beginning. Wait until we get those *Soldier of Fortune* readers some new AK-47's. And maybe the CIA under a pro-violence president would help us with some covert action. It'll be just like the good-old Reagan days down in Nicaragua with the Contras, but right here in the U.S.

I'm glad to see there will be brave, steadfast soldiers to replace me when I'm gone. As you may know, they're gonna fry me in the electric chair for what I've done, and I'm glad. Anything to get the cycle of violence going. (Or was I supposed to be trying to stop it?)

LIFESTYLES

Starting off the new year: Chinese celebrations in Terrace Room

BY TUE NGU
CCA Correspondent

New Year's celebrations may be over in the United States, but in other parts of the world, they're just beginning.

The Chinese Culture Association (CCA), a newly formed organization at Bucknell, will introduce the campus to Chinese traditions and customs by sponsoring a Chinese New Year celebration from 1 to 5 p.m. this Saturday in the Terrace Room. This will be the first Chinese New Year celebration at Bucknell.

"The goal of our organization is to promote awareness and appreciation of Chinese culture and traditions within the Bucknell University community," said Li-Ying Wang '97, president of CCA.

According to Wang, authentic Chinese food will be served, Chinese music will be played, and Chinese calligraphy, paintings, handicrafts, games, and books will be displayed. In addition, there will be a Chinese dance performance by Er-Dong Hu, assistant professor of dance, and a performance on the piano by a Bucknell alumnus. Slides of China will be shown throughout the celebration in the Buttrick.

Like New Year's in the United States, Chinese New Year is on the first day of the first month of the Chinese lunar calendar. However, the celebrations extend for a period of 15 days. According to the Chinese zodiac, this is the Year of the Pig.

The celebrations of the Chinese New Year abound with tradi-



Photo courtesy of Danna Frangione

As part of the Chinese New Year celebrations, Er-Dong Hu, assistant professor of dance, will perform a Chinese dance. The festivities will be held in the Terrace Room this Saturday.

tion. Dragon dances, firecrackers, and lanterns create a vivid display of celebration. People visit friends and relatives in newly bought clothes. Chinese greeting cards are also sent. Married people from elder generations hand out red envelopes that contain money.

"Since the color red is the sym-

bol of luck," explained Tianshu Chen, a graduate student from China, "the red envelope is a symbol of happiness and good wishes for the upcoming year."

The Chinese New Year is the most important holiday for the Chinese people. It is also an excellent way to learn more about Chi-

nese culture and traditions. "You do not need to be Chinese to appreciate Chinese culture and traditions," said Tamara Zgonjanin '98, a member of CCA and an international student from Croatia.

This celebration of Chinese New Year is free of charge.

Rooke ringers travel home to perform

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

For most of us, Jan. 20 to Jan. 23 marked the final lazy days of winter break—the last chance to sleep late, watch Riki Lake and Oprah, and generally be a sloth. For the twelve members of the Rooke Chapel Ringers and their director, those four days marked the tour that began the group's 1995 concert season.

According to Christy McCallum '95, each year Dr. William Payn, director of the Ringers, tries to arrange a concert at the home church of each senior in the group. This year the Ringers performed in Hackensack, N.J., and Hershey, Penn., at the home churches of seniors McCallum, Katie Worster, Jennifer Kelley, and Christine Taylor.

"We did the same concert at every church," McCallum said. These concerts included two pieces composed by Payn. *Psalm of Peace* was inspired by the Rooke Chapel Choir's 1994 tour to Poland and the Czech Republic. The Ringers played Payn's *Four Resonances* for the first time at their Hackensack performance. "In addition to our performance in Princeton, we played at the two Sunday morning services," McCallum said.

The ensemble's tour, although busy, was not all work. Side trips included the Marmar Bell Factory, that manufactures the bells with which

the Ringers perform. While in Hershey, a visit to Chocolate Town found its way onto the group's agenda.

Now that the Ringers are back on campus, they will be kept busy rehearsing for several of their future engagements. Besides the four seniors, the bell choir includes graduate students Curt Crane and Shantl Hatch, Meredith Bauer '96, Barbara Black '96, Sharon Sauder '96, Rande Schneider '96, Doug Waage '97, and Trey Helms '98.

"We have a lot coming up after spring break," McCallum said. On April 9, the Ringers will perform a concert in Harrisburg. They will be featured in the annual Prism Concert, held during Spring Weekend, along with the other music department ensembles.

A performance at Rooke Chapel on April 26 will be followed that weekend by their participation in a workshop in Bernardsville, N.J. "Dr. Payn has done several workshops, but this is something new for the ensemble as a whole," McCallum said.

In August, the Ringers will be traveling to Scottsdale, Ariz., to participate in workshops.

"One bell choir will perform each night that we're there. We've been invited to perform in Arizona before; this year we received funding that enabled us to accept the invitation," McCallum said, adding that the ensemble is looking forward to traveling west.

Seventh Street sweet study spot



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Escaping from the library and the dorms, Denise Bachmura '96 and Michael Curtis '96 start off the semester studying in the relaxed, yet quiet, atmosphere of the Seventh Street Cafe. The Cafe is a popular place to study, being known for its hot chocolate and other warm drinks.

LIFESTYLES

Four artists humor the Center Gallery walls

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Art does not always have to be serious, a fact of which Lynn Cazabon, assistant professor of art, is well aware.

As curator of *Irreverent Homage*, the current exhibit in the Center Gallery, she chose to bring together the work of four young artists because it "takes a humorous or ironic stance towards certain aspects of the history of art." As its title implies, the exhibit, which will be on display through Feb. 26, is contradictory in its nature and is certainly out of the ordinary.

Most of the artwork filling the Center Gallery was painted, sewn, glued, or drawn within the last two years. "These are four emerging artists who are young in their careers," Cazabon said, making this particular exhibition exciting for students and young artists to see.

For the last four years, artist Aaron Parazette has focused on how people build on experience and specifically how they experience art in many of his works. "My basic view is that the way we experience art has become very complex in the late 20th century," he said. Parazette focuses on the

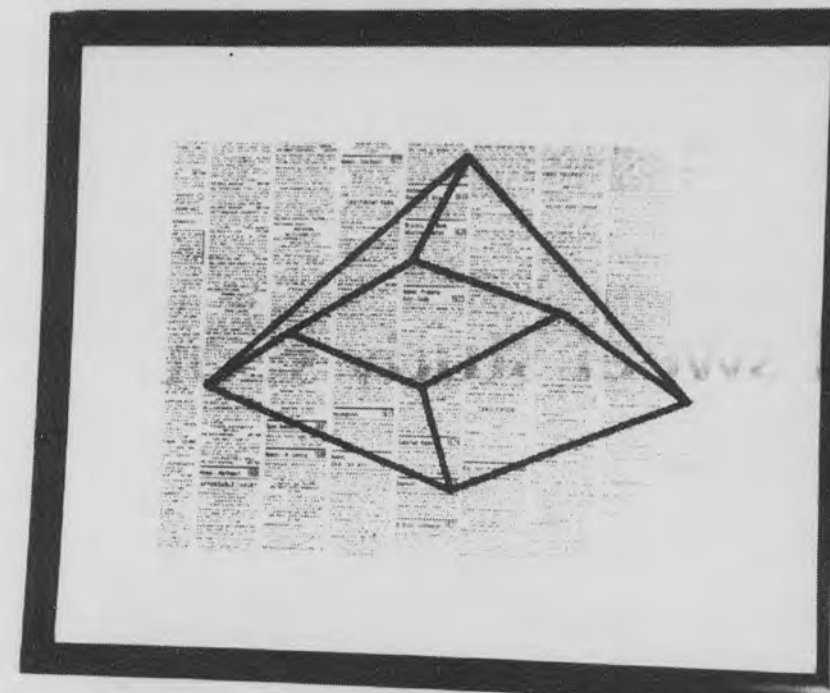
action of the artist's hand in painting, instead of the image produced, giving his work an interesting twist.

Similarly, Martha C. Bush puts a spin on her artwork by using materials that are "not typically used in art," Cazabon stated. Suspended plastic snakes with curly blond

locks and a sculpture made of white pipe cleaner are just two of Bush's creations.

As a feminist, Bush stated that her work is "a reaction against the large-scale heroic male art of, for example, the abstract expressionists and minimalists." Where their work is large, heavy, and "takes itself seriously," hers is small, ephemeral, and light enough to dangle from a thread or from one

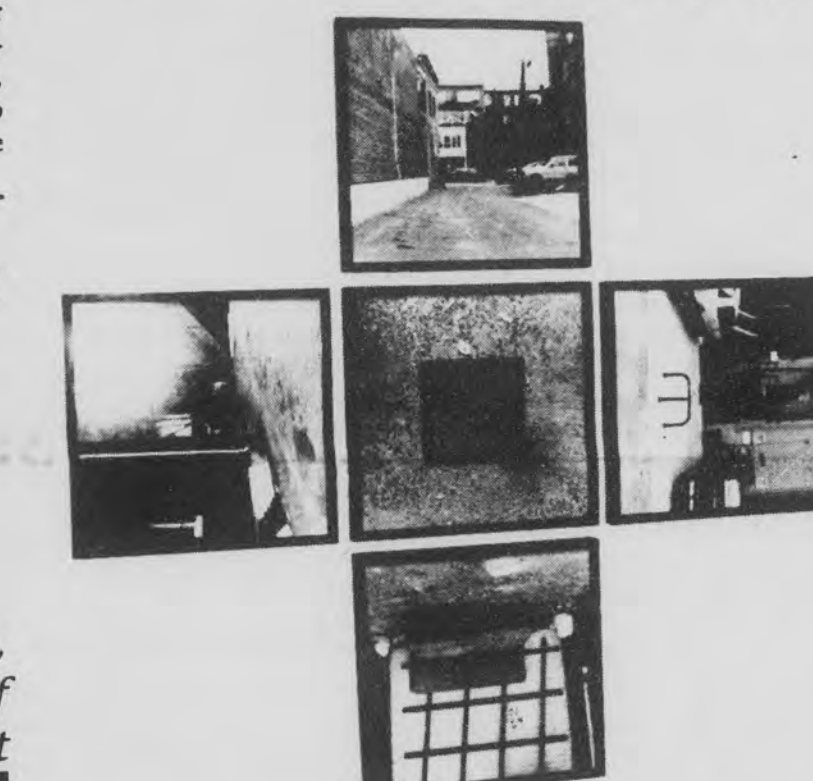
quietly challenges the sculpture of high modernism through its small size and odd materials. Several of her pieces on display are made of lace, fabric, and hardware. One consists of a plastic



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
Created in 1991 by William Davenport, this piece on display in the Center Gallery is titled "Wall Street Box."

The work of [these] four young artists "takes a humorous or ironic stance towards certain aspects of the history of art."
—Lynn Cazabon, assistant professor of art

small pin, Bush explained. According to Cazabon, Bush's mixed media art "directly contradicts and



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
Martin Drexler's 1994 work entitled Card is a creation consisting of photos and bronze now seen in the Center Gallery.

A&E Calendar

Friday, February 3
Film: *The Wages of Fear*, Hilltop Film Series, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium

Saturday, February 4
Film: *The Client* 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theater.

Monday, February 6
Classics Lecture: "Classical Journeys Along the Silk Road," David Grose, professor of classics at Amherst College, 7:30 p.m., Lecture Hall, Dana Engineering Building.

Tuesday, February 7
Religious Studies Forum: "Economic Justice," Gregory Krohn, associate professor of economics, and Janet Knoedler, assistant professor of economics, noon, Walls Lounge

The Bucknellian is starting 1995 off with a new and exciting adventure: The Lifestyles section. There's only one thing more exciting...writing for Lifestyles. Call Karin at x4680 or Katie at x4377 and start writing today! You won't regret it!

Temperatures soar with new dancer-in-residence



Photo by Debra Cook

With his extensive dance training, Roel promises to bring to his February residency much experience that has affected many aspects of major dance companies in New York, Canada and Holland.



Photo by Debra Cook

Pictured in rehearsal with the Bucknell Dance Company, Peter Roel will become an active force behind the Company the February. He will begin a week-long residency with the Company starting Feb. 6. While on campus, Roel will set a piece for the Company's Spring Concert this May.

It's a new semester, it's a new section, so come on out and write for the Lifestyles section. Start by attending a writers' workshop for this section on Sunday, Feb. 12 at 8 p.m. in The Bucknellian offices (located in the basement of Roberts).

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BISON SCOREBOARD

MEN'S BASKETBALL 9-10 (7.0)									
Name	FG	3PT	FT	RB	TOTPT				
January 25, 1994 (away)									
Bucknell	37	46	83						
Lafayette	28	33	61						
Wagner	7	2	3	4	19				
Golden	4	0	6	11	14				
Anderson	3	0	1	4	7				
Wenk	4	0	3	1	11				
Hamer	7	2	4	5	20				
Mboyia	1	0	2	3	4				
Holden	2	0	3	4	4				
Guthrie	0	0	1	0	1				
Polite	0	0	1	2	2				
Welch	3	0	5	6	9				
Hook	0	0	1	0	0				
Wells	1	0	1	2	2				
January 28, 1995 (home)									
Bucknell	38	53	91						
Holy Cross	26	45	71						
Wagner	7	4	1	7	19				
Golden	2	0	2	4	6				
Anderson	5	0	3	6	13				
Wenk	2	1	8	13	13				
Hamer	3	0	2	4	8				
Holden	3	0	3	0	9				
Mboyia	1	1	2	2	5				
Polite	2	1	1	0	6				
Guthrie	0	0	0	0	0				
Anderson	0	0	0	0	3				
Welch	1	0	2	6	4				
Hook	0	0	0	0	0				
Wells	1	0	1	2	2				
Hook	0	0	1	2	2				
WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 6-11 (4.2)									
Name	FG	3PT	FT	RB	TOTPT				
January 25, 1995 (away)									
Bucknell	38	53	91						
Holy Cross	26	45	71						
Wagner	7	4	1	7	19				
Golden	2	0	2	4	6				
Anderson	5	0	3	6	13				
Wenk	2	1	8	13	13				
Hamer	3	0	2	4	8				
Holden	3	0	3	0	9				
Mboyia	1	1	2	2	5				
Polite	2	1	1	0	6				
Guthrie	0	0	0	0	0				
Anderson	0	0	0	0	3				
Welch	1	0	2	6	4				
Hook	0	0	0	0	0				
Wells	1	0	1	2	2				
Hook	0	0	1	2	2				

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In the two weeks following the Feb. 11 match against Buffalo, the Bison will travel to Hofstra and Central Connecticut and play host to the University of Virginia on Feb. 25th. All matches will have a large bearing on whether the Bison win, tie, or lose the ECWA Dual Meet Championship except for Virginia, which is an independent contest.

The Bison are led this season by a strong nucleus of senior wrestlers, most notably by returning All-American Bobby Ferraro at 177 pounds. Ferraro has a record of 19-5 this season and recently became Bucknell's all-time winningest wrestler, amassing his 107th career win against Drexel. In addition to Ferraro, seniors like Steve Caruso (134), Jason Prokoshack (167), Michael Rush

(190), and Ron Wellman (150) have all put 11 or more victories for Bucknell this season.

With just four regular season contests remaining, the Bucknell wrestling team will be looking forward to the post-season, which includes the ECWA and the NCAA tournaments.

"With a tournament like the NCAAs, anyone who qualifies has a chance of doing very well," commented coach Ferraro.

Doing well is one thing, but it is an entirely different matter when a wrestler has a legitimate chance to win the tournament. Considering his place 8th finish in the country last season, young Ferraro will be a definite force to be reckoned with this year at the University of Iowa, the site of this year's NCAA tournament.

TRACK & FIELD

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a healthy Nadeau, Loges, and Hinton will surprise many people this season. Golden wants team pride to prevail during this arduous schedule. So far, athletes are responding to the coach's methods and the top of the Patriot League is realistically in sight.

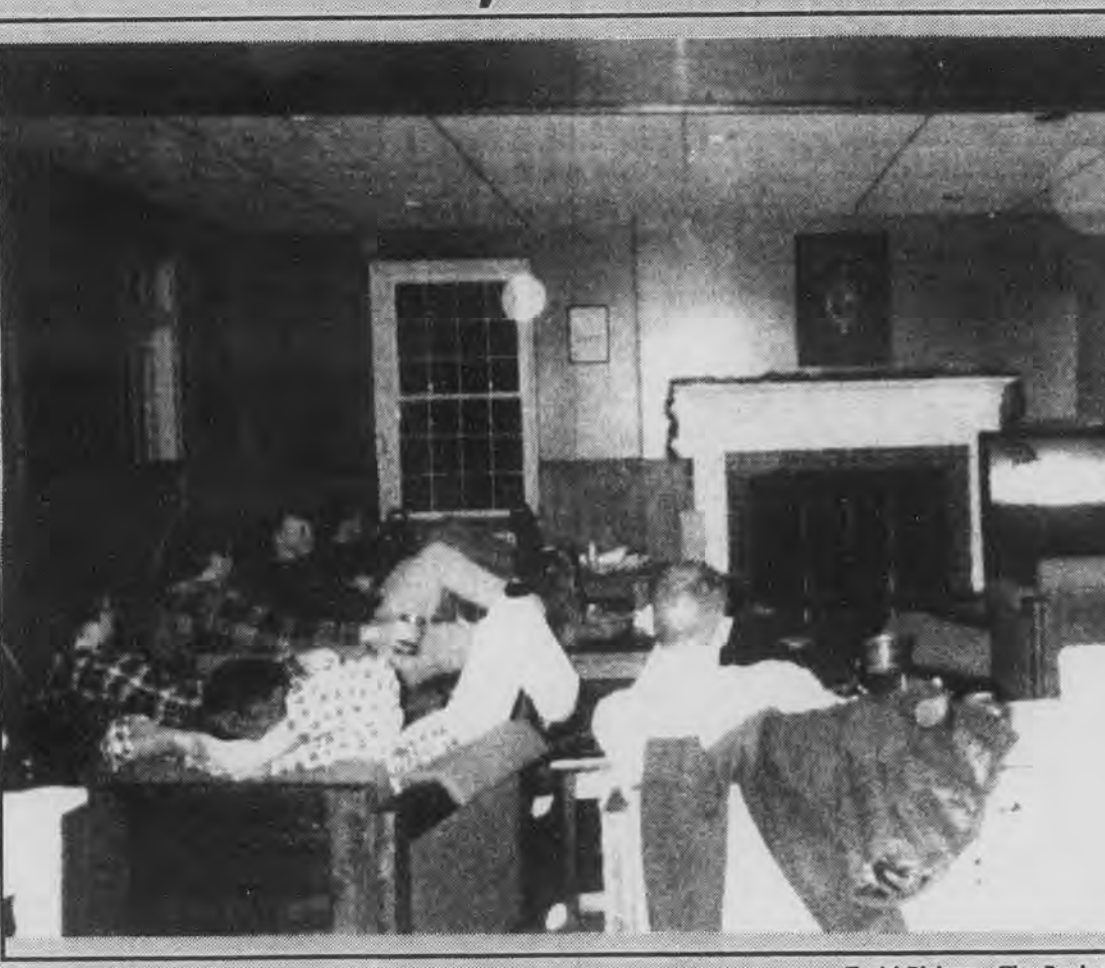
SWIMMING

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neighboring state New York. The first trip the Bison took along our smooth Pennsylvania highways was to Fordham. The Bison also controlled this meet from the opening relays and won rather handily. The next trip was to Colgate and their beautiful aquatic facilities. The men won easily but the women's meet came down to the last relay. The female Red Raiders gave the female Bison a scare, but Bucknell pulled out a victory in the end. All swimmers have contributed to the team's progress. Jen Myers '98 and Stewart Harris '95 have yet to lose an individual race this season.

Again, we hope to see all of you at the meet this weekend.

Photo of the Week



Todd Bishop—The Bucknellian

Members of Lamda Chi Alpha Intently watch the Super-bowl. This game promotes community across the country. At two million dollars per minute, this game also sports a plethora of commercials attempting to sell everything from cars to beer. Unfortunately, this year's matchup was not as exciting as anticipated.

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Men's and women's basketball vs. Fordham

FLASH IN THE PAN

Five in '95: In the battle of two California teams, the San Francisco 49ers captured their fifth Super Bowl last Sunday, destroying the San Diego Chargers, 49-26. Jarrett Bell of USA Today said, "Had it been a heavyweight fight, it would have been stopped."

All Pucked Up and Ready to Go: With the NHL's strike-shortened season finally under way, the Pittsburgh Penguins and Quebec Nordiques are off to the fastest starts with 5-0 records.

Singh Loud: Vijay Singh carded consecutive 66s to the Billy Mayfair at 15-under, 269 at the Phoenix Open Sunday. Singh then went on to defeat Mayfair on the first playoff hole. It was his second PGA Tour win.

Just One Name, Please: Romario, one of the key players in Brazil's triumph in the World Cup last year, was named FIFA player of the year on Monday.

Top of the Hill: Former Duke basketball standout and current star of the Detroit Pistons, Grant Hill became the first rookie ever to lead All-Star voting. Hill amassed nearly 3 million votes, roughly 200,000 more than Shaquille O'Neal.

Hard Copy Material: O.J. Simpson tells his side of the double-murder story in his book *I want to Tell You* hits Bookstores tomorrow.

By Land and By Sea: Sketches are being drawn for a new Pittsburgh Pirates stadium which would be partially situated over the Monongahela River.

Reality Bites: Reality set in on Connecticut last weekend, the last undefeated NCAA Division I team, when it dropped a 88-59 decision to Kansas. Massachusetts is still ranked No. 1 in both the CNN/USA Today and Associated Press polls and has a relatively easy schedule until the NCAA tournament begins in March.

Baseball Blues: Behind pressure that Bill Clinton would ask baseball mediator William Utery to arbitrate an agreement between the club owners and players union to end the strike that began in mid-August, the two sides agreed to begin talks yesterday, USA Today reported Tuesday. There is also word that baseball's antitrust exemption might be abolished.

New Bird in the Nest?: Miami Dolphin's offensive and quarterback coach Gary Stevens is the leading candidate to succeed Ron Kittle at the head post of the Philadelphia Eagles. Other candidates Minnesota Vikings defensive coordinator Tony Dungy and San Francisco 49ers defensive coordinator Ray Rhodes. Mike Shanahan, also of the 49ers, has already turned down the job.

Scholar Athletes Abound: Bucknell captured six of the nine Scholar-Athlete Awards during the fall semester. The six recipients of the awards are Greg Beatty '95 and Joanne Crane '95 in soccer, Rob Glus '95 in football, Jeff Graf '96 in golf, Kristin Lutter '95 in women's tennis and Chris Priestat '95 in men's cross country. They will be honored at the Bison Basketball on February 8. Once again Bucknell had the most student-athletes named to the Patriot League Honor Roll with 88.

Throwing Copper: Lisa Allen '97 broke Kristen Overturn's '96 record in the 20-pound weight with a heave of 45-0 1/4 feet.

Roarin' Lions: Dan Kendra's departure from Penn State did not stop the Nittany Lions from obtaining fierce recruits. The men from Happy Valley 17 new freshmen deemed "the best in the country."

Back from the dead: Cy Young, a one armed golfer, shot two holes-in-one during one round last Sunday.

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Streak ends for men's basketball

ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Life at the top can be hard. The men's basketball team discovered that last night in Annapolis, Maryland, when the Bison lost their first Patriot League and only second game overall since January 4.

Navy reserves scored 30 points and held off a Bucknell surge early in the second half to win the game, 68-59.

Despite the loss, the Bison, now with a 9-11 record overall and 7-1 in Patriot League, still hold a one game lead over Colgate. Navy is now 4-4 in conference, 12-8 overall.

"This was a really monumental win for us," Navy coach Don DeVoe said. "When you are in the lower of a league beginning the second half, you have to make a statement."

Bucknell won its first seven games in the league by playing solid defense and smartly, but gave up 40 points in the first half to the Midshipmen.

Navy took a 40-31 lead into halftime behind 16 points from forward Wes Cooper, but that lead got cut in the opening minutes of the second half.

The Bison began punching the ball into leading scorer on the season, Brian Anderson '96. Anderson was held scoreless in the opening 20 minutes, but with two lay-ups, two free-throws and a three-point shot from the top of the key in the first three minutes of the second half, he quickly had nine points and had cut the Midshipmen lead to 42-40. With a short basket from Tom Welch '97 on a pass from Sekou Hamer two possessions later, the game was tied.

After another Cooper lay-in and free-throw, a Dave Steigerwald '96 jumper from the foul-line would once again close the Bison to 44-44.

But the Bison would get no closer as Navy coach brought Alex Kohnen in, a 6-11, 260 pound center, to shut down Anderson who would only score only four more points while Kohnen would dominate the final 15 minutes of the game.

"Kohnen contributed so much," DeVoe said. "He got the job done against Anderson."

With the score 45-44, the Midshipmen went on a 10-1 run to take a double-digit lead. The run was spurred by three slashing drives and a trey by reserve Greg Stephens. Stephens finished with 12 points and five assists.

"Once I made that first one, it gave me a lot of confidence," Stephens, who was only averaging 2.0 points coming into the game, said. "This is a good win, but it is just a start."

"We tried to pinch down on Cooper a little more in the second half," Bison coach Pat Flannery said.

Steigerwald and Kevin Wenk '96 each had nine points and Mboyia had six off the bench.

"We should have been better than 3-4 at the break," Kohnen said. "We showed that by beating a 7-0 team."

The Bison ran the table in the first half of Patriot League by cleaning up on "dirty" Holy Cross, 91-71, before a capacity crowd at Davis Gym last Saturday.

The Crusaders committed 33 personal fouls and were called for three technical fouls that resulted in both coach Bill Raymond and star forward Rob Feaster being ejected from the court with 1:46 left in the game.

The Bucknell bench scored 32 points, including career-highs of See MEN'S BASKETBALL, page 14

All the way from San Jose

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

On Dec. 22, 1994, Bucknell University Director of Athletics Rick Hartzell announced the hiring of San Jose State defensive coordinator Tom Gadd as the new football head coach, marking the beginning of a new era.

Time had run out for the previous coach Lou Maranzana, whose combined record over his six-year term at Bucknell was an unimpressive 26-38. After a 5-6 season in 1994, Maranzana's contract was not renewed, leaving a vacancy now filled by the hiring of Coach Tom Gadd.

After the departure of Maranzana, the search process for a new coach was handled by a committee made up of faculty members, including Reginald Clark, Barbara Shailor, and Tim Sweeney. Gadd, who is a long-time friend of Bucknell Professor of International Relations, Dr. Steve Stamos, was interested in the job and applied.

Although all of the candidates were impressive, Tom Gadd possessed the entire package that Bucknell was searching for. His experience, sincerity, and commitment to the student-athlete were several of the qualities that made him an attractive selection for members of the search committee.

Although Tom Gadd brings no previous head coaching experience to Bucknell, he has served as defensive coordinator for Division I schools including Long Beach State (1974-76), Utah (1977-82, 1987-89), South Carolina (1983-86), the University of Minnesota (1990-92), as well as San Jose State for a combined 20 years. His defensive

Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Bucknell's new head football coach, Tom Gadd, replaces Lou Maranzana's six-year reign.

fenses at these institutions were quite successful. Long Beach State was ranked nationally in total defense during two of Gadd's three seasons there, and in 1981, Utah was ranked eighth in the nation in rushing defense. With Gadd as defensive coordinator, the 1984 South Carolina Gamecocks managed their finest season ever, recording a record of 10-1. The Gamecocks achieved national ranking, rising as high as number-two in the nation, earning a trip to the Gator Bowl. South Carolina was defeated there by ninth-ranked Oklahoma State. As the

results suggest, Tom Gadd has been able to get the job done on the gridiron.

As a coach, Tom Gadd is not merely a dispatcher of plays. This graduate of University of California at Riverside brings with him a desire to motivate his players "beyond what they think they are capable of." This emotional content is important in getting the most out of the talent on the team. Gadd places an emphasis on "playing together as a team," and looks for his players to combine an intense, mistake-free style of play with precise execution.

The goal of any good coach should be the winning of a league championship, and it seems that Tom Gadd's sights are set in the right direction. His commitment to motivation and intense play will definitely assist him in building a team to achieve his goal and bring a winning tradition to Bucknell University football.



Soledad Mamsaang—The Bucknellian
Kevin Wenk '96 drives around a Holy Cross player in the 91-71 thrashing of the Crusaders. The Bison lead the Patriot League standings, with a 7-1 record, by one game over Colgate.



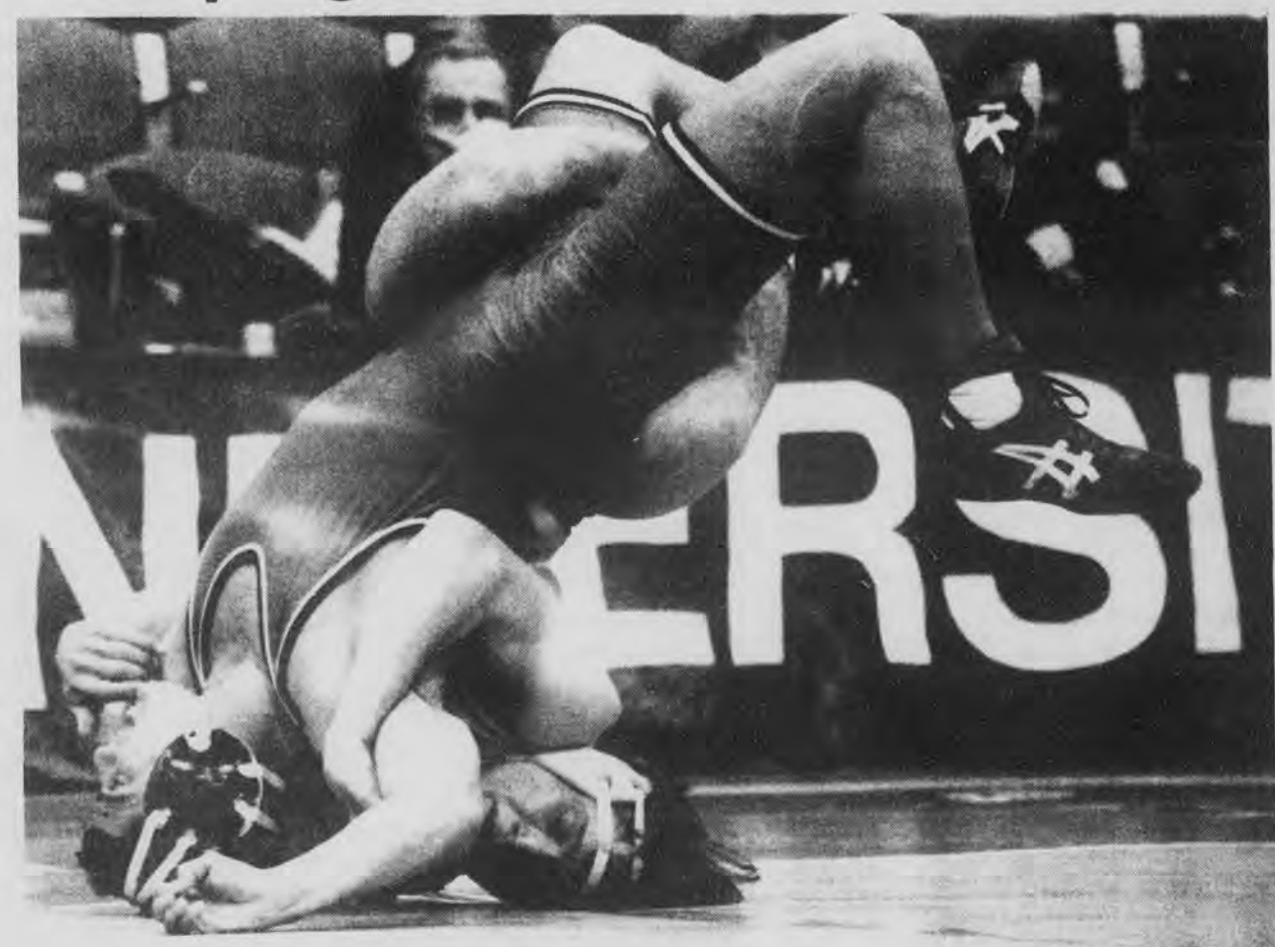
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SPORTS

Slumping Bison to wrestle Buffalo



Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian
The Orange and Blue have their backs against the wall this season. Losses against Drexel, Navy, and the University of Pennsylvania have dropped the squad's record to 4-5.

BY JONATHAN MICHAELSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Trying to get themselves out of a late-season slump, the Bucknell Men's Wrestling team will face the University of Buffalo on Feb. 11. The Bison have lost four straight matches, but are not to be counted out of East Coast Wrestling Association (ECWA) title contention by any means.

Although 4-5 is not exactly an impressive record for the tradi-

tionally consistent Bison, the team is still right in the thick of things in the East Coast Wrestling Association (ECWA). With only three conference matches remaining, Bucknell is currently tied with Drexel and Rider in the ECWA with only one loss in the division. On Jan. 14, Bucknell edged Rider, 19-17, who is considered to be the strongest squad in the ECWA. With the ECWA regular season crown in sight, the Bison were defeated by Drexel this past Saturday, 22-16.

Bucknell also suffered disheartening losses to Navy, 19-18, and University of Pennsylvania, 23-12. The Navy match included four lead changes and was settled in the final match of the evening, the

heavyweights. Navy's All-American heavyweight Dan Hick defeated Bucknell's Matt DiGiacomo, 3-0, giving the Midshipmen the win. Even with this late season downswing, the Bison appear to be in good shape for their final four matches and their outlook is good for their post-season tournaments.

"Our kids have put us in a very good position to win the conference title," commented head coach Bob Ferraro, who is in the midst of his 21st season of leading the Bison. "Hopefully, we can win the rest of our matches, which will give us momentum for the ECWA and NCAA Championships in March."

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Important indoor Ivy event

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Coach Art Gulden wants his team to come together and run away with a win this weekend.

Despite an impressive start to the 1994-95 indoor season, the Orange and Blue will square off against tough teams from Yale and Cornell this weekend. These teams will give the Bison a strong meet.

Coach Art Gulden thinks his squad is ready for New Haven. "I am excited about this one... I've been thinking about it since last year," Gulden said. The Bucknell coach wants stronger competition in the winter months to prepare his squad for the Indoor Patriot League Championships. Ivy League schools present this strong challenge. He continues, "they [the Ivies] are as good as Army or Navy." The Cadets and Mids have a reputation of finishing strong in both the indoor and outdoor seasons.

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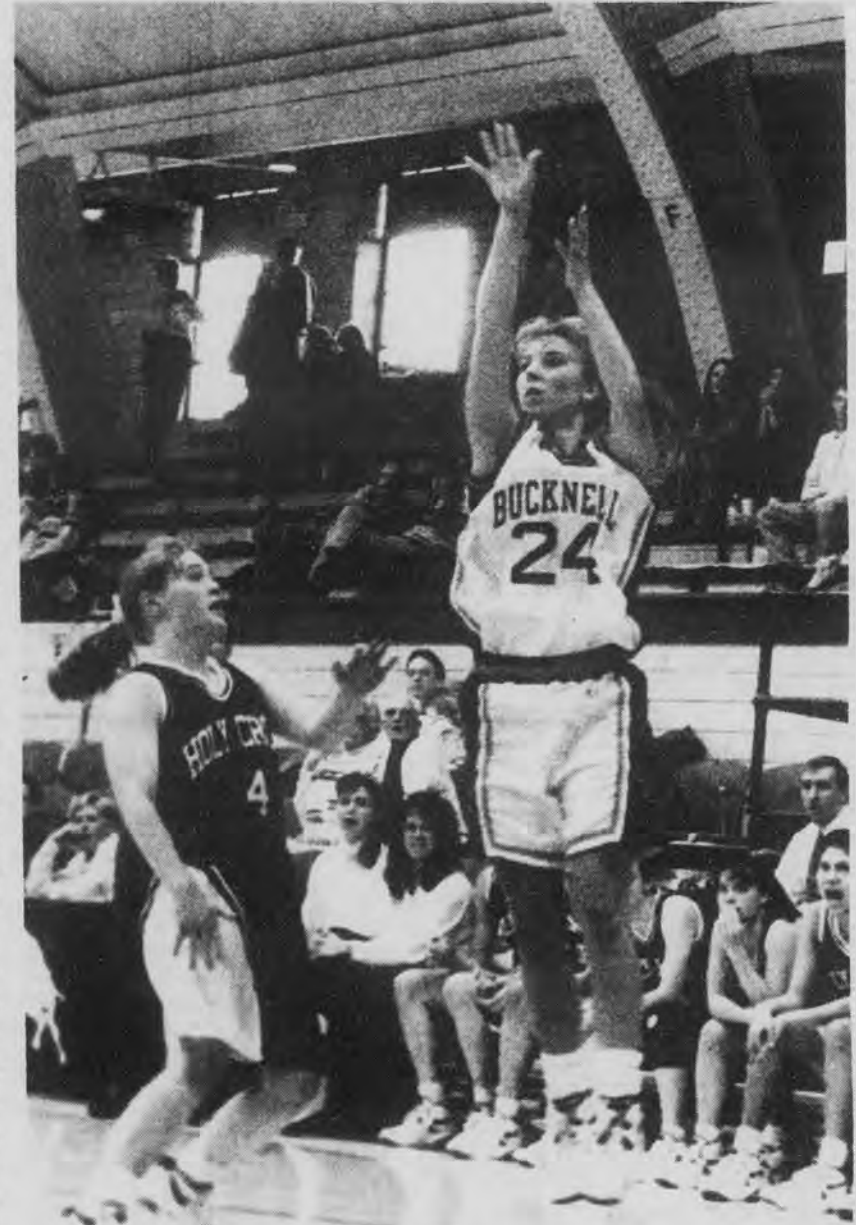
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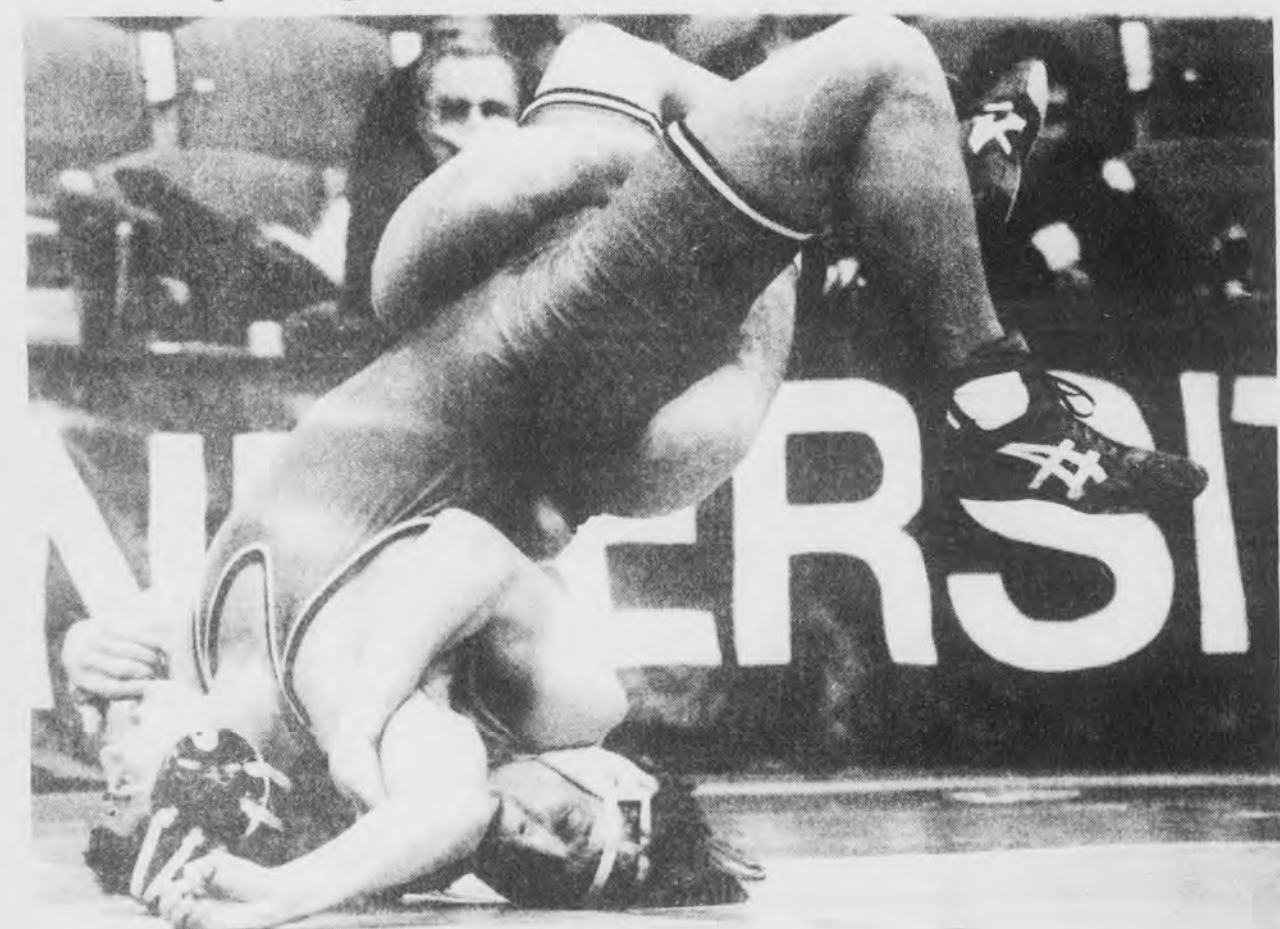
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SPORTS

Commentary

New year brings new teams for Bison basketball

When the student body left for winter break a month-and-a-half ago both the men's and women's basketball teams were in shambles. The two teams had combined for a dismal 1-15 record, with little relief in sight. Jeff Sagarin's *USA Today* computer rankings would have likened Nebraska's football team to Bucknell's basketball team in a hoop contest.

Coach Pat Flannery called a reason for the slow start as an "adjustment period that takes place with a new guy who brings a different attitude."

However, since the new year began the teams have combined for a 13-5 record (men's 8-2, women's 5-3). The men sit atop the Patriot League standings with a 7-0 record, while the women are in third.

So the question has to be raised: What sparked a turnaround in both teams that no one would have predicted?

After the Lafayette game a week ago, Flannery talked about the team's first meeting with Lafayette on December 30, when the Bison handed the Leopards a 90-56 loss. "The Constellation Game in the [Albertson's Classic] was the biggest game of my career. It gave us all a great deal of confidence."

The team made an adjustment at the Boise State tournament to move Kevin Wenk into a starting role, replacing the Patriot League Rookie of the Year last season Gordon Mboya '97. Wenk has risen to the challenge and scored a career-high 20 points in the initial match-up versus Navy. It has also moved the Bison's arguably best athlete, Mboya, into a reserve role, and given the team some much needed depth.

The Bison's resurgence can also be traced back to the play of Brian Anderson '96 and Dave Steigerwald '96. First team all-Patriot leaguer Anderson has regained last season's form after a slow start, averaging 16 points and 6.7 rebounds in the first seven Patriot League games. Steigerwald, who saw limited time last year, has become the Bison's leading three-point threat and has scored in double figures 10 of the past 12 games.

A final reason is the consistency of point-guard Sekou Hamer '96. Hamer quietly averages 12 points each game, and has scored at least seven in every contest. He consistently dishes out between four and six assists and usually swipes a few steals.

Success for the women's team has come in more moderation than for the men's. But still, the Lady Bison have their best chance since the creation of the Patriot League five years ago to move into the second round of the league tournament.

Although the squad relies on balanced scoring like the men's team, one player in particular has heated up in the recent past.

Lauren Wagner '96 scored a career-high 33 points in a game earlier this year. She added 19 against Lafayette and is now averaging double-figure points for the season.

A word of caution, though, about both the men's and women's teams, their toughest part of the schedule is still ahead as they play five of their last seven league games on the road.

Eric Shortz
Eric Shortz, Sports Editor

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nine points for J.R. Holden '98 and six points for Eric Polite '97. Polite came in for a four minute stretch in the second half and knocked down two jumpers, one a three-pointer.

However, the real story for the Bison was Steigerwald, who put in 19 points, including four treys, and pulled down seven rebounds.

Steigerwald hit two key baseline three-pointers at the beginning of the second half to help stretch the Bison lead from 38-26 to 53-32.

The Bison defense held Feaster to 21 points, five below his season average, but more importantly was able to keep the rest of the Holy Cross team under check. Gordon Hamilton, the team's second leading scorer, had only five points and made one of eight shots.

Feaster was the only Crusader player to make a field goal in the first 15 minutes of the game. That streak only ended when Chris Rojik made a lay-up after Feaster had taken a seat on the bench with his third personal foul.

Feaster opened the game with a quick trey from the top of the key, and after an eight-point Bucknell run that included two Steigerwald jumpers, Feaster slammed in a pass from Hamilton, and then seconds later added a quick lay-up.

The turning point in the game came a couple minutes later when Feaster was called for a pushing foul after missing two lay-ups. He lost control of his emotions and was called for a technical foul, also his second personal.

When Feaster left the game

five minutes later, Bucknell extended a 25-18 lead to 38-26 at the half, a span that included four points from Wenk and Welch.

Both Wenk and Anderson finished the game in double-figures with 13 points.

Four days earlier the Bison beat up on hapless Lafayette, 83-61, at Kirby Field House. The Leopards were able to stay within striking distance of Bucknell most of the game, but the Bison went on an 11-0 run with eight minutes left to take a commanding 68-47 lead.

The run was spurred by two corner jumpers by Steigerwald, one from distance, both on passes from Hamer. Hamer, who was named Patriot League "Player of the Week" two weeks ago, finished with a season-high 20 points and six assists.

Golden finished with 14 points and 11 boards, his third double-double game of the season.

Lafayette opened up an early seven point lead and were down only one when Bucknell went on a 9-1 run to close out of the half and take a 37-28 lead. It was the Leopard's 13th loss in a row.

"It has gotten to be a physical thing with all our injuries," Lafayette coach John Leone said. "We are missing our key ingredients, but we need to play through it."

The Bison head to West Point, New York to face Army this weekend. Army has compiled a 2-5 record through the first half of the Patriot League season. The Black Knights are led by junior Mark Lueking, who is averaging 22.3 points a game in league.

Men's Patriot League Basketball

Colgate cuts Bison lead to one game

ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Colgate shot 63% from the field in the first half to open up a 19 point lead on its way to a 85-69 victory over Fordam in Bronx, New York last night. The Red Raiders pulled within one game of Bucknell in the Patriot League standings with a 6-2 record. They also improved to 9-11 overall.

Tuckner Neale led Colgate with 25 points, including four three-pointers. Star freshman Adonal Foyle added 17 points and eight blocks. Fordam (6-12 overall, 3-5 league) reserve Ryan Hunter led all scorers with 26 points.

Bucknell faces off with Colgate in what could decide the Patriot League regular season title on February 15 in Hamilton, New York.

In other Patriot League action last night, Holy Cross beat up on Lafayette to move its record to 10-8 overall and 5-3 in league, only two games back of Bucknell. Lafayette has lost 15 consecutive games.

The results of the Army-Lehigh game were not available at press time.

Around the Patriot League: Tucker Neale (Colgate) was named Patriot League Player of the

Week on Monday after the Red Raiders went 3-0 last week. Adonal Foyle (Colgate) was honored as Rookie of the Week for the second straight week. Dave Steigerwald made the Honor Role, averaging 16.0 points in two starts. . . . Rob Feaster (Holy Cross) leads league scoring with a 26.9 average. . . . Bucknell leads all Patriot League teams in the three shooting categories and shooting defense. . . . Navy is second in the nation in rebounding margin. It out rebounds its opponents by an average of more than 10 a game. . . . Foyle is ranked third in the nation in blocked shots and fourth in rebounding. . . . Brian Anderson is seventh in the league in scoring and 10th in rebounding. Kihlon Golden is seventh in rebounding with a 6.6 average.

In other Patriot League news, the Council of Patriot League Presidents has agreed to let Fordam to remain in the league as a football-only school. Its membership with the league will be reviewed again in 1997.

Fordam decided earlier this academic year to leave the Patriot League in favor of the Atlantic-10 Conference, a conference that fields perennial basketball powerhouses Massachusetts and Temple.

Swimming sweeps holiday meets

BY SCOTT WOODWORTH
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The holiday break could not have gone better for the Bucknell swim team. Both Bison teams have had four meets since the new year, each winning all four. The men's team now goes into its final meet against Lehigh with a perfect 9 and 0 record. The women's team has a 9 and 1 record and also swims against Lehigh this weekend.

For the men's team, the meet against Lehigh this weekend will be their biggest meet in years. Both teams have dismantled Patriot League opponents who have challenged them. (Lehigh's only Patriot League loss was to a tough Army team.) Each team has outstanding swimmers as well as depth. From the opening relay to

the closing relay, every swim will count. Bucknell has an advantage though. This meet is at home. The crowd will be our seventh lane, to coin a basketball phrase. The stands should be filled with the Bucknell faithful. If the men win this meet they will have a perfect record going into the Patriot League Championships in mid-February. The way the men are swimming now, this should be a banner year for the Bison. We hope to see you all there this Saturday at 2 p.m.

The women's team will also have a tough meet against the Lady Engineers from Lehigh this weekend. A win will give them a 10 and 1 record, with their only loss coming to Navy in November. The Lady Bison are also looking strong going into the Patriot League Championships. If they

beat Lehigh this weekend they will be looking to challenge Navy for the Patriot League Championship.

January practice was tough for the Bison, but the meet results were gratifying. The first win came against a strong Delaware team on a Wednesday evening. While other students were not even thinking of Bucknell, the swim team choked the Blue Hens until there was no swim left in them. The next victims to enter the rusty doors of the Freas-Rooke Pool were the Leopards from Lafayette. Both Bucknell teams took control from the opening relay and never looked back on their way to convincing victories. The victory was the first Patriot League win for both the men's and women's teams this season. The next two meets involved trips to our

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Bison Calendar

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All dates in February

Men's Basketball

Sat. 4	at Army	1:00 p.m.
Wed. 8	FORDHAM	7:30 p.m.

Women's Basketball

Sat. 4	at Army	5:15 p.m.
Mon. 6	DREXEL	7:30 p.m.
Wed. 8	FORDHAM	5:15 p.m.

JV Basketball

Mon. 6	at Susquehanna	8:00 p.m.
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Men's & Women's Swimming

Sat. 4	LEHIGH (Diving)	2:00 p.m. 12:00 noon
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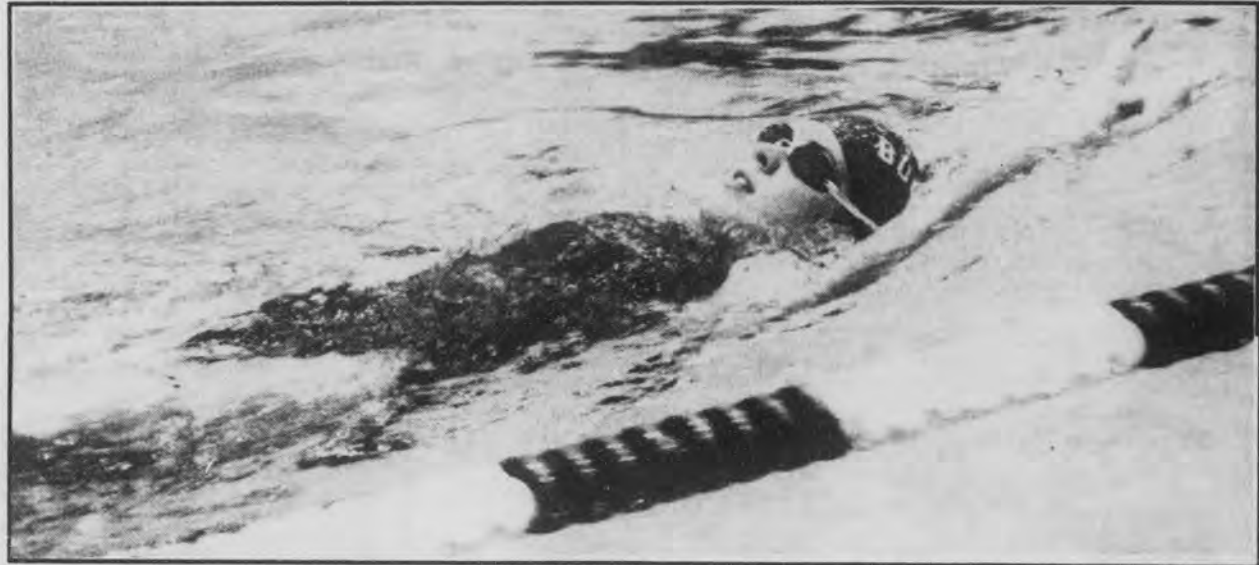
Wrestling

Sat. 11	BUFFALO	1:00 p.m.
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Men's and Women's Indoor Track & Field

Sat. 4	at Yale w/ Cornell	9:00 a.m.
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Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian
Lindsay Reed '97 practices her backstroke for the final meet this weekend against Lehigh. The Bucknell women's team has a 9-1 record, while the men post an impressive 9-0 mark.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who has the most career pinch hits in the Major Leagues?
2. Can you name the NHL player second to Wayne Gretzky in alltime assists?
3. What weight class is sandwiched between Light Heavyweights and Heavyweights in professional Boxing?
4. Do you remember the NCAA Division I lacrosse runner-up last year?
5. Who was last year's U.S. Women's Open champion?

Answers

1. Manny Mota (150); 2. Gordie Howe (1049); 3. Cruiserweight (147-155 lbs.); 4. Virginia was second to Princeton; 5. Patty Sheehan (66-71-69-71-71-277)

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Mostly cloudy, chance of flurries. Low in the teens.
 Friday night—Mostly cloudy, highs in the upper 20s.
 Saturday—Partly cloudy with a chance of light snow. Lows around 20, highs 35 to 40.
 Sunday—Partly cloudy and colder. Lows around 20, highs in the mid-30s.

—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

House Party back on track

BY JEN ANDREWS
AND JOYA DASS

Bucknellian Staff Writers

Fraternities will be breaking out the House Party Weekend decorations as scheduled this semester, despite an attempt to move the festivities back one week on the calendar.

Originally set for May 6-7, several faculty members and students expressed doubts at placing House Party weekend so close to final exams. Members of the administration began debating about moving the weekend to April 28-29, in order to allow more time between House Party and the end of the semester.

The Presidential staff, in response, deferred the request to the trustees, whose weekend was also set for April 28-29. With no objections from the trustees, the Presidential staff approached the Interfraternity Council (IFC) and the Panhellenic Council (Panhel) about the feasibility of such a move.

A notice was sent out to all fraternity and sorority presidents in late January announcing House Party weekend as being rescheduled for April 28-29, one week

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The 'Swartz' end of the stick...

First-years feel cheated by lottery

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Dave Hull '98 is one of several first-year students living in the A-wing of Swartz Hall who thinks that he should get a priority number in next year's housing lottery.

Because the class of 1998 comprises about 30 students more than previous classes, 24 of these students live in "dingles" or single rooms converted to doubles, on a co-ed hall in Swartz. Residents of Swartz are typically upper classmen, usually sophomores.

Although these first-year students pay a lower cost for housing—\$2,185 compared with \$2,545 for housing in traditional first-year student residence halls like Smith or Larson Halls—some still feel that

they got what Hull calls the "short end of the stick."

Some feel that because they not only had smaller doubles than their downhill counterparts, but were housed in what is traditionally an upper-class residence hall, the University should compensate them with better room picks for next year.

Bill Michalisin '98, a resident of Swartz 2-A, said that because of the larger class size, he feels as if the University regarded Swartz as "just somewhere to put us," and that he and his hallmates are at a disadvantage.

"It would have been nice for us if we'd had the freshman...whatever. We felt that something would come of our living in Swartz this year," Michalisin said.

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BSG stretches waning budget

KATE ARDINGER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Several student groups on campus who depend on Bucknell Student Government (BSG) as their major source of funding are learning a financial lesson this semester as they try to operate with minimal funds. Groups that did not present their budget proposals to the Appropriations Committee during the 1994 Spring appropriations are now finding that BSG doesn't have money to spare.

BSG is also trying to cope with the increasing number of student organizations and an unchanging budget to fund them. Of the \$110 Student Activities Fee taken from tuition, \$89.50 goes to BSG. Approximately, \$296,000 of BSG funding comes from the fee,

which has not increased since the 1990-1991 academic year.

The bulk of the Appropriations Committee funding is distributed in the spring, according to the BSG guidelines. At a treasurer's workshop last spring, groups were told to get their budgets in during Spring appropriations, but approximately 20 groups did not attend the meeting and returned in the fall with budget proposals for Appropriations to consider.

Though there was an estimated \$100,000 left over from spring appropriations to cover most of the budget proposals, BSG passed a bylaw last semester making attendance at spring appropriations mandatory. Groups are also required to attend the treasurer's workshop. Organizations that fail

to attend the appropriations meeting forfeit the opportunity to receive funds for the following academic year. According to Scott Charles '96, president of BSG, the bylaw was passed in order to avoid future problems and to better prepare for long-term financial planning.

The portion of the money that is not allocated in the spring is reserved for new organizations and groups that are not prepared or organized in time to submit a budget. The Concert Committee, the Lectureship Committee, C.A.L.V.I.N. & H.O.B.B.E.S., and the Debate Team are a few of the late groups that received funding this fall, taking a large chunk out of the remaining funds intended for new groups.

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Opera company visits with Dr. Bartolo in Bucknell Hall

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

He's been around for at least two centuries. Maybe you've seen him; after all, he's a prominent figure in the operas *The Barber of Seville* and *The Marriage of Figaro*. He's been one to deceive and he's been the victim of deceit.

"He" is Dr. Bartolo, and he'll be at Bucknell Hall at 8 p.m. on Saturday night to share his life story with the Bucknell community and, with the help of Dr. G. William Bugg, associate professor, chair of the vocal department, and director of opera of Samford University. Assisting Bugg will be members and alumni of the Buck-

nell Opera Company, directed by Dr. Catherine F. Payn, professor of music, and Norman Spivey, professor of voice at Penn State University.

Dr. Bartolo is the creation of the eighteenth century French author Pierre Augustin Caron de Beaumarchais, who penned the plays *The Barber of Seville* and *The Marriage of Figaro*. Opera company member Jeanne Mellish '95 describes the character of Dr. Bartolo as "the manifestation of Beaumarchais' father."

Saturday night's performance is an autobiographical performance in which Bugg portrays the famous character.

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Shannon Beam '98 and Ken Laurora '95 in rehearsal with the Bucknell Opera Company. The Company opens their show tonight at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 With the first major snowfall of the year, students were quick to hit the slopes behind Roberts Hall. Using anything from sleds and snow boards to inner tubes, garbage bags and cardboard boxes, students wore paths in the hill deep enough to uncover last season's dirt and leaves. Flurries and light snow fall are expected for the weekend.

Jan Plan attempts comeback

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The January Plan is gone, but as discussion on the academic calendar continues, the resurrection of a modified version of the program shows that it is clearly not forgotten.

At the faculty meeting on Monday, John Peeler, professor of political science, proposed that the program be reinstated with new requirements.

The Jan Plan was abolished in the Spring of 1992 after much debate among faculty. Some believed the program was valuable to students and faculty, while others thought that lack of participation and low quality work plagued the program and negated the benefits of a four week January term.

Peeler's Jan Plan proposal required that students enroll in at least one January project or course during their four years of undergraduate study and that the University offer full and half credit courses during January as well.

Estimating that approximately 1000 students would enroll in the program every January, Peeler said the new requirements would solve the participation and quality problems that characterized the old program.

During the discussion, Richard Henry, professor of physics expressed an interest in knowing how students felt about Jan Plan, and questioned whether students were even aware of the proposal.

Scott Charles '96, president of Bucknell Student Government (BSG), said in a phone interview that he had just heard of the proposal and that as of the last Sunday meeting, BSG had not had a chance to inform students of the proposal. Peeler is scheduled to address BSG at next Sunday's meeting "to give firsthand information on the proposal and its history" and from there "the student Congress will plan on how to communicate that information to the student body," Charles said.

Though members of the faculty will not vote on the proposal until the March meeting, an informal show of hands at Monday's meeting showed that the faculty were divided on whether to pass the January proposal.

In a phone interview, Peeler said he was "pleasantly surprised to see strong support for the Jan Plan."

Saying that he wished he could have given more advanced notice about the proposal to the campus, Peeler acknowledged that the proposal was a last-minute response "provoked by the knowledge that we were going to be discussing the earlier starting dates for the calendar" that were released in a survey taken by the University Council last week.

"There was substantial support for the principles of the January program," said Peeler, "We can hammer out the details later."

Ben Marsh, associate professor

Highlights from the January Proposal

To establish a four week term in January with the purpose of encouraging educational internships, educational travel, individual research, and/or intensive study.

• Each student will be required to enroll for at least one January project or course (estimated enrollment: 1000)

• Each member of the faculty will offer January project or courses with sufficient frequency that open enrollments average 10 per year (in an average year, 100 faculty are projected to offer projects or courses).

• Faculty may offer, and students may enroll in January courses for credit (0.5 or 1.0)

of geography and chair of the Committee on Instruction (COI), introduced the motion in 1992 that eliminated the existing January program.

Though COI has not discussed the new January proposal, Marsh said, "COI abolished the Jan Plan originally. I don't know if COI will have the same opinion this time because the committee is made up of different members now...but it was quite obvious where we [COI] stood in the past."

"The present calendar works very well for faculty," Marsh said, noting that members of the faculty need the time to prepare for second semester courses.

Marsh also said that because two years have elapsed since the last Jan Plan term, many have forgotten the problems that characterized the program. Marsh added disciplinary problems to the list of

setbacks, saying that vandalism and drinking significantly increased during the January term.

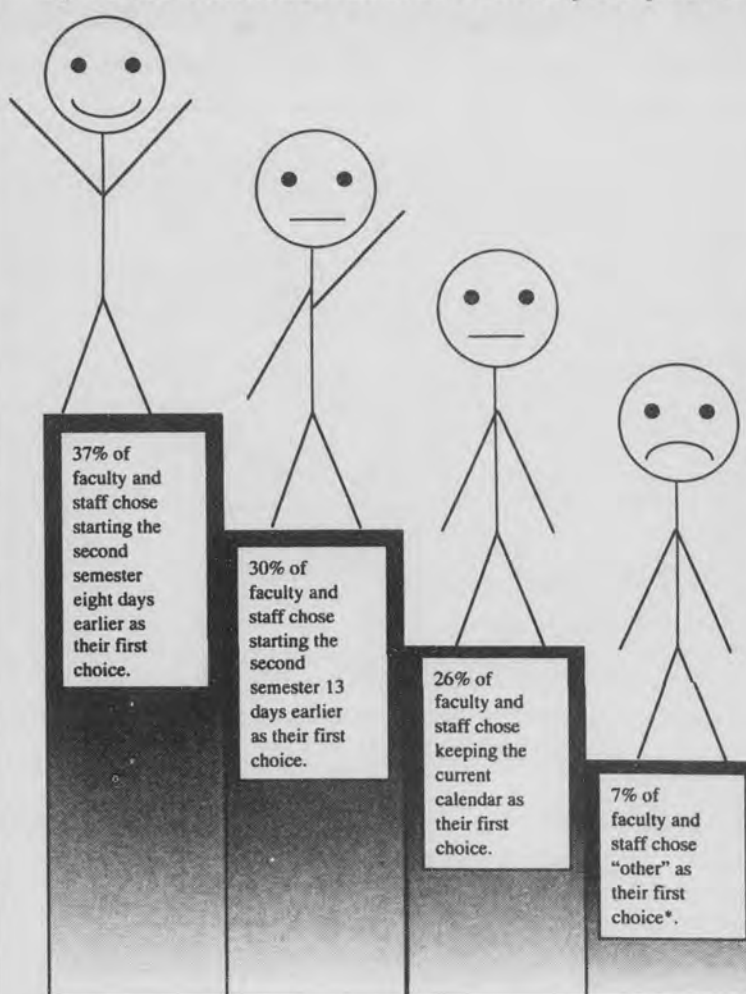
Marsh said it was "possible" that the new proposal might solve some of these problems, but added that "the proposal requires some major re-thinking in the way we do business, and we don't have the senior administrators in office right now to deal with these issues."

Tuition, salary, and admissions changes are some of the issues, said Marsh, noting that because the program would offer credit, students would pay more, faculty would be paid more, and students would be able to graduate earlier.

Marsh cited the need to "slow down a little bit and ask these questions" regarding the January proposal before any decisions are made.

Faculty & Staff Poll

Q: What calendar choice would you prefer



These results are taken from a survey given to faculty and staff members by the University Council asking which calendar choice they would prefer. There were 273 responses. The results have been rounded to the nearest whole number.

*Of those who chose "other" as their first choice, 20 of the 22 recommended a calendar which included a Jan Plan.

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- N** Singles want holiday too See page 6
- S** Saving yourself for marriage? See page 8
- I** The vegetarian mainstream See page 9
- D** Men Basketball leads Patriots See page 11



Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian
 Women's basketball lose to Fordham. See Sports, page 14 for highlights of the game.

SWARTZ

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
First-year students Jen Flanders (l) and Becky Hills (r) share this 'dingie' in Swartz Hall. Flanders and Hills are just two of several first-years placed in Swartz in order to compensate for an over-enrolled first-year class. Many students are expressing frustration at receiving no priority picks for next year, as compensation for spending their first year at Bucknell off the freshman quad.

"We feel like we're missing out on the freshman experience," said Becky Hills '98.

Michalisin said that his parents wrote to the Office of Residential Life asking questions about compensation for Michalisin's current residential arrangements. His parents wanted to know if he could have a better room pick for next year.

But because Bucknell's housing options differ greatly from one another, priority room picks based on students' current living arrangements would be "virtually impossible," said Karl Conrad, director of housing and residential life.

"Unfortunately, or fortunately, students have the luck of the draw," Conrad said.

Additionally, she said, all first-year students can block-book rooms with their friends, plan theme halls, or secure housing in

Bucknell West rather than participate in the lottery system.

Saying that her office has not heard any complaints about their accommodations from first-year students living in Swartz, Conrad added that she believes these students have "the best of both worlds" because they have the opportunity to interact with upper-classmen and gain a "different perspective."

She also said that some hall programs for these students have been devoted to encourage interaction with first-year students living downhill.

Although the students interviewed said that they had made no definite plans for living arrangements next year, all said that they wanted to live in Swartz Hall again because they want an opportunity to live with their classmates.

BSG

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This left some groups, such as the Dance Company short-changed this semester. "Normally we apply twice yearly and we followed that same format. Appropriations told us in December that there wasn't the funding. If we don't see any additional funding, we'll surely be in some financial difficulty," said Danna Frangione, director of the Dance Company.

In an effort to free up money, BSG collected \$2,100 from groups that did not use the money allocated to them. If a group fails to use the money for a planned study break or within a certain amount of time, the money rolls back to BSG, and that money can then be reallocated to other groups in need.

There are other reasons that can be attributed to the shortage of funding that BSG is faced with this academic year. Increased membership in groups, increased requests from organizations and the addition of new groups on campus are just a few of the added expenses BSG is now covering.

Charles, as the former BSG treasurer, mentioned the possibility of an increase in the Student Activities Fee to the Board of Trustees last spring. Because the budget for the following year had been set, a change in the fee was not possible, but Charles said the Trustees seemed to agree that it was time to increase the fee.

"We're getting the same amount of money and we're funding more groups and more events," says Charles. "Based on the fact that there has not been an increase since 1990-1991, inflation makes it necessary to increase the fee."

Dan Gannon '96, BSG treasurer, said, "One thing I want to do this year is talk to our comparable schools... and their treasurers to find out exactly how much they charge student activities fee and how that breaks down..."

"C.A.L.V.I.N. & H.O.B.B.E.S. is a new group on campus. It's a great organization that does a lot of great events for a lot of people that would like events that offer alternatives to alcohol on campus... They got \$10,000 and that is a substantial amount of money," said Charles.

Furthermore, BSG has picked



Lori Ann Woods—The Bucknellian
BSG President Scott Charles '96 is taking steps to improve the appropriations process. up additional groups due to departmental budget cuts. Because the athletic department's budget was cut, the cheerleading squad relied on BSG to cover the \$5000 difference.

BSG assumes a risk when it allocates large sums of money for certain events. Last year the Concert Committee lost \$50,000 on the Violent Femmes Concert and \$30,000 on the Indigo Girls Concert the year before due to low ticket sales.

Another source of difficulty that the Appropriations Committee has dealt with in the past is groups with overdrawn accounts. At the beginning of the year there were 18 groups that had overdrawn accounts, which ties up large sums of money, making it difficult to figure out how much money can be given out.

If a group has an overdrawn account, the money appropriated to them from BSG cannot be transferred until that account is cleared at the Finance Office. In an effort to alleviate future problems with overdrawn accounts, BSG enacted a bylaw that allows "student organizations [to] have 60 days from the date of notification to remedy their overdrawn account." If the account is not settled, the money that was allocated to them is withdrawn.

BSG is making strong efforts to update all student organizations on appropriations through the passage of new bylaws. Charles said that the treasurers' workshops have been helpful, and expects that the improved appropriations process, with mandatory attendance from organizations, will help in alleviating some of the problems BSG has faced in the past.

News Briefs

World News

United Nations sending peacekeepers to Angola

The United Nations is sending peacekeepers to the South African nation of Angola.

The Security Council has unanimously approved sending seven-thousand peacekeeping troops to support an accord aimed at ending 19 years of Angolan civil war.

At the same time, the council imposed strict conditions for staggered deployment to hold the rival sides to their peace promises. The U.S. requested the conditions to avoid entangling U.N. soldiers in any renewed fighting.

Angola's foreign minister told the council that won't happen. As he put it, "This time peace has come to stay."

Despite the assurances, the peacekeepers can be sent only when U.N. Secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali tells the security council that the truce is holding and the council agrees.

—Associated Press

Powerful earthquake strikes Colombia

At least 23 people are now reported dead in a powerful earthquake that toppled buildings in Colombia yesterday.

Police reported about 200 people were injured in the tremor. The magnitude six-point-five quake was centered about 175 miles west of Bogota.

The hardest-hit city was Pereira—population 700,000. Civilians have been digging shoulder-to-shoulder with soldiers, police, and firefighters through the rubble of cement and bricks of destroyed buildings, looking for survivors.

At least 15 people were killed and 135 injured in Pereira.

—Associated Press

National News

Clinton names former general as chief of C.I.A.

After a six-week search for someone willing to serve as director of Central Intelligence, President Clinton nominated a retired Air Force General, Michael P.C. Carns. Carns is a military manager with a Harvard business degree but no espionage experience.

A decorated veteran of 200 missions during the Vietnam War, Carns, 57, was the chief administrative aide to the Joint Chiefs of Staff during the Persian Gulf war in 1991. His commander, Gen. Colin L. Powell, praised his work and endorsed his nomination. White House officials said. After the war, Carns became the Air Force's vice chief of staff, a job equivalent to being chief operating officer of a global corporation with a \$75 billion budget.

—New York Times

Evers-Williams to run for N.A.A.C.P. chair

In another sign of conflict within the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Myrtle Evers-Williams, the widow of the slain civil rights leader, announced Tuesday that she intended to seek the post of chairwoman at the board's meeting this month.

Her decision, after almost a year of lobbying by friends and supporters, is certain to touch off a floor fight on Feb. 18 at the board meeting in New York. An increasingly divided board must determine whether to oust the current chairman, Dr. William F. Gibson, after a decade at the helm.

Dr. Gibson has been accused by some board members of blocking an independent financial audit of the group.

—New York Times

Arabs in U.S. protesting 'terror' effort

Leaders of Arab-American organizations are protesting new efforts by the Clinton Administration to stop the flow of money to groups suspected of terrorism, saying they will hurt Arab-American charities and undermine efforts to get them to help Palestinian economic development.

The Administration's new efforts include banning financial transfers to a dozen organizations suspected of terrorism, including Hamas and Islamic Holy War. The Administration has drafted legislation that would let investigators examine financial records of charities suspected of supporting terrorist groups, making it easier to wiretap suspected terrorists and set up tough procedures for deporting such suspects.

James Zogby, executive director of the Arab-American Institute, said, "I worry that if the net is cast too broadly it can lead to a lot of harassment and intimidation like we've experienced in the past."

—New York Times

Campus News

Catalyst smoke in the clear with BSG

BSG decided to allow *The Catalyst*, as well as other BSG funded publications to print material at their own discretion. The question arose last semester when the magazine, which relies on BSG for all funds, printed a small statement saying "The Catalyst does not advocate the legalization of marijuana, just its use."

Members of BSG questioned whether a student-funded organization could endorse an illegal activity, and whether BSG had a responsibility to withdraw funds if the statement posed a legal threat to the school or BSG. Scott Charles '96, president of BSG, said that BSG was not legally responsible for statements in the publication, and that material published was the prerogative of the paper.

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

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EDITORIAL

Students need to know all the details

BSG should provide good information about Jan Plan

With the resurgence of conversation about the January Plan, it seems odd that those who would be most affected by its reinstatement know the least about it.

At Monday's faculty meeting, John Peeler, professor of political science, proposed to reinstate the Jan Plan. If the faculty votes in March to reinstate the program, the Bucknell experience for the class of 1997 and class of 1998 may be very different from what these students expected when they entered the University.

Jan Plan expired eight months before the class of 1997 arrived on campus. This class's only knowledge of Jan Plan comes from faculty members and upperclassmen recalling their experiences with the program. For members of the class of 1998, the understanding of Jan Plan may be even fuzzier.

Before we focus again on reinstating the Jan Plan, in any incarnation, we should first devote our energies toward educating those who are unfamiliar with the details of this program.

Philosopher Alexander Meiklejohn argued that citizens in a democracy, as the ultimate decision makers, need full (or at least a lot of) information to make intelligent political choices.

In our democracy, students need good information before taking a stance on an issue. So that Bucknell Student Government (BSG) can accurately voice students' views, the students, especially those graduating in 1997 and 1998, need to understand all the nuances of what reinstating Jan Plan would entail.

During this month, BSG needs to make a concerted effort to educate students about Jan Plan—its history, current proposals for modification, and ramifications involved with the

reinstatement or final extinction of the program.

Perhaps after BSG has taken adequate steps to inform students through holding objective and unbiased discussion forums, sending information to students, setting up an information table in the L.C. mall, or taking other similar measures, students can form educated opinions on the future of their education. BSG can then administer a comprehensive survey of first-year students and sophomores to determine where those affected by calendar changes stand.

A decision like this affects not only the calendar, but the character of the education that these two classes and proceeding classes will receive. We're counting on our elected officials in BSG to help us make an informed decision and fulfill their responsibility to our democracy.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Students implement environmental campaign

TO THE EDITOR:

Over the month of January, I was fortunate enough to become involved in a campaign to save one of the most important and effective pieces of environmental legislation passed in history. As an intern at the Endangered Species Coalition (ESC), I assisted in a nationwide effort to protect the Endangered Species Act (ESA) of 1973. The Coalition, which is made up of over 165 member organizations, focuses on the landmark act that was signed into law by the Nixon Administration.

The Act has become a landmark law for environmentalists and concerned citizens alike. Thanks to the ESA, the American bald eagle has recovered from its status of an "endangered" species, and has been downlisted to one of the "threatened." The ESA has allowed for the development of Taxol, a drug made from a plant in the Pacific northwest, that is used as a cure for breast cancer. Moreover, the Act protects ecosystems that purify our air and filter our drinking water, things we as humans depend upon for survival.

Over 40% of all pharmaceuticals in use today come from natural sources. However, less than 5% of all plant and animal species in the world have been tested for their medicinal value. By allowing species to go extinct, we are losing possible cures for diseases such as AIDS and cancer, to go undiscovered.

The newly elected Congress is poised to weaken the very law that protects these potentially valuable natural resources. Active participation in confronting this issue is needed, especially from students. The ESC has made available a number of options for concerned citizens to become involved. A number of Bucknell students, including myself, have decided to actively pursue one such option.

An ESC-sponsored medicine bottle campaign is being introduced on campus by concerned students from the Student Environmental Action Coalition (SEAC) in an effort to show support for strengthening the Endangered Species Act. The campaign, albeit simple, is very effective. By sending empty medicine bottles to our Congresspeople and the President, we deliver the message that we, as citizens, would like the Endangered Species Act strengthened to safeguard the plants and other species that protect our health, and the health of future generations to come.

For this reason, SEAC will be collecting empty medicine bottles beginning Monday, Feb. 13, in the LC mall. These bottles will be sent to Senators and Representatives, as well as to the President. Members of SEAC will be available to answer questions and provide information sheets for all those who are interested in learning more about the campaign.

We cannot continue to discover new medicines if we weaken the Endangered Species Act. SEAC is inviting all students and faculty to participate in this campaign as an open sign of their concern and commitment towards increasing environmental literacy and awareness.

I encourage the Bucknell community to become involved in protecting their health, and the future health of generations to come. Our ability to protect species today will save the lives of plant and animal species, and will most certainly ensure our ability to protect ourselves tomorrow.

MICHAEL MCCARRON '95
FEBRUARY 6, 1995

Paul Hill's actions should not be condemned

TO THE EDITOR:

A vision appears to me. I see a man, an honest man of integrity. This man sees a statute of the United States government as immoral and unbecoming to his personal beliefs. This statute, reinforced by the highest court in the land, is what he pledges his life to destroy. In a church he raises his right hand and vows to give all he has: his industry, his humility, his family, even his life, for the destruction of an immoral institution. An act of violence follows. He is a crusader of sorts, gallantly fighting to purge this world of an evil he believes is ravaging the moral fiber of his country. The national debate is intensified.

John Brown attacked Harpers Ferry hoping to gather munitions, travelled South to arm the slaves in violent opposition to the institution of slavery, but how does the modern story come out? Paul Hill murders an abortion doctor. Imagine that. A murder at an abortion clinic. It would never occur to me.

The similarities are striking. Both were considered mentally insane at the time. Convictions and strong beliefs are honorable, unless they are of a religious nature. Then they are considered to border on neurotic paranoia. Both disregarded the authority of the highest court in the land: Brown dismissing the 1857 Dred Scott decision where Chief Justice Taney said, in effect, the black man had no rights a white man was bound to honor, and Hill ignoring the 1973 Roe vs. Wade decision upholding the right to terminate a pregnancy through the second trimester. Brown and Hill were reprimanded by the abolitionists and Pro-lifers for being too radical and too barbaric.

Why do I write this? I am neither religious nor Pro-Life. In fact I am staunchly Pro-Choice. I will back any proposal that will lift the shackles of government intervention in our lives. But unlike most Pro-choicers, I do not lie to myself. I do not try to rationalize that it is not a life that we are taking. I cannot condone Mr. Hill's actions, but in the same breath I cannot condemn the acts of a man who sees himself as an abolitionist for the eradication of abortion. Just as the Supreme Court does not consider that a fetus is a life, it did not, up until the passing of the 13th, 14th, and 15th Amendments, consider African-Americans to be human beings. Hindsight is a wonderful tool to show the far too numerous follies of the Court.

My point is not to debate but to educate. If Pro-choicers take the narrow, stereotypical views of Mr. Stith, the dialogue will be closed and more blood will be spilled. Though the fight will go on, as long as Pro-Choicers take the moral high road, no progress will be made. Pro-choicers have no moral ground to stand on. We live in a country where there are easy escapes to all our problems. If you get obese you can get liposuction. If you get sick of marriage you can get a divorce. If you get pregnant you can get an abortion. We must teach personal responsibility of actions, not abortion on demand (funded by your tax dollars). Listening to Mr. Stith's argument, I cannot, in clear conscience, pick the life of an abortion doctor over the lives of 35 million babies murdered since 1973.

LUKE BRAGG '98
FEBRUARY 6, 1995

Here's to a Happy Un-Valentine's Day

BY CRISTINA M. TISA
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

In one more week lovers and sweethearts all over the world will celebrate their mutual affection, commitment, and passion with various tokens such as flowers and chocolates. I spent some time in the Bookstore this morning buying cards for my family and close friends, laughing at the suggestive and lewd cards while chasing away that weepy feeling I get when I read a particularly sappy sentiment. When I settled down to watch "Chicago Hope" with my housemates I actually wiped away a tear when that commercial from Hallmark came on, the one where some twentysomething is doing laundry and then her male friend gives her this card and then she says, "PS. The best part is, this June we're getting married!" Well good for you, you disgusting TV couple. I'm sure the Taster's Choice couple shared knowing smiles when that commercial came on.

Ok. I know I sound bitter, and it may come

across that I hate Valentine's Day, or something. Really, I don't. I love eating the chocolates my friends get from their boyfriends or girlfriends, and I like the color red. Roses are fine, but the truly romantic person will opt for the pure and innocent daisy, and I truly believe that love is something that needs to be celebrated in our world. After all, love is one of those positive presences that ranks up there with hope, peace, charity, and joy. We seem to be a bit lacking in these things today, don't you agree?

As much as Valentine's Day has been set aside to celebrate sweethearts and love, there really isn't a day set aside to celebrate its antithesis: an Un-Valentine's Day. Ridiculous as it sounds it has a certain charm. Men and women could celebrate singleness in all its glory in just the same way people celebrate love in all its wonderfulness. It provides equal opportunity for all those excluded from the essence of Valentine's Day. What a perfect idea. Everyone will have exactly equal representation for all the possibilities. Alternate

choices recognized with as much fervor and passion as the original. After all, it's the American way.

Let's ignore the fact the Valentine's Day has all the bases covered. Cards are available for parents, siblings, friends, prospective lovers, ex-lovers, teachers, etc. If one looked hard enough they could probably find a card specifically written for that ex-boy/girlfriend who celebrates his/her birthday on Valentine's Day. So why is Un-Valentine's Day so important? Simply because we need to have national acceptance of all those groups out there who feel alienated by the essence of Valentine's Day. Everyone has a right to political representation after all. Perhaps we should add an Un-Birthday Day for all those who weren't born, an Un-Saint Patrick's Day for all those who wish the snakes were still dominating Ireland, and an Un-Memorial Day for all those who are against remembering the bad parts of our history. Maybe you're right. It is a silly concept after all.

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Why Bucknell? Accepting a challenge

BY KEVIN R. NICHOLAS

When the "Why Bucknell?" question pops up, I usually reach into my "stock answers" file and dredge up whatever easily-digestible soundbite I can find. This time, however, I suppose something more insightful is in order, this being our hallowed *Bucknellian* and all. Granted, there was a bunch of other people they could have asked to write this thing, but I guess when you've become the token minority opinion, people keep coming back to you (we'll call that "back-handed comment Number One"). But back to the task at hand, musing on just why the @#!% I chose this school, knowing full well that it was as diverse as a tall glass of buttermilk.

Bucknell did not enter my college picture until late in the overall process. I had received mail from the school since early on in my junior year, but I had dismissed it as another "You're a smart black kid, look at our school, LOOK, LOOK, LOOK!" letter (back-handed comment #3, if you count the "buttermilk" thing). Besides, a good friend who was a year ahead of me and had visited our University at Lewisburg said, "Bucknell came over with the Mayflower." Whoa. That was enough to scare me off for a while. Given that less-than-flattering appraisal, why choose BU?

I looked at Bucknell as the challenge to beat all challenges. "Why shouldn't I be able to go out to Pennsylvania and out-do those rich, preppy et cetera, et ceteras," I thought to myself. Young, dumb, and full of...er, hubris, I decided that Lewisburg would be one more world to conquer (whether Bucknell's white majority liked it or not). A great education was guaranteed, so were small classes, personal attention, good facilities, etc. Then again, there were other schools in the east that offered the same thing without the same stifling homogeneity. But only Bucknell had that conservative, "whitebread" stigma that just dared me to meet it head-on. I figured that four successful years in this environment would either prepare me for anything, or drive me stark, raving mad. Sure, I was a little nuts to begin with, but you get the point.

As I round the bend on my little 'ol retrospection, remember these key things. First, my opinion is NOT the official, licensed perspective of Bucknell's black students (we don't all think or look alike). Second, we need to explode the disparaging myth that every black student only comes here through special considerations or lavish awards of financial aid, i.e., "leaving hard-working white folks out of the picture." Try asking how many white students got "conditional admission" or how many alumni children skated in. Third, and most important, don't insult my intelligence (and your own) by reading this and writing it off as the uttering of some bitter black guy. Such an approach is simplistic and typical; no one-world view can, or should, dominate any place that calls itself a university.

Pessimism attitudes brewing for new Republican Congress

BY JOHN STITH

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Republicans swept into Congress last November with the promise to "clean up Washington." Now it's time to make sure the Republicans don't make a bigger mess than the one America already has.

Expectations were high back in 1981 as well, when President Reagan and a newly Republican Senate slashed taxes and took funds from social investments to spend on defense. While all of our new, shiny weapons sat around, Republicans followed an economic strategy that sent us into the nasty 1982 recession. We saw \$100 billion deficits for the first time in our history in 1982, then a \$200 billion deficit the very next year. Eventually the recession went away (thanks partially to the downfall of OPEC), but the budget deficit didn't. Attempts to shrink the deficit in the late 80s were thwarted by another Republican legacy, the savings and loan crisis. With its \$180 billion taxpayer price-tag, allowed a collection of crimes to happen by over-zealous Republican deregulation.

Meanwhile, the Democrats were having problems of their own. The good intentions of supporting groups that many Americans hate or ignore (African-Americans, Latinos, gays, feminists, non-Christians, the elderly, people with disabilities, etc.) degenerated into a rigid atmosphere where debate about the pros and cons of certain programs (especially welfare)

was not allowed. Systems to strengthen the power of minority groups went awry, so that Democrats who didn't fit a "category" soon felt excluded. The Democratic party forgot that it was supposed to lead the entire country, not just the excluded. Social programs with serious problems were not fixed, and the Washington political system was allowed to remain quite corrupt, all contrary to the populist ideals of the Democratic party.

In last year's elections it was the social and moral problems of America—crime, sexual and marital irresponsibility, corruption, abuse of the legal system, our terribly high rate of abortions—that drove many people to vote Republican. Concerns about our country's character outweighed fears about what Republican rule could do to our economy and the poor.

The Republicans have a good shot at cleaning up some of the Democrats' mistakes. Reasonable restrictions on the power of Congress to exempt itself from the nation's laws have been passed. A bipartisan bill to make the federal government pay for things it requires the states to do ("unfunded mandates") has passed as well. The shock treatment of the 1994 elections will hopefully make the Democrats a better party, able to tolerate different opinions within its ranks, and eager to make positive reforms in their own programs.

But already the Republicans are trying to go much too far. Instead of working with a moderate welfare reform plan suggested by President Clinton last year,

Republicans are ignoring it and pushing for huge cuts in programs that help people who are really looking for work. Many of the Republicans' proposed cuts will hurt welfare children, ironically encourage mothers to have abortions by withholding health care from the uninsured, and will be denying care for children.

Instead of strengthening measures that really reduce crime, Republicans are attacking last year's crime bill, especially the provisions for 100,000 new police officers, the popular ban on a selection of assault weapons, and community-building programs for crime-ridden areas. Less police, more guns, less for teenagers to do, and more prisons seem to be the Republican plan for reducing the crime rate.

The Republicans are well on their way to making new problems. Already Republican forays into foreign policy, such as a recently introduced bill which threatens Russia's foreign aid unless that nation fulfills our demands, are interfering with our nation's diplomatic efforts. House Republicans have decided to push to include Eastern Europe in NATO, to turn our back on U.N. peacekeeping missions, and to start working on "star wars" again. Helping to reduce starvation, eliminate third world totalitarianism, and promote international cooperation are not high on most Republicans' priority lists.

The most ridiculous example of Republican mess-making is the much ballyhooed Balanced Budget Amendment. The Republicans know that most Amer-

icans would like a balanced budget, so instead of doing it the tough way (which would include raising taxes), they push for a change to the Constitution that doesn't make any sense. Under a Balanced Budget Amendment, what happens when we enter a recession? In a recession, tax revenues go down, payments to help people who have been laid off go up, and the nation enters a natural, temporary deficit. Yet under the Amendment, Congress would be forced to either raise taxes or lower social spending during every recession to keep the budget balanced, just when the economy can't afford any more stress.

Even worse, according to Keynesian economics (which both moderate and liberal economists generally support), always having a balanced budget will turn recessions into a downward spiral—a depression, the ultimate economic mess.

Will Americans allow 1995 to be a rerun of 1981? Once again the Republican party is being blinded by its ideology, rather than following sound economic and social policies. Instead of taking advantage of the terrific economy to raise taxes and lower the deficit, the Republicans are doing the opposite. In addition to creating the short-term mess of increased poverty, especially among American children, current plans threaten to return us to terrible deficits and depression in the next decade.

Clip this article as the beginning of a list of messes the Republicans create. You may wish to refer to it in 1996, and 2000, and 2004...

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Earthquake score: Nature one, technology zero

BY PAUL SHRIVASTIVA

The over-reliance on the technological ledger that enabled my former Kyoto neighbor to e-mail moment-by-moment updates on the Kansas earthquake also is responsible for much of the destruction the earthquake brought. With typical Japanese modesty and ambiguity, Sugihara-san attributes the cause to an act of God. But with equally typical acidity, he also observes that some of the "quake gods" are sitting in Tokyo.

This earthquake is an act of nature. But the devastation is not. Quake gods in Tokyo depended on technology to spare them from the consequences of their wrongheaded urbanization, economic development and social policies. And as long as we continue to view such damage from earthquakes, hurricanes and floods as solely acts of nature and rely on technological solutions to protect us from such disasters, we will never develop adequate economic and social policies.

Japan is an inexorably urbanizing society. For the last 50 years populations have steadily shifted to the major metropolitan areas of Tokyo-Yokohama, Osaka-Kobe-Kyoto and Nagoya. Simultaneously, rural areas were depopulated, leading to the demise of many rural communities. The shift undergirded the government policy of urban-biased economic development. The extreme, high density of population in urban areas caused land prices to soar by an average of 700 percent between 1970 and 1990. Population density in urban areas is 200 times that in rural areas.

Policy-makers knew the dangers of settlement on lands that are four

times more quake prone than California. Their response, however, was largely technological. In 1971, Japan legislated construction standards that were easily the most stringent in the world. As a leader in quake engineering, Japan was viewed as an example worth emulating, until this week. This technological solution only masked the risks, and gave false hope that communities could be protected in case of a quake.

This technocratic consciousness is also reflected in emergency preparedness in Japan. The Disaster Prevention Research Institute of Kyoto University is the premier institute for the study of natural disasters—and the largest. For 50 years it has conducted research on disaster prevention and disaster reduction techniques. It has innovated many useful engineering solutions for building quake resistant structures, and mitigating other types of natural disasters. But its focus is largely technological (natural for an institute based in the College of Engineering). Little attention is paid to human, social, economic, organizational community elements of disaster mitigation. The level of preparedness for the Kansai emergency has been criticized widely in Japan.

Horrendous as the devastation is, the Kansai quake offers some valuable lessons in disaster management. Communities in California are prone to the same dangers and the same false sense of security as communities in Kansai. They have established buildings, schools, hospitals, and communities along the San Andreas Fault. They have allowed unfettered urbanization in the Los Angeles, San Diego, and San Francisco Bay areas.

These patterns of settlement may have been economically and politically expedient 30 and 40 years ago. Today, they represent unaccept-

ably risky situations, waiting to be triggered into disasters by "acts of God."

Technological solutions alone will never suffice. Improved building codes and standards and other technological changes are only part of the solution. They are no substitute for ecologically sound urban policies. We need disaster mitigation programs rooted in community actions. We need disaster prevention in the form of safe human settlements. We need to develop disaster-resistant cultures in communities most exposed to disaster risks. We need to foster cultural habits that encourage vigilance, networking, civic cooperation, pre-emptive safety actions, and institutions' capacity to cope with disasters.

This may involve rebuilding some structures. It may involve moving some buildings from their current locations to safer ones. It may require moving entire communities in understanding risks, and yes, it is expensive and disruptive to voluntarily move buildings and communities. But it is even more expensive and devastating to let the earth move them.

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FLASH IN THE PAN

Don't Bet on Baseball: Negotiations between baseball players and owners continued to be a bust. Mediator William Ury wasn't even allowed to present his plan, which *The Cincinnati Enquirer* sides with the owners. The sides met with President Clinton in the White House in an emergency meeting, but no progress was made. Clinton hopes Congress will vote a settlement into law to end the six-month strike.

A Bunch of Bowl: In the game that no one cares about, the Pro Bowl followed recent history as the AFC trounced the NFC, 41-13, a week after the NFC had had its way in the Super Bowl. Indianapolis' Marshall Faulk was named MVP after rushing for 180 on 13 carries and one touchdown.

Another New NCAA No. 1: The North Carolina men's basketball team reclaimed the top spot in the *GN/USA Today* Coaches and *Associated Press* polls last Monday. The Tar Heels defeated rivals flailing Duke in double overtime and North Carolina State, while former No. 1 Massachusetts was upended by George Washington. However, Carolina's stint in the No. 1 spot will be short. The Tar Heels lost Tuesday night to No. 10 Maryland, 86-73. Look for Kansas to move to No. 1 next week for the first time this season.

Record Setter at Pebble Beach: In a record setting performance, Peter Jacobson blitzed one of the stronger PGA Tour fields of the season to win the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am last Sunday. Jacobson shot 271, 17-under par, in four rounds of light, clean and place play due to California's soggy conditions from torrential. Jacobson eclipsed Tom Watson's score of 273 set back in 1977.

The Magic's Gone: Utah's John Stockton broke Magic Johnson's assist record last week. The game was stopped as Stockton was honored with a three minute standing ovation and given a game ball.

Maradona Back?: Diego Maradona, who was suspended by FIFA during the World Cup finals last July for failing a drug test, said Monday he wants to make a comeback in the Brazilian League. Maradona had been suspended earlier in his career for a another drug-related incident.

Not Very Peachy: Like Diego Maradona's, Darryl Strawberry's career has been plagued by drug problems. Strawberry has failed another drug test, violating Major League Drug policy for the second time, bringing a 60 day suspension from the sport and forcing the San Francisco Giants to let him go. Also, Strawberry will probably spend three-months in jail after the 1995 season for income tax evasion.

Baseball Will Be Played: Well, at least college baseball will play its 1995 season this year. *Baseball Weekly* released its pre-season Top 25 poll Tuesday, and the top voter was Stanford. It was followed by Florida State, Oklahoma, Louisiana State and Clemson.

Penguins on Fire: The Pittsburgh Penguins topped the Florida Panthers Tuesday night to remain undefeated at 8-0-1. The Penguins are the only NHL's undefeated and lead the stacked Northeast Division, which features four teams with 12 or more teams.

"Who Goofed? I've Got to Know.": Howard Cosell, the famous boxing broadcaster, will receive the third annual Arthur Ashe Award for Courage. Bill Cosby will accept the award for Cosell, who is battling cancer.

Golden Bear Still a Force: Jack Nicklaus defeated Tom Watson by a stroke, 69-70, Monday at Pebble Beach in a match-up for *Shell's Wonderful World of Golf*. *Shell's*, which pits to legendary golfers in head-to-head matches on some of the world's greatest golf courses, will air this contest on ABC later this year.

Snow Job: The men's swim team finished the year 9-0 with help from the snow we received last weekend. Lehigh could not make the trip—the meet was called. Army also completed their season undefeated, while beating the Engineers, however the Orange and Blue did not swim the Cadets.

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Anderson helps Bison take out Fordham

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Brian Anderson '96 seems to like playing Fordham. In four games against Fordham in his career, Anderson has totaled 78 points and 29 rebounds. Last night, he took seven-footers Darren Deschryver for 20 points, six boards, and made nine of ten

shots from the field in leading the men's basketball team to a 75-56 slaughter of the Rams.

"I took advantage of [Deschryver's] slower foot-speed," Anderson said. "I like playing against big guys."

The victory moved Bucknell to the .500 mark for the first time this season at 11-11 and 9-1 in Patriot League, clinging to a one

game lead over Colgate. Fordham dropped to 4-6 in the conference and 7-13 overall.

"This is the time in the year where there are no rests," coach Pat Flannery said. "We have to go deeper into line-up to keep fresh legs," which was shown in that four reserves played key minutes.

The Bison will move on to play Lehigh this weekend at Stabler Arena. Through last Saturday, the Engineers had compiled a 9-11 overall record and 4-5 record in league. Lehigh is led by junior Rashawne Glenn. Glenn is averaging 20 points and shooting 45% from the field.

"[Lehigh] knows how to run its offense," Anderson said. "It's another good test for us, another road trip."

The Fordham game was probably the cleanest game the Bison have played this season. The team shot a season-high 65% from the floor, either milking the clock in the half-court offense or getting easy baskets in transition play. Bucknell also committed a season-low eight turnovers, including none from the two starting guards Sekou Hamer '96 and Kevin Wenk '96.

Bucknell continued with its balanced scoring attack that has helped it to the top of the Patriot League. The four Bison players that average in double-figures all scored ten or more points against Fordham. Hamer scored 12 points and Dave Steigerwald '96 and Kihlon Golden '96 added 11 and ten, respectively.

"On any given anybody on the team can for 20 points," Hamer said.

The Bison went on a 24-6 run during a nine minute stretch in the second half to take a four

point lead to 67-45. The run included two jumpers and a lay-up from Hamer, nine points from Steigerwald, six from three short, running jumpers in the lane, and five points from Anderson.

During the entire second half, the Bison were able to punch the ball into Anderson, where he was able to either score or kick the ball back out to Hamer, Steigerwald or Gordon Mboya '97 to knock down the jumpers. Anderson tied a career-high with three assists.

"Fordham came in here playing really well. It is encouraging that we could play a bump-and-grind, physical game," Flannery said. "It hasn't been our strong suit in the past."

However, Bucknell started slow. It jumped out to an early 8-5 lead, but then allowed the Rams to go on a 13-2 run and grab a 18-10 lead eight minutes into the game.

"They came out and hit hard," Hamer said. We weren't boxing out and rebounding early. Boxing out was a key to coming back."

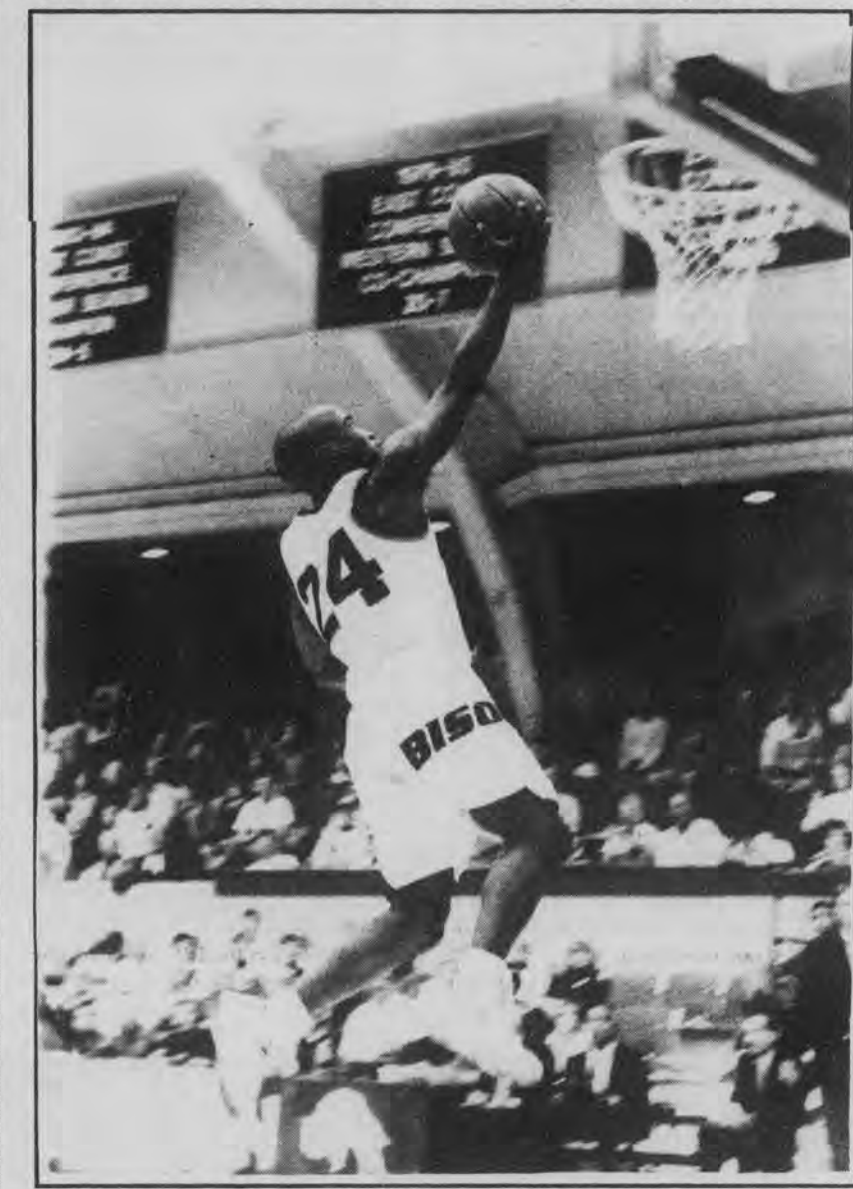
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Mboya hit two baseline jumpers, Hamer scored on two driving lay-ups, and J.R. Holden '98 hit a sliding jumper from the free-throw line as the shot-clock expired to give the Bison a 30-27 lead a half. Bucknell exploded after half-time and cruised to a 19 point victory.

"I don't think that we have peaked," Anderson said. "Winning a lot of games has really helped our confidence."

Bucknell took care of Army last Saturday, 77-59, at West Point, in a game that mirrored the one last night.

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Sekou Hamer '96 glides to the net in last night's 75-56 win. Hamer scored 12 points against the Rams.

Athletics celebrate women in sports

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Walls Lounge was the site of this year's National Girls and Women in Sports Day on Monday—the official date being Feb. 5. There was a panel of five women athletes from various sections of the Bucknell sports world. Many issues concerning women and sports were discussed.

This reception provided the audience with a great deal of information about female athletes at Bucknell and around the world.

Brad Tufts, associate director of athletics, began the discussion by asking the athletes what sports meant to them.

Tracey Freeman '95, captain of the women's lacrosse team, has played for four years. She filled her time with field hockey as a freshman and sophomore. Freeman commented that, "Sports are my daily life."

Tameka Hinton '95, track star from Dorchester, Mass., holds school records in the 55-meter dash (7.18), indoor 200 (28.22), and ranks second in the shot put. Hinton's advice to our youth is to simply "start" getting involved with activities like coaching, watching or contributing positively in any way.

Kristie Robson '95, once captain of the women's rugby team in the Fall '93, was injured and forced into other sports. She is responsible for establishing the women's club golf team and manages to double major in biology and philosophy. Robson stated, "Sports has helped me not only meet people, but establish great friends."

Heather Rendell '97 is a member of the women's volleyball team. Rendell helped the Orange and Blue to their best season ever. Rendell also talked about her lifetime involvement in sports. She explained, "I practically grew up

in a gym... Sports have helped me to manage my time."

Finally, Kristen Lloyd '98, basketball player and native of Ellicott City, Md., did not begin her sports career until eighth grade. Lloyd admitted, "My greatest workout is not the stair-master, but running up and down the court for an hour."

Lloyd continued with an engaging story about an experience coaching young female basketball players. Apparently, Lloyd was looked up to as a role model on this team. She explained, "One day a girl showed up to practice with a Bucknell T-shirt on... it was obvious she had respect for me and pride to work hard to accomplish goals."

The discussion was later opened to the audience—mostly female athletes, a few male coaches, Wayne Baker from the *Daily Item* and a small group of non-athletes. Women's basketball coach, Julianne Simpson, was one of the first to speak. She believes, "Women should start thinking it's o.k. to be female and assertive, the president of a company... We must keep the tradition going."

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Women do not get as much media coverage as men in this country, but there has been a change occurring in our society. The Final Four of the NCAA's are televised on CBS and E.S.P.N has shifted their coverage to appeal to a wider audience. Sports are constantly going through changes which have been noticeable in the last ten years. Continuing on this sentiment, the athletes again discussed the importance of putting energy back into the game.

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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:
"Someone once told me that life isn't fair, but you have to work hard anyway."

—COACH JULIANNE SIMPSON AT WALLS LOUNGE RECEPTION.

FLASH IN THE PAN

Don't Bet on Baseball: Negotiations between baseball players and owners continued to be a bust. Mediator William Uresy wasn't even allowed to present his plan, which *The Cincinnati Enquirer* sides with the owners. The sides met with President Clinton in the White House in an emergency meeting, but no progress was made. Clinton hopes Congress will vote a settlement into law to end the six-month strike.

A Bunch of Bowl: In the game that no one cares about, the Pro Bowl followed recent history as the AFC trounced the NFC, 41-13, a week after the NFC had had its way in the Super Bowl. Indianapolis' Marshall Faulk was named MVP after rushing for 180 on 13 carries and one touchdown.

Another New NCAA No. 1: The North Carolina men's basketball team reclaimed the top spot in the *CNN/USA Today* Coaches and Associated Press polls last Monday. The Tar Heels defeated rivals Dilling Duke in double overtime and North Carolina State, while former No. 1 Massachusetts was upended by George Washington. However, Carolina's stint in the No. 1 spot will be short. The Tar Heels lost Tuesday night to No. 10 Maryland, 86-73. Look for Kansas to move to No. 1 next week for the first time this season.

Record Setter at Pebble Beach: In a record setting performance, Peter Jacobson blitzed one of the stronger PGA Tour fields of the season to win the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am last Sunday. Jacobson shot 271, 17-under par, in four rounds of lift, clean and place play due to California's soggy conditions from torrential. Jacobson eclipsed Tom Watson's score of 273 set back in 1977.

The Magic's Gone: Utah's John Stockton broke Magic Johnson's assist record last week. The game was stopped as Stockton was honored with a three minute standing ovation and given a game ball.

Maradona Back?: Diego Maradona, who was suspended by FIFA during the World Cup finals last July for failing a drug test, said Monday he wants to make a comeback in the Brazilian League. Maradona had been suspended earlier in his career for a another drug-related incident.

Not Very Peachy: Like Diego Maradona's, Darryl Strawberry's career has been plagued by drug problems. Strawberry has failed another drug test, violating Major League Drug policy for the second time, bringing a 60 day suspension from the sport and forcing the San Francisco Giants to let him go. Also, Strawberry will probably spend three-months in jail after the 1995 season for income tax evasion.

Baseball Will Be Played: Well, at least college baseball will play its 1995 season this year. *Baseball Weekly* released its pre-season Top 25 poll Tuesday, and the top voter was Stanford. It was followed by Florida State, Oklahoma, Louisiana State and Clemson.

Penguins on Fire: The Pittsburgh Penguins topped the Florida Panthers Tuesday night to remain undefeated at 8-0-1. The Penguins are the only NHL's undefeated and lead the stacked Northeast Division, which features four teams with 12 or more teams.

"Who Goofed? I've Got to Know": Howard Cosell, the famous boxing broadcaster, will receive the third annual Arthur Ashe Award for Courage. Bill Cosby will accept the award for Cosell, who is battling cancer.

Golden Bear Still a Force: Nicklaus defeated Tom Watson by a stroke, 69-70, Monday at Pebble Beach in a match-up for *Shell's Wonderful World of Golf*. *Shell's*, which pits to legendary golfers in head-to-head matches on some of the world's greatest golf courses, will air this contest on ABC later this year.

Snow Job: The men's swim team finished the year 9-0 with help from the snow we received last weekend. Lehigh could not make the trip—the meet was called. Army also completed their season undefeated, while beating the Engineers, however the Orange and Blue did not swim the Cadets.

Anderson helps Bison take out Fordham

Orange and Blue go on 24-6 run in the second half to pull away from the Rams

ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Brian Anderson '96 seems to like playing Fordham. In four games against Fordham in his career, Anderson has totaled 78 points and 29 rebounds. Last night, he took seven-footer Darren Deschryver for 20 points, six boards, and made nine of ten

shots from the field in leading the men's basketball team to a 75-56 slaughter of the Rams.

"I took advantage of [Deschryver's] slower foot-speed," Anderson said. "I like playing against big guys."

The victory moved Bucknell to the 500 mark for the first time this season at 11-11 and 9-1 in Patriot League, clinging to a one

game lead over Colgate. Fordham dropped to 4-6 in the conference and 7-13 overall.

"This is the time in the year where there are no rests," coach Pat Flannery said. "We have to go deeper into line-up to keep fresh legs," which was shown in that four reserves played key minutes.

The Bison will move on to play Lehigh this weekend at Stabler Arena. Through last Saturday, the Engineers had compiled a 9-11 overall record and 4-5 record in league. Lehigh is led by junior Rashawne Glenn. Glenn is averaging 20 points and shooting 45% from the field.

"[Lehigh] knows how to run its offense," Anderson said. "It's another good test for us, another road trip."

The Fordham game was probably the cleanest game the Bison have played this season. The team shot a season-high 65% from the floor, either milking the clock in the half-court offense or getting easy baskets in transition play. Bucknell also committed a season-low eight turnovers, including none from the two starting guards Sekou Hamer '96 and Kevin Wenk '96.

Bucknell continued with its balanced scoring attack that has helped it to the top of the Patriot League. The four Bison players that average in double-figures all scored ten or more points against Fordham.

Hamer scored 12 points and Dave Steigerwald '96 and Kithen Golden '96 added 11 and ten, respectively.

"On any given anybody on the team can for 20 points," Hamer said.

The Bison went on a 24-6 run during a nine minute stretch in the second half to take a four

point lead to 67-45. The run included two jumpers and a lay-up from Hamer, nine points from Steigerwald, six from three short, running jumpers in the lane, and five points from Anderson.

During the entire second half, the Bison were able to punch the ball into Anderson, where he was able to either score or kick the ball back out to Hamer, Steigerwald or Gordon Mboya '97 to knock down the jumpers. Anderson tied a career-high with three assists.

"Fordham came in here playing really well. It is encouraging that we could play a bump-and-grind, physical game," Flannery said. "It hasn't been our strong suit in the past."

However, Bucknell started slow. It jumped out to an early 8-5 lead, but then allowed the Rams to go on a 13-2 run and grab a 18-10 lead eight minutes into the game. "They came out and hit hard," Hamer said. "We weren't boxing out and rebounding early. Boxing out was a key to coming back."

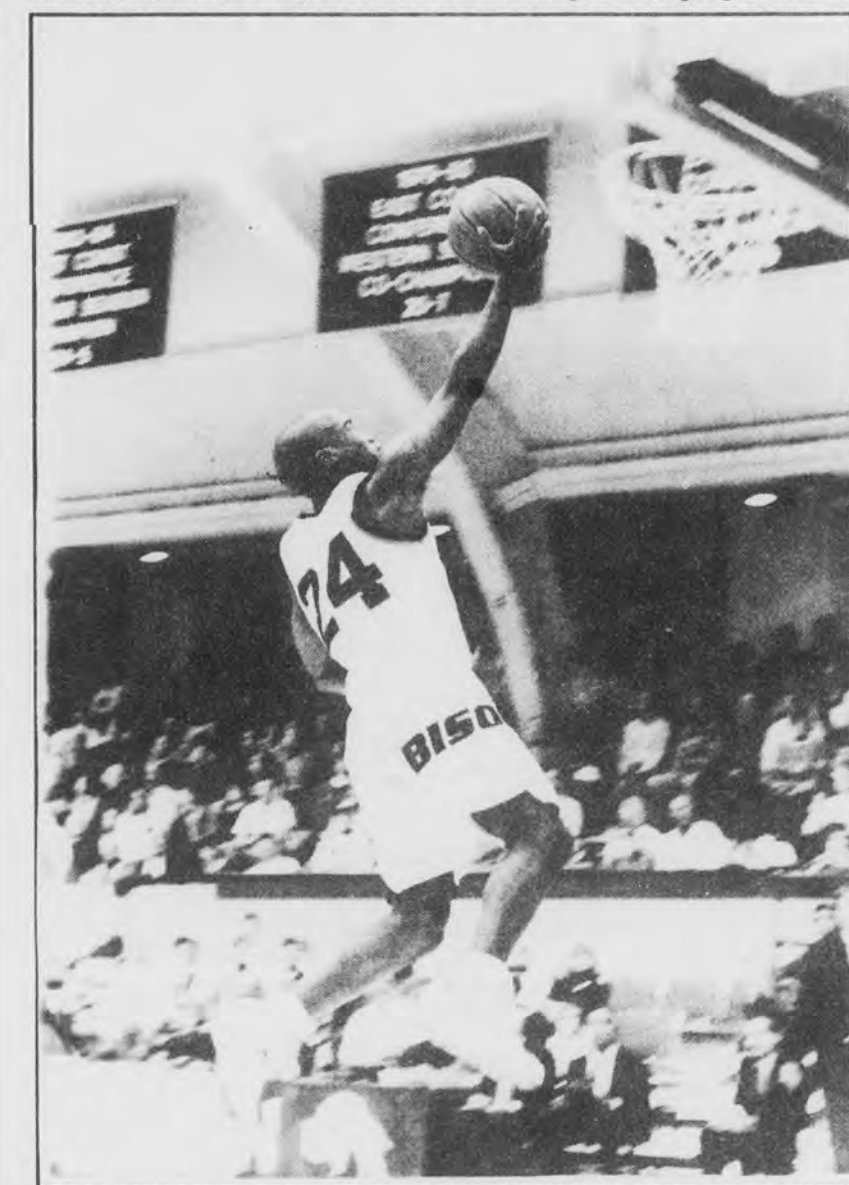
Bucknell followed Fordham's streak up with a 12-2 run, seizing the lead that would not be relinquished.

Mboya hit two baseline jumpers, Hamer scored on two driving lay-ups, and J.R. Holden '98 hit a sliding jumper from the free-throw line as the shot-clock expired to give the Bison a 30-27 lead a half. Bucknell exploded after half-time and cruised to a 19 point victory.

"I don't think that we have peaked," Anderson said. "Winning a lot of games has really helped our confidence."

Bucknell took care of Army last Saturday, 77-59, at West Point, in a game that mirrored the one last night.

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Solaida Mamsang-The Bucknellian

Sekou Hamer '96 glides to the net in last night's 75-56 win. Hamer scored 12 points against the Rams.

Athletics celebrate women in sports

KEITH NIGRO

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Walls Lounge was the site of this year's National Girls and Women in Sports Day on Monday—the official date being Feb. 5. There was a panel of five women athletes from various sections of the Bucknell sports world. Many issues concerning women and sports were discussed. This reception provided the audience with a great deal of information about female athletes at Bucknell and around the world.

Brad Tufts, associate director of athletics, began the discussion by asking the athletes what sports meant to them.

Tracey Freeman '95, captain of the women's lacrosse team, has played for four years. She filled her time with field hockey as a freshman and sophomore. Freeman commented that, "Sports are my daily life."

Tameka Hinton '95, track star from Dorchester, Mass., holds school records in the 55-meter dash (7.18), indoor 200 (25.22), and ranks second in the shot put. Hinton's advice to our youth is to simply "start" getting involved with activities like coaching, watching or contributing positively in any way.

Kristie Robson '95, once captain of the women's rugby team in the Fall '93, was injured and forced into other sports. She is responsible for establishing the women's club golf team and manages to double major in biology and philosophy. Robson stated, "Sports has helped me not only meet people, but establish great friends."

Heather Rendell '97 is a member of the women's volleyball team. Rendell helped the Orange and Blue to their best season ever. Rendell also talked about her lifetime involvement in sports. She explained, "I practically grew up

in a gym... Sports have helped me to manage my time."

Finally, Kristen Lloyd '98, basketball player and native of Ellicott City, Md., did not begin her sports career until eighth grade. Lloyd admitted, "My greatest workout is not the stair-master, but running up and down the court for an hour."

Lloyd continued with an engaging story about an experience coaching young female basketball players. Apparently, Lloyd was looked up to as a role model on this team. She explained, "One day a girl showed up to practice with a Bucknell T-shirt on... it was obvious she had respect for me and pride to work hard to accomplish goals."

The discussion was later opened to the audience—mostly female athletes, a few male coaches, Wayne Baker from the *Daily Item* and a small group of non-athletes. Women's basketball coach, Julianne Simpson, was one of the first to speak. She believes, "Women should start thinking it's o.k. to be female and assertive, the president of a company... We must keep the tradition going."

Cindy Opalski, the women's volleyball coach, had a few words to say about women and the lack of coverage by the media. While pointing to Brad Tufts, associate director of athletics, she stated, "We always provide the information for you guys, but you choose not to pass it on and print it."

She mentioned the local media as doing a poor job in covering women's sports.

Women do not get as much media coverage as men in this country, but there has been a change occurring in our society. The Final Four of the NCAA's are televised on CBS and E.S.P.N has shifted their coverage to appeal to a wider audience. Sports are constantly going through changes which have been noticeable in the last ten years. Continuing on this sentiment, the athletes again discussed the importance of putting energy back into the game.

As the reception came to a close, Simpson presented good advice for every athlete around the world. "Someone once told me that life isn't fair, but you must continue to work hard anyway," Simpson said.



Susan Naughton-The Bucknellian

Basketball coach Julianne Simpson offers a story at the Walls Lounge reception. Feb. 5 is the official date for National Girls and Women in Sports Day.

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The men practice for the Winter Classic. See page 13 for complete coverage.

BISON SCOREBOARD

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Solaida Mamsang—The Bucknellian

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SPORTS

Track ties for top spot at Yale

KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

New Haven was the site of great performances, snow, and of course, injuries.

Fortunately, the men's indoor team returned home safely tied for first with Yale. The Bison and Eli's tallied 76 points, while Cornell finished third with 40 points. The women's team finished second to a strong Red Raider attack.

Karim-Abdul Matin '96 began the great performances by finishing first in both the long and triple jumps for Bucknell, and qualifying for the IC4A championships (Inter-Collegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America). This prestigious meet was estab-

lished over 100 years ago and is comprised of male track and field stars.

Chris Priestaf '95 was seven seconds shy of qualifying for the NCAA championships. Jim Heizman '96 heaved a personal best of 56' 0" on his final hammer throw. Brian Preputnik '96 and Rick Van Emburgh '95 also qualified for IC4A's in the high jump and 500 meter run, respectively. It was obvious there was a lot of energy from Bucknell.

"It was a great meet for both Yale and Bucknell, despite all of the personal records," Gulden added, "there was a great deal of excitement on both teams (Yale and Bucknell)," Gulden explained. There was also a great deal of

snow outside the Yale sports arena in New Haven. Gulden said that Bucknell and Cornell arrived early, while Yale had trouble getting to their own fieldhouse. Apparently, the Yale squad had to take a bus from the school, located a distance away downhill. The meet began on time, however, and the accumulation had melted from the rain.

For the Lady Bison, Tameka Hinton '95 came back from a nagging injury to win both the 55 and 200 meter dashes — her condition seems to be improving each day. Becky Tobin '96 finished third in the 800 meter run, but suffered a hip bruise and will need therapy.

Gulden admitted, "The women are still a little banged up and sick... we must prepare them for the Patriot League Tournament." By the end of the day, the Cornell women posted an impressive 88 points to Bucknell's 31. Yale finished third with 29.

Norine Nadeau '96, winner of last week's Princeton Pentathlon, competed in both the long jump and high jump, and the 55 meter hurdles.

"It was a gamble she had to take to try and win the meet," Gulden said. Normally, one athlete does not compete in three events such as Nadeau attempted to do last Saturday.

The final key injured runner is Ed Loges '96. He will not run this weekend and his status is still day-to-day.

The Orange and Blue's match-up with Yale and Cornell will continue rotating each year between the schools. Our administration has proposed to build a state-of-the-art facility in the fieldhouse, which would attract better competition including other Ivy League schools.

"More competitive teams will not travel to Lewisburg because our indoor surface is not suited for spikes... an option that many major schools choose," Gulden said. The indoor surface, already a year overdue, was the final cut from last year's budget and is scheduled to be installed on June 30, 1995.

Bucknell will host the Winter Classic, a meet of over 40 teams from Pennsylvania, this weekend.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Becky Tobin '96 test her legs in practice Tuesday after being injured in the 800 meters at Yale over the weekend. The Bison tied for first with Yale. Bucknell host such teams as Shippensburg and Slippery Rock in the Winter Classic this weekend.

LADY BISON

second half as Erin McCoy '95 came off the bench to score five key points, including a three-pointer late in the game that gave the Bison 45-31 lead. From there, the Bison cruised to victory.

Sockel was the only Bison player in double-figures. Hollister added 13 rebounds and Vlah contributed six points and five boards.

The Bison, coming off the league loss against Fordham, are looking to regroup and get ready for another league match at Lehigh on Saturday. With a league record of just 2-7 before the Wednesday night match-ups, Le-

high doesn't seem to pose that great of a threat, having been beaten at their last meeting by the Bison in Lewisburg on January 18, 79-54.

Bucknell has four regular season games, but only Holy Cross has a winning record. Holy Cross is first in Patriot League with a 10-0 record.

The team goes to West Point on March 3 to play the first round of the Patriot League tournament. With the way things are stacking up, the Lady Bison will probably face Colgate. Colgate plays the Bison on Feb. 15.

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MEN'S BASKETBALL

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Bucknell started slowly as Army took an early 12-9 lead and then a 24-23 advantage.

Mark Leuking, Army's leading scorer, scored ten points in the first 11 minutes, including three corner jumpers, two from beyond the arch.

At 24-23, Hamer came back

into the game and sparked a 21-4 run that gave the Bison a 44-28 lead at half-time.

The run included eight from Hamer, four on running lay-ups, and four from the chariot strike. Golden followed two Bison misses to add four of his seven points during the stretch.

All five Bison started finished in double-figures. Anderson led the team

SPORTS

Commentary

Is women's sports coverage lacking?

The National Girls and Women in Sports Day conference last Monday brought up the ever current theme of the amount of coverage women get in the media.

Cindy Opalski, the women's volleyball coach, Julianne Simpson, the women's basketball coach and Kristen Lloyd '98, a varsity basketball player, all voiced their concerns about the lack of attention women's sports get in both the print broadcast and media.

Opalski sighted the few articles that were printed in the Bucknellian and lack of statistical information in the *Daily Item* of her team during the fall semester.

Brad Tufts, associate director of athletics brought out the fact that television sports are dominated by four main sports: football, basketball, hockey, and baseball. Only one of those sports, basketball, is played widely by women on any level, and even then, very few women's collegiate basketball games are on network television.

I do not disagree with Opalski and others, and I am in fact sympathetic to their concerns; women's sports do get buried among the big four sports and others. However, people still have to look at the responsibility of both newspapers and television.

Printing newspapers and producing television is a business. Like any business, the goal is to make money. Therefore, these two industries try to make a product that people will either buy as in the case with newspapers or watch as in television.

There is a reason why the Bucknell men's basketball game sold out against Holy Cross two Saturdays ago, while the women's game drew about 1,000 fans. Men's basketball is generally faster paced, there is more scoring, more exciting games, and more action. The men's game featured no less than a half-dozen dunks while in the history of women's basketball, there has only been one dunk.

Generally, but there are many exceptions, men are stronger, can jump higher, run faster, and produce more action that appeals to the masses than women can.

This is not to knock women's basketball or any other women's sport. I go to all the games, men's and women's. Men's and women's sports are simply different, giving men an advantage.

Some might argue that as a non-profit newspaper, *The Bucknellian* has a responsibility to the community to cover every sport equally. But that is not really realistic. Like any newspaper, we have readership that prefers some sports to others, proof in the sell-out for the men's basketball game against Holy Cross.

We have to cater to avid readers, meaning featuring basketball articles more prominently than, say, less read sports like volleyball or golf.

The lack of coverage of women's sports has nothing to do with a prejudice against women and women's sports, but it is simply the media's duty to cover other aspects of the sporting world first because of their popularity.

Eric Shortz

Eric Shortz, Sports Editor

Fordham 'Rams' Lady Bison

Basketball loses despite season-high 18 points from Coffey

BY JEAN TANIMOTO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Beth Coffey '97 led the Bucknell with a season-high 18 points in the Bison's heartbreaking loss to Fordham Wednesday night. It came down to the last 50 seconds before the fellow Patriot League member Rams were able to wrap up the victory. The final score in the tough loss was 52-49, bringing the Lady Bison's league record to 5-5.

The Bison kept it close throughout the first half. Coffey had ten of her 18 points, including a pair of treys. Bucknell went into half-time down by only four, 25-21.

The Rams quickly increased the lead though, coming out of the half. Then coming out of a Bucknell time-out the Bison started to mount a serious rallying effort, starting with a lay-up by Shannon McGowan '97 off a nice assist from Chiara Sockel '97. The Bison were able to tie the game with a three pointer by Sockel with 1:29 left in the game. Bucknell wasn't able to pull it off though, Fordham got the last lay-up and a foul shot.

Casey Hollister '96 had another big game, scoring 12 points. Fordham offered a tall, aggressive inside lineup, keeping McGowan's rebounding stats down to just nine, breaking her seven game streak in double-figures. McGowan went into the game leading the league in rebounding, averaging 9.2 a game.

Fordham was led by Suzanne Maguire who had 23 points. Denise Hammersley also had ten points for the defending league champion Rams.

Those brave enough to go out into the sub-zero weather on Monday night watched the Lady Bison pull out a win over the Drexel Dragons. The women put on an exciting finish for the sparse crowd at Davis Gym, winning 59-56.

The Bison began the game up and up with the Dragons, slowly pulling away as the end of the half approached. Bucknell was led by co-captain K.C. Vlah '96, who had 11 of her 12 points in the first 20 minutes. When the teams went into half-time, Bucknell up 37-26.

In the second half the Bison continued to lead until under ten minutes to play in the game. Leading 53-39 at the time, Bucknell hit an offensive dry spell. The Bison went scoreless for six minutes, giving Drexel a chance to take a one point lead, 54-53, at the three minute marker. In the remaining minutes Hollister, who is shooting 76% from the free throw line for the season, went to the line on three occasions, hitting five of six free throws to seal the win for the Bison. McGowan also had a key block with 8 seconds left, ending Drexel chance of taking the game into overtime.

The Bison were led by Hollister who had 19 points, a career-high. Vlah added her 12 points, along with 3 steals. Vlah currently has 69 steals this season.

McGowan had eight points

and pulled down 12 rebounds, extending her streak to seven games in double-figures in rebounding.

Drexel was led by Jen MacNeill, who fouled out late in the second half, but not before scoring 19 points. Leslie Reiner and Meghan O'Brien contributed to the hard loss 13 and 10, respectively.

Bucknell snapped a two game losing streak last Saturday at West Point by defeating Army, 52-44, in a game that drew more fans than the men's.

McGowan led the Bison with a double-double, putting in 12 points and bringing down 11 rebounds.

The first half was plagued by poor shooting and turnovers as the Bison inched to a 23-19 lead.

The Bison pulled away in the See LADY BISON, Page 12



Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian

Co-captain K.C. Vlah '96 attempts to find an open player to pass the ball to in the 52-49 loss to Fordham. The Lady Bison dropped to 8-14 overall and 5-5 in Patriot League.

MEN'S PATRIOT LEAGUE BASKETBALL

Navy blasts fading Holy Cross team

ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Midshipmen held Holy Cross to 28 percent shooting for the game and a mere 14 percent in the first half on the way to handing the Crusaders their third loss in four games, 78-52.

The win moved the Midshipmen to 14-8 overall and 6-4 in Patriot League, good for third place behind Bucknell and Colgate. Holy Cross dropped to 10-11 overall and 5-5 in league.

Holy Cross made only four of 28 shots in the opening 20 minutes as Navy jumped out to a 31-9 lead and gave up only 15 points in the first half.

Holy Cross places much of its hopes of winning on the shoulders of the Patriot League's leading scorer Rob Feaster, but Feaster made only seven of 20 shots, although he did lead all players with 20 points, and the rest of the team saw only eight of their 34 shots fall through the hoop.

Navy committed 23 turnovers, four more than the Crusaders, but shot 46 percent from the field and 52 percent in the second half. The team was led by freshman sensation Michael Heary's 18 points. Forward Wes Cooper had a double-double with 15 points and ten rebounds and T.J. Hall, the Patriot League's Tournament M.V.P. last season, put in 11 points in only 14 minutes of action.

Army 72, Lafayette 69, OT: Army held off a late scare by Lafayette, and then went on to defeat the Leopards in overtime, 72-69, Tuesday night in West Point. Nick Karabatsos came off the bench to make five of eight shots and score 13 points in leading the way for the Black Knights. Mark Leuking added 18.

Army (11-10, 4-6) led by six at half-time, but the Leopards were able to come back to tie the game at 65 at the end of regulation. Leuking made two key free throws in the extra period to help give Lafayette (2-20, 0-10) its 17th straight defeat.

Joe Marshall, returning from an injury earlier this season, scored 22 points and pulled down 16 rebounds in the losing effort.

The results of the Colgate-Lehigh game were not available at press time. However, at last word, Colgate led 62-57 with 11 minutes remaining in regulation. If the Red Raiders went on to win, then they moved to 8-2 in league play, one game behind Bucknell.

Navy's Brian Walker was named Patriot League "Player of the Week" on Monday. The sophomore point guard averaged 10.7 points, 8.7 rebounds and 2.3 steals in wins over Richmond, Bucknell and Lafayette. . . . Adonal Foyle was honored as the league's "Rookie of the Week" for the third consecutive time. He also set a league record for block shots in a season with 104. . . . Kihlon Golden was named to the "Honor Roll" list, recording 22 points and 15 rebounds in two games last week. . . . Holy Cross' Rob Feaster surpassed the 2,000 point mark on Jan. 30 in a game against Boston University. The senior is the leading scorer in Patriot League history. . . . Dave Steigerwald is the leading long-range shooter in league play. Steigerwald has canned 17 of 35 three-pointers, good for a 49 percent clip. . . . Sekou Hamer '96 and Kevin Wenk '96 both rank in the top six in assists. . . . Bucknell is holding opponents to 39 percent shooting from the field, tops in the league. . . . Bucknell still leads the league in all three offensive shooting statistics. . . . Upcoming Patriot League schedule (all games on Saturday): Army at Holy Cross, Colgate at Navy and Lafayette at Fordham.

Bison Calendar

February 11 -18

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Men's Basketball

Sat. 11	at Lehigh	7:30 P.M.
Wed. 15	at Colgate	7:30 P.M.

Women's Basketball

Sat. 11	at Lehigh	5:30 P.M.
Wed. 15	at Colgate	5:15 P.M.

JV Basketball

Thurs. 9	WILKES	7:30 P.M.
Mon. 13	at Gettysburg	8:00 P.M.

Men's and Women's Swimming

Thurs.- Sat. 16-18
Patriot League Championships at Navy

Wrestling

Sat. 11	BUFFALO	1:00 P.M.
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Men's and Women's Track & Field

Sat. 11	WINTER CLASSIC	9:00 P.M.
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? ? ? Sports Trivia Quiz ? ? ?

1. Who was the last AFC Superbowl MVP?

2. Can you name the NHL player who holds the record for most goals in a game?

3. What major league baseball player has played in the most games?

4. Who currently holds both the WBA and IBF heavyweight belts?

5. What U.S. runner holds the 100 meter World Record?

Answers

1. Marcus Allen, XVIII L.A. Raiders; 2. Joe Malone, 7 goals; 3. Pete Rose, 3562 games; 4. Michael Moore; 5. Leroy Burrell, 9.85

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Saturday—Partly sunny. High 40 to 45.
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 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

Men's water polo team out of troubled waters

BY ERIC SHORTZ
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's water polo team has been reinstated by a review board chaired by Steve Stamos, professor of international relations, after sitting out less than a full season on suspension due to allegations of hazing.

The team's spring club season will officially begin within a month, but will remain on probation through the 1996-7 season, and will be watched closely by the athletic department.

The purpose of the review board was to investigate alleged incidents of hazing. While there was evidence of hazing, no team members were individually impli-

cated or charged with hazing.

Members of the team were supposed to be questioned individually by the board, although according to an unnamed player, those meetings did not take place. At one time though, team members did fill out a questionnaire from the athletic department about the alleged hazing.

Because of alleged hazing practices on the water polo team, Andrew Dennis transferred to the University of California at Berkeley to pursue a water polo career.

According to Athletic Director Rick Hartzell, everybody on the team that was an underclassman will be invited to come back.

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Photo courtesy of Sports Information

Last year's men's water polo team from top (l to r): Mike Watkinson '96, Nick Bijur '95, Brian Sullivan '96, Sean Tierney '95, Tom Broyles '97. 2nd row: Carl Welsfelder '95, Ellie Rosenzweig '96, Scott Brizius '95, Geoffery Kempel '96, Tim Nesvig '96; 3rd Row: Sloan Broderick '96, Jay O'Neil '97, Christopher Springer '96, Ethan Daniels; bottom row: former head coach Alan Huckins, Matt Vaccaro '96, Peter Mertz '95, Todd Vaccaro '96, and Jamie Blaine '97.

Administration to graduate old software package

BY JENNIFER DECAMP
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

A new administrative software system is in store for Bucknell and intended to replace nearly all administrative departments, including the registrar, calendar and planning, personnel, and financial aid, as well as physical plant.

According to some administrators, the change is long overdue, as several shut-downs during the crucial registration period have proved.

"We are looking for a complete system to perform all administra-

tive functions. It would serve the people who serve campus," said Gene Spencer, co-director of computer and communications services.

Upon deciding to replace the current system, an administrative software selection team was assembled. The team included Spencer and Dennis Swank, chair of the administrative computing advisory committee, as co-leaders of the search process.

The search team sent out inquiries to 31 computing firms, and received seven replies. From those seven, the field was narrowed to

two: the SCT Corporation from Malvern, PA, and Datatel from Fairfax, VA.

Both companies received the opportunity to present their proposals on campus. Datatel started off by giving three and a half days of presentations last week.

The SCT Corporation is scheduled to present from Feb. 21 through Feb. 24.

The team has decided on mid-March as the tentative time to reach a final decision.

The companies have many advantages to offer Bucknell. Both are leaders in the industry, togeth-

er serving some 800 colleges and universities in the country. Bucknell has been in contact with colleges currently using these systems, and is using this information as an additional decision-making tool.

The new software system would run on faster, less expensive unix-based computers, and would be able to incorporate the current campus computers and campus-wide network.

The secondary benefits of turning over the software program

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BSG fishes for feedback through calendar poll



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

In an effort to gather students' opinions on the calendar issue, BSG asked students to sign petitions for the calendar choice they preferred. Student government representative Megan Bastable '96 oversees the table.

Students fight for multiple degrees, across curricula

BY JEN ANDREWS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

"We are being denied something that we have worked for. We're being asked to choose which major is more important when we want to be recognized for both" says Julie Griesemer '97.

Griesemer is one of several students being denied a Bachelor of Arts degree for her double major.

A Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education, Griesemer needed a concentration in another area to be certified to teach in public school districts. When she proposed to the University that her concentration, a Bachelor of Arts in Music, was equivalent to receiving a degree in that area, she was told that it was not permissible.

To acquire both degrees, Griesemer would have to graduate with one degree, then return, start again as a first-year student, and earn her next degree. In doing this, the general University requirements would also be repeated.

Jeanne Melish '95, a Bachelor of Music, was told the same thing.

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Grade inflation on the rise

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Since when does an "A" stand for average?

Since the national trend of grade inflation—the upward shift in grades over an extended period of time while students' work and abilities remain about the same—has seeped

into the grading practices of Bucknell's faculty. The percentage of A's and B's given at Bucknell has soared from 50% in the 1960s to 80% today.

Faculty members and administrators who acknowledge the growing problem offer a variety of reasons, ranging from academic and political to economic and social factors, for why grade inflation continues to escalate. The consensus among faculty is that inflation is a nation-wide problem, one that greatly affects the future of higher education, including the status of Bucknell, and that something should be done before irreparable damage is done to academia.

The History

According to Louis Goldman, author of "The Betrayal of the Gatekeeper: Grade Inflation," grade inflation began in the late 1960s and early 70s. He observed that professors were more likely to give higher grades during this time in an effort to keep students from being drafted.

The practice has continued well into the 90s, but avoiding the draft is no longer the catalyst for giving higher grades. Rather, there is no single reason, but many factors that contribute to the cycle of inflation, according to some faculty.

A Question of Job Security?

Job security may be one of the biggest issues that contribute to the steady increase in grade averages.

Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography, says that junior faculty who are in tenure track positions "feel that giving higher grades gets them better student evaluations, which increases their chance of getting tenure."

John Cooper, professor of chemistry, has been tracking grade inflation at Bucknell since the late 1960s. He says that giving higher grades is "simply a matter of survival" for some members of the faculty.

"Faculty know where their bread is buttered," Cooper observed, saying that some professors were "terrified, absolutely petrified" by student evaluations.

"If the University requires that professors have to have high student ratings, one way to get higher ratings is to give high grades," Cooper said.

Charles Root, professor of



Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

Ben Marsh, professor of geography, questions the wide range of grades at Bucknell.

chemistry and former member of the University Review Committee [the committee that makes tenure recommendations], said that in his experience, "students don't blame professors for lower grades," and that he believes students are "honest, not vindictive."

Eugenia Gerdes, dean of arts and sciences, agreed, saying, "there is no evidence of a correlation between student evaluations and grades, as long as the grading is perceived as fair."

In an effort to decrease faculty anxiety about student evaluations, the URC holds a meeting every spring to explain tenure review, and how evaluations and other input are weighed in the decision-making process. Edward Cotter, professor of geology and chair of the URC, said the meeting "has not succeeded" in soothing faculty fears.

Whether students actually evaluate their professors according to the grades they receive is a topic of debate. Most faculty will recall incidents involving other faculty members who were confronted by students saying that their evaluation of the professor would reflect the grade they had been given. Faculty members also pass along stories of students admitting that they are taking a class because of a professor's tenure track position.

But these hearsay stories are the only 'proof' supporting the notion that student evaluations can make or break faculty tenure status. In fact, members of the URC, past and present, assert that student evaluations are only one aspect of the review process.

Regardless of the truth, however, the perception is that student evaluations are indicative of a professor's teaching skill. Caught between the question of academic integrity and job security, the decision that some faculty members are making is to appease students with higher grades, thereby avoiding a potentially bad evaluation, which might result in a bad tenure review.

Marketing Bucknell

From an economic standpoint, some feel the University is forced to inflate grades in order to remain competitive in the market for higher education. The trend of shopping around for reputation

Tustin serves up Japanese theatre Kabuki-za style

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

On any average day, Tustin Studio Theatre looks like a typical theater. But this weekend, Tustin will go through a metamorphosis with the addition of colorful backdrops, bright multicolored lights, and even a large wooden platform, transforming it into a Japanese Kabuki theatre.

All of this is in preparation for *Live at Tustin, Kabuki-Za*, a production of the department of theatre & dance which will take place at 8 p.m., tomorrow through Monday.

In tribute to this semester's focus on Japan, students and members of the faculty have joined forces to perform several short pieces to introduce the community to a variety of different Japanese theatre styles.

Under the direction of Gary Grant, chair of the theatre de-

partment, and Tevot Fairservis, the artistic director of the East-West Fusion Theater, the performance promises to take the audience on an exciting journey across the Pacific.

"Going into the theatre is a multicultural experience," said Dina Dusko '97, student assistant to the directors. "It's not just Japanese because we're Western performers; we're taking Eastern theatre and putting a Western slant on it by our very nature of being Western."

One Japanese theatrical style that the company will be producing is Kyogen, short comedic sketches which involve a servant character who always seems to get into various problems.

"Tied to a Pole" and "Rinso River" will center around a mischievous servant named Terokaja, and how he manages to get himself out of trouble.

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Jessica Alexander '95 scolds Tom Markley '96 in "Tied to a Pole," a Japanese Kyogen comedy. "Tied to Pole" is one of the plays being presented in *Live at Tustin, Kabuki-Za* this weekend.

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Proposed wage hike means pennies to Bucknell

Clinton's proposed minimum wage increase not likely to break Bucknell's budget

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

An increase in wages doesn't have to mean a decrease in jobs says Charles Sackrey, associate professor of economics.

Siding with the Clinton Administration, and Labor Secretary, Robert B. Reich, Sackrey feels that Clinton's proposed 90 cent minimum wage increase will produce a ripple effect on the economy.

Supporters of Clinton's proposal say that businesses will benefit because workers will be encouraged to stay in jobs longer and turnover and training costs will fall.

But because most hourly employees at Bucknell already start with hourly wages above the national figure of \$4.25, Ellis Harley, associate vice president for finance, and Tim Tenon, general manager of dining services, agree that Clinton's proposal to increase the hourly minimum wage by 90 cents over two years to \$5.15 will affect the University budget very little.

Tenon said that hiring patterns for dining services are likely to remain about the same. Currently, only high school students employed by dining services start at minimum wage. All Bucknell students start at an hourly rate of \$4.75, 50 cents above the current minimum wage. Casual employees who the University employs on a part-time, no-benefits basis have a starting salary at dining services of \$5.25. For each semester that they work 60 hours or more, student employees receive hourly increases of 15 cents.

An increase will affect some budgets more than others, Tenon said. In the Bison, where student hours total 1000 hours weekly, "any increase will affect the operation," he said.

Tenon added that he didn't think an increase would negatively affect profit margins or result in staffing cuts, as some small business owners have claimed in their arguments against a wage hike.

Harley said he doesn't think that an increase in the minimum

wage would much affect budgets in departments that hire students as teaching or research assistants.

"No specific area of the University will be hit terribly hard," Harley said. "The overall cost to the institution would be only a small percentage in our \$95 million annual budget."

Harley and Tenon's predictions for Bucknell, however, contradict effects that conservatives and Clinton say wage increases will have on the national economy.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich, (R) Georgia, argues that a wage hike will kill jobs, especially those for "minority teenagers," as he said when Clinton announced his proposal on Feb. 3. But Sackrey doesn't believe that anyone can prove that raising the minimum wage inevitably leads to job loss.

He said that he doesn't doubt the claims of small business owners who say that they won't be able to afford the eco-

nomie impact of a 90 cent wage increase. "Many are marginal businesses with low profit rates and are vulnerable to changes in market conditions. In a business with 50 employees it could really be a problem."

But he cites the new book *Myth and Measurement: The New Economics of the Minimum Wage* by labor economists David Card and Alan Krueger of Princeton University as support for his belief that increased wages don't necessarily mean decreased jobs.

Their book examined a study in which, after a previous wage increase, researchers actually found more growth in employment that paid only minimum wage than in employment that paid substantially more.

Card and Krueger also examine countries where the minimum wage is much closer to the national average and found in Canada, Puerto Rico and Britain that higher minimum wages does not lead to joblessness.

Saturday, February 11
A Public Safety officer noted a student loitering next to a Public Safety vehicle. When student was questioned, it was learned that he had been drinking and was under the age of 21. A Public Safety Officer involved in the incident questioned a second student who was at the Public Safety vehicle and learned that he too was drinking and was also under 21.

A student reported that a window in Coleman Hall had been broken. The window appeared to have been broken by a snowball.

While conducting routine fraternity check, a Public Safety officer observed a student in possession of a can of beer and she was under the age of 21.

While on patrol, a Public Safety officer observed a student walking on Fraternity Road with an open container of beer.

Public Safety officers questioned a BU student in front of TKE and found that the student had been drinking beer and was under the age of 21.

Sunday, February 12
Officers responded to Rooke Chemistry to meet with a professor in reference to reported vandalism to three door locks. A locksmith was called in to repair the locks.

While on patrol, a Public Safety officer observed a student walking on Fraternity Road with an open container of beer.

Public Safety officers questioned a student in front of TKE and found that the student had been drinking beer and was under the age of 21.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

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Tracking grade inflation: passing trend or new policy?

From page 1

and grade distribution precludes college applicants, and the University is put in a situation of trying to maintain an academic standard, while it attempts to reach out to a broader audience of incoming students.

"It would be suicide, in an economic/business sense" for Bucknell to arbitrarily lower the GPA, Cooper said. "The University is a business. In the same way [the University] is competing with other schools' tuition levels, they're also competing for grade distribution. If we're known as a school where the average GPA is 2.8 and everywhere else is 3.2, we're going to lose out."

Dean Gerdes acknowledged that trends and pressures outside the University influence the grading system. Gerdes added that some faculty had expressed the concern that giving grades lower than the national average "would put students at a disadvantage" when attempting to enter graduate school or the job market.

At the same time, one might ask whether, ultimately it is the quality of the Bucknell experience that is being compromised for the sake of attracting numbers. Bucknell has a reputation for academic excellence, and the notion that the University is in a neck-and-neck race with frame of reference schools for these students is not a promising one. Does Bucknell really want to attract students who

would opt for a higher GPA over an academic challenge?

Department Survival
And just as the University is dealing with external pressures to conform to national grading standards or face economic repercussions, some departments are threatened by low enrollment and the possibility of cutbacks.

Cooper said that individual members of departments, sensing the imminent pressure of decreasing enrollment, will increase grades in order to attract students.

"It's a perfect example of people doing what they have to do to survive. And there ought to be some way to remove that survival component" from distorting the aims of higher education, said Cooper.

Slava Yastremski, chair of modern languages and professor of Russian, said that some members of the department were giving higher grades in response to the pressures for increased enrollment. Because the University no longer requires that students take a foreign language in the core course distribution, enrollment has dropped. Some professors fear that a drop in enrollment might lead to cutbacks in the department.

"There is a definite fear on the part of the faculty, especially nontenured faculty, that if they don't give high grades, the department

will lose students," Yastremski said.

Yastremski said that the grades were "more reward than indicator of achievement."

Any department that offers courses not required by the University, such as modern languages, relies on a steady enrollment to ensure its livelihood. Though an entire department would surely survive a drop in enrollment, the perception seems to be that giving higher grades stabilizes the future of a department. Yet, if departments are forced to give higher grades to improve enrollment, what might happen to the quality of education offered to students in those departments? What assurance is there that passing a course would indicate sufficient knowledge of the subject?

Department vs. Department
On a departmental level, an examination of grade distribution might also reveal the tendency towards a higher percentage of A's in the humanities, and a lesser percentage in the natural sciences. Some departments feel they can afford the luxury of not worrying about enrollment problems because they offer required courses, and they will always have an audience of students. But there seems to be a subtle form of guilt and suspicion that has woven itself into the departments where courses are required and enrollment is

guaranteed.

Marsh admitted his unease at giving low grades when other departments had such a high percentage of A's.

"Looking at grade distribution, it's clear where the grades are too high, but what if we are too low?" Marsh said. "Maybe the sciences are grading too hard. You can't help but feel the pressure."

Gary Grant, associate professor and chair of theatre, said that pitting departments against each other is "like comparing apples and oranges. You can't compare the sciences to the arts" because the guidelines for evaluating a student's performance "is not the same as grading an exam."

Associate professor of dance Danna Frangione agreed, saying studio labs, which offer half credit in dance, require different methods of evaluation.

"My job as a professor [in the studio courses] is to look at the student's improvement over the course of the semester...we grade the level of improvement," not the overall skill level that a student leaves with, Frangione said.

Quality of Students
Yet another argument explaining grade inflation is the theory that the quality of students is improving. But as SAT scores, the measure of incoming students' abilities, continue to decline and grades increase at a steady pace, the opposite would appear to be true.

Marsh acknowledged that SAT scores are a "weak" indicator of a

student's abilities, but said the University had few alternatives to use in evaluating applicants.

"I don't see the evidence [of students improving]. The burden of proof is on the person making the assertion. While I wouldn't say that the students are worse, I don't see the evidence that says they're getting better."

Tom Travis, professor of political science, said he grades by an egalitarian philosophy, supporting the notion that "most students, if they are taught in an effective manner, and the method of evaluation is fair, are capable of receiving A's and B's."

Travis said he did not believe that grade inflation was a problem because "Bucknell has a strong teaching faculty" and a reputation for attracting quality students. For that reason, Travis said, "I expect students to make A's and B's in courses."

A Conflict of Interest
Because the campus is so small, students and faculty at Bucknell seem to forge close professional relationships at a high rate. Marsh said some faculty are concerned that students might take low grades personally, instead of as a reflection of performance.

"Professors don't want to make enemies, and they don't want to deal with the confrontation" of a student inquiring about a low grade, said Marsh.

Bucknell may be particularly susceptible to this conflict of interest. Strong faculty-student relations are encouraged, and the

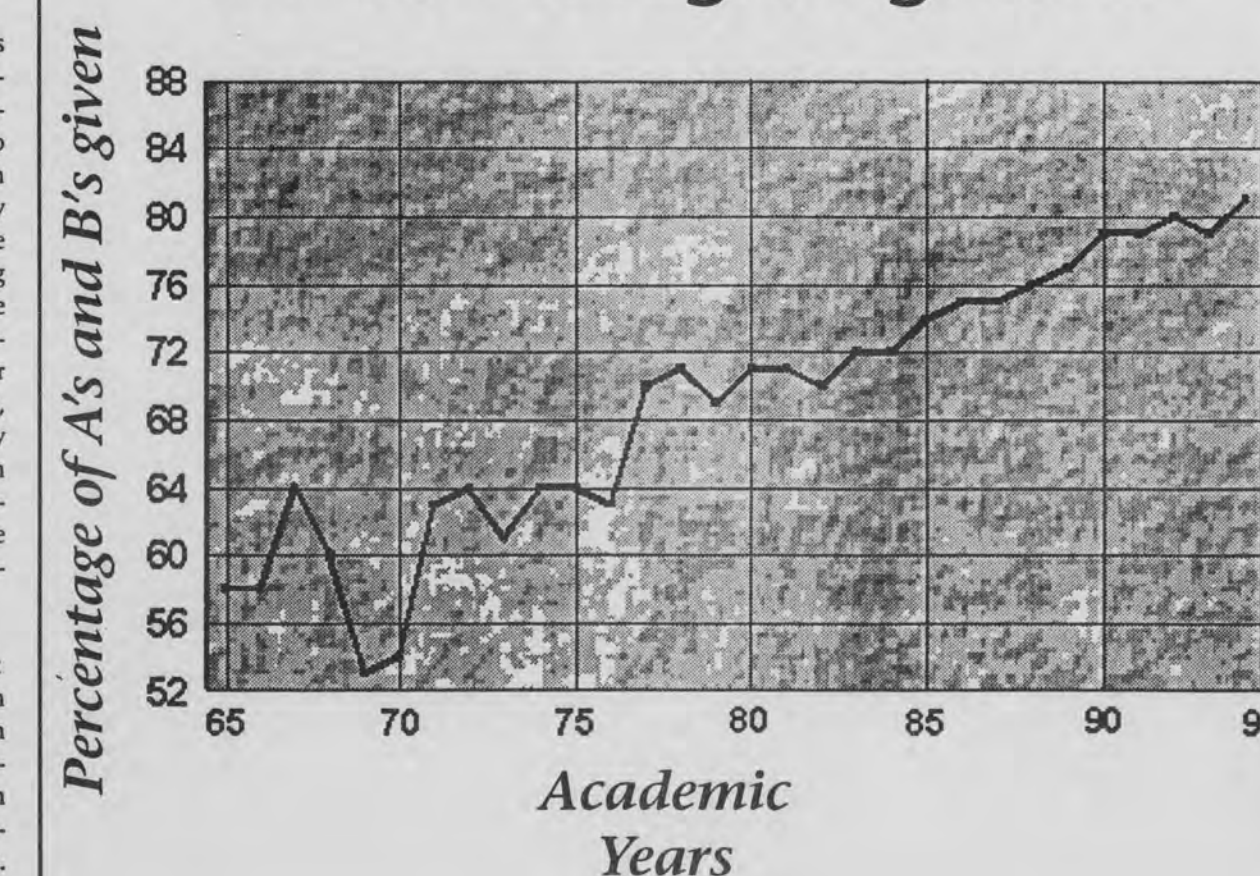
more students know a professor, the harder it may be for faculty to give an objective grade. But if friendships and feelings continue to conflict with accurate grading, should some compromise be reached? Does a professor have to decrease involvement with students in order to make objective decisions about grades?

Breaking the Habit
Perhaps the most dangerous consequence of grade inflation is its tendency towards self-perpetuation. It is conceivable that a professor will settle into the habit of giving high grades, even after the real or perceived threat to job security, student disapproval, or economic decline has disappeared. Likewise, no university wants to break the cycle, and possibly jeopardize its academic reputation by suffering from lower GPAs while it waits for other universities to follow suit.

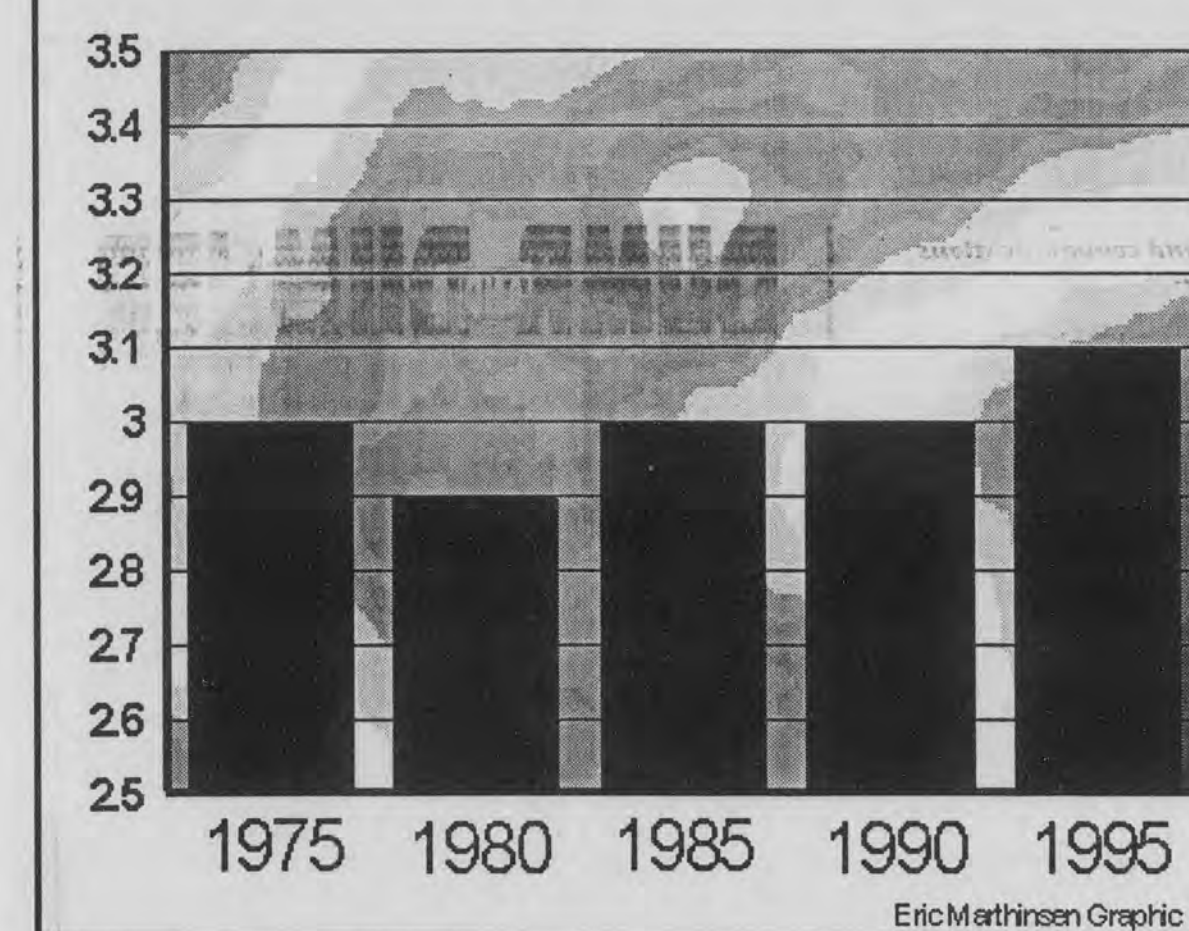
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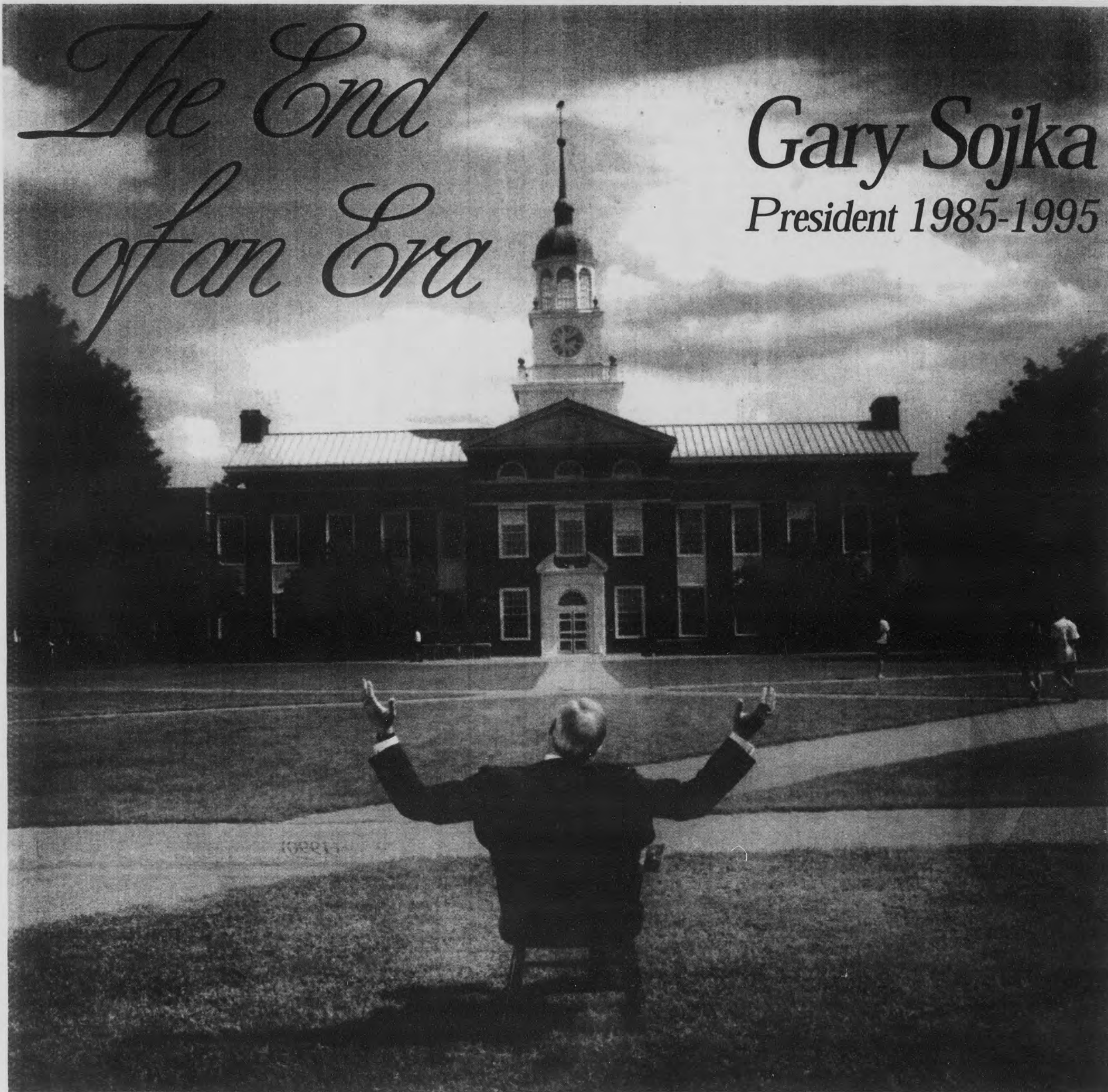
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For a man who never intended a career in university administration, President Gary Sojka is leaving behind him a wake of admirable accomplishments as he looks forward to an active career as a professor of biology.

For Sojka, his resignation from the presidency means the fulfillment of a goal he set for himself 11 years ago when he first joined Bucknell—to continue with his intended career as a professor.

THE DETOUR FROM TEACHING

"If you want to know why I want to go back to teaching, it's because that is my profession," Sojka says.

The 20-year detour from teaching, Sojka claims, came out of purely circumstantial situations. As a microbiologist at Indiana University, Sojka rallied successfully to combine the school's multiple departments of zoology, plant sciences, and anatomy and physiology under the blanket department of life sciences, only to find himself promoted to associate chairperson of life sciences, and finally the head.

A few years later, Sojka claims, he "just woke up one morning" and found himself Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Indiana, a college many times the size of Bucknell's entire campus.

It became clear to Sojka, after a several years as an administrator, that his true career as a teacher had been swept to the wayside. His effort to reestablish himself in the classroom, along with a pedagogical interest in gearing sciences for the non-science major, led him to seek other universities.

BUCKNELL BOUND

The choice of Bucknell, Sojka claims, came naturally. The environment and curriculum here aligned itself with the

goals Sojka had in mind for both himself and his profession.

"Clearly Bucknell jumps out of virtually any of the kind of school you could think about in the country," Sojka said. "It has faculty composed of teacher-scholars, yet teaching is a very high priority. The students are very able, and the institution has a long and now recognized history of allowing people to do innovative things in the classroom."

The problem, however, as Sojka soon learned, was that "Bucknell would not be remotely interested in a middle-aged, rather expensive, former administrator at a big ten university who had some ideas about science education for non-scientists. But they did need a president."

So began Sojka's relationship with Bucknell. But while he was initially expecting to move out of the presidency within three or four years, those four years have stretched into a decade. The lull in the president's office, having just finished a capital campaign, the Middlestates review, the new curriculum, finally presented Sojka with some room to breathe, and face the long-awaited return to the classroom.

"I'm at a point in my life where if I'm ever going to recapture my own real career, if I'm going to be able to get the benefit of having come to a place like Bucknell to take advantage of the...environment here to do one more academic task, this is the moment," Sojka said.

A DECADE TO REMEMBER

Stepping down from office, however, is not a move Sojka undertakes without regrets. When asked to name the events from his presidency that he saw as highlights and downfalls, Sojka rattles off a list of accomplishments—the building of the Weis Center, capturing the first President's Cup, setting the agenda for common learning and the Bucknell plan for

engineering education, and the recent capital campaign, that began with a \$48.5 million goal, and which Sojka and his staff topped off at \$90.9 million.

But even such stumbling blocks as the infamous Halloween riot Sojka looks on with a certain degree of optimism, getting teary-eyed over remembering the students drifting off the quad after a harrowing night, with not a piece of litter to tell that any of the night's events had occurred.

Of course, there are things that Sojka will not miss about being president, like disagreeing with members of his faculty and staff who he respects. Sojka admits that criticism from people who are not only colleagues, but also friends, is "much more difficult to deal with on a personal level than many people in leadership positions I think like to admit."

Sojka points out, however, that those kinds of conflict of interest are part of a high-responsibility job. "You try to always have the right demeanor," he says. "You try not to personalize things. You try to understand that that is an inevitable consequence of presiding in a complex institution which is not in a static condition."

And the part of the job that Sojka readily relinquishes is the constant demands on his time, a draining factor that one could only withstand from a job they love.

"You do these things because you want to do them and you enjoy them, and actually much of it's fun," Sojka said of his job. "But there are times, and I can go back and think to certain years where there is no time off, no Saturday, no Sunday, no Wednesday afternoon, no evening, for 60, 70 days in a row. And you do get very burnt out, very tired, very consumed by it."

RETURN TO THE CLASSROOM

Sojka will take a much-deserved hiatus before returning to the classroom, dur-

ing which time he will continue doing related duties such as dealing with the Middlestates organization, and acting as a liaison to local organizations such as Geisenger. But beyond that, he and his wife Sandy, and son Dirk are planning to take their lives off hold for once.

With no plans for teaching until 1996, Sojka feels he still has a lot to learn about Bucknell and its biology department, where he plans to continue his Indiana-born goal of science for the non-science students. Ideally Sojka would like to tackle all of the "Baby-Bio" courses, that deal the most with outside majors, but he is ready to heed the call of his superiors.

"I've made an offer [to the biology department] which is different from making a request," Sojka said. "I am not the president. I am a faculty member in biology and I'm waiting for the chairman and my colleagues to tell me what they want me to do."

INTO THE HANDS OF ADAMS

For now, Sojka still has another month as president, before he can truly be considered faculty. On March 15 William "Bro" Adams, now vice president and secretary at Wesleyan University, will take over the presidential seat. The Board of Trustees voted Adams into the position at the end of last semester.

Placing the presidency into the hands of Adams has helped to ease Sojka's doubts about stepping down. "Our understanding of each other is increasing," Sojka said of his relationship with Adams. "Our friendship is growing, and my confidence in his ability to lead the university is very high."

The two have already established a strong working relationship, visiting alumni clubs and trustee meetings together. With each new visit they take, Sojka says, Adams is taking the more prominent role, while he himself is drifting further

into the background.

The ten years Sojka has been at Bucknell have given him ample time to consider the effect his staying on as a faculty member will have on Adams, especially since he came into the presidency knowing that he would resume his teaching career at Bucknell.

With that in mind, Sojka began preparing for this transition out of the presidency years ago when he purchased a small farm two mountain valleys from Lewisburg. His home, he feels, is far enough to be "a little bit outside the rumor mill at Bucknell," but still close enough to Bucknell so that he "could be a part of it in some way."

Adams' transition into Bucknell seems to be foremost on Sojka's mind. "A school the size of Bucknell has room for only one president," Sojka said. "It will be [Adams]."

The decade Sojka has spent in office is his ideal time for a president, and he leaves on his own accord, happy with his accomplishments, but eager to pick up his teaching career. "If I wished to continue to preside at Bucknell, I had that opportunity," Sojka said. "No one asked me to leave. I chose to do that and that tells me that it was time for me to step aside."

The campus is awaiting Adams' arrival on campus with his wife, Cathy, and son, Sean, as is the rest of the campus. Sojka, too, is looking forward to Adams' inauguration and the "new directions" he feels Adams will lead Bucknell towards. For Sojka, his true profession is calling once more, after 19 years of hibernation. Sojka greets his final task of transition with the quiet dignity with which he has led this institution.

"I would hope," Sojka said, "that some may come to the conclusion that maybe the best thing I've ever done at Bucknell is manage this transition with a degree of grace."

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Caught in the act: snapshot's from Sojka's term in office



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Left: Sojka at his presidential inauguration on May 11, 1985.
Above: Sojka, with wife Sandy and son Dirk, ride in the 1992 Homecoming parade.



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Right: Sojka at his first commencement in 1985.

Ten years of presidency—a lifetime of memories

"I look mostly at things in a very positive way. I feel that this last 11 years have been very rewarding and very exciting, and I don't see many down sides.... There have been some great moments, just euphoric moments, when we reach certain kinds of milestones."

—President Gary Sojka

The Opening of the Weis Center for the Performing Arts (1988)

Pres. and Mrs. Gary Sojka, Itzhak Perlman, and Mr. and Mrs. Sigfried Weis at the opening of the Weis Center for Performing Arts in 1988.

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"How many people really get a chance to walk out on a stage in a brand new building like the Weis Center for the Performing Arts, with Itzhak Perlman and the Philadelphia Orchestra sitting behind you? And you get to walk out and ask the benefactors, Sigfried and Janet Weis, to stand up and take a bow. Now that's a pretty heady experience, the adrenaline's really pumping at a moment like that."

The Capital Campaign Drive and Agenda for Common Learning (1994)

"The successful of our fundraising campaign, which people thought was outrageously optimistic at \$48.5 million and which concluded at \$90.9 million. That was an exciting moment when we all realized what that activity had meant not only for the Bucknell of that moment, but for the Bucknell of the future."

"I think the moment that it was clear that the faculty was going to adopt the agenda for common learning and the Bucknell plan for engineering education, those struck me as real milestones in the history of our university and it was exciting just to be here when that happened."

Winning the First President's Cup (1991)

President Sojka gets a hand into the steeplechase pool from members of the men's track team. The men's track team helped push Bucknell over the edge in winning their first President's Cup.

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"I remember that one vividly because members of the track team, who were the people who finally pushed us over the top and caused us to win the trophy, were hosting the meet here. Some of them picked me up, carried me over, and dropped me in the steeplechase pool. Not a very dignified moment, but one that I won't forget and something that was really very exciting. And it said something about the way the president is viewed on the Bucknell campus, I think, obviously, still part of the community, and not sitting aside it or outside it."

The Halloween Riot (1990)

President Sojka, flanked by John Dunlop, former dean of students, addresses a mob of students on Seventh Street in 1990. This incident, which involved police from several jurisdictions, became known as the infamous "Halloween Riots."

Bucknellian file photo



"There were some moments that some might think were difficult, were bad, and they stand out in my mind as very significant. The night of the Halloween disturbance. I didn't enjoy that, I wouldn't want to repeat it, but there was a moment right at the end, when after hours and hours of cajoling and talking, the whole student body was finally enticed to leave the community and come back up on the campus."

"We had probably 3000 people in the academic quad, not happy, and cups and litter and junk all over the quad. And we finally convinced people it was time to leave. The rays of the sun were going to strike the young man dressed as Count Dracula. I reminded everyone in the audience what would happen if that were the case, and people sort of laughed and we started to break it up."

"As I stepped off the bench that I was standing on, I stepped on some litter, some garbage, and I simply bent over and picked it up. It was part of a six-pack and a beer cup, and I put it in the receptacle. As I did that, of course it meant I bent down and stood up, and it was like the wave going on at the football game. This wave sort of went across the quad as everybody bent down and picked something up and looked around and 3000 plus young people drifted off the quad at four in the morning after a wild and confusing night and it was as if nothing had happened. There were no arrests, there were no injuries, there was no property damage, and honestly, there was no litter. It had to be the most Bucknell disturbance I've ever seen. It said volumes about our students."

"It was kind of a strange, mixed feeling of having gone through a very challenging experience, one that I would have traded very happily, but it was revealing about the kind of young people who go to school here, and what they really think about the place. So in a sense what might have been a devastating moment, was in fact almost an inspiring one."



More than 2000 students congregated uphill in the academic quad to hear Sojka speak after the "Halloween Riot" crowd moved from town to campus.

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EDITORIAL

Short suspension too soft to combat hazing

Bucknell's decision to send the men's water polo team back to the pool after only a short hiatus may be sending the rest of the university a soft message about hazing.

Last October, the University announced the hazing problem, former coach Alan Huckins's resignation, and the suspension of the water polo program, "pending a complete evaluation of the program," said Rick Hartzell, director of athletics. Hartzell asserted that the University would decide to reinstate the program only "until we are 100 percent sure that the activities in question are behind us."

Is he, and the review board that in November assembled to examine the player's actions and gather information about team members' behavior, sure that the hazing issue is completely finished?

One of the review board's purposes was to interview first-year and sophomore players about team members' actions. Yet first-year players say that the review board questioned no players. The students only filled out an athletic department questionnaire about the alleged incident.

Also, Hartzell said in November that he could not say for sure whether all players who had previously been on the team would be able to participate again. He now says that all underclassmen have been invited to return to the team.

The University suspended the program due to evi-

dence of hazing. Yet, no individual was identified as being the perpetrator of this activity. If the review board could not, or did not, implicate specific people in the activity, how can they be sure that they have not invited back players who will continue the hazing tradition?

Hartzell had said in November that he hoped to settle the issue quickly so that the program might be reinstated and the athletic department could start recruiting prospective players. But in expediting the incident, the review board may have acted too quickly for former players to realize the gravity of hazing and their own responsibility for the problem.

When reports of hazing surfaced, several players and Hartzell were quick to blame Huckins for not being able to stop players' unsavory behavior. He was too young, some said, too close in age to the players to be effective in halting hazing. Talking about the reinstatement of the program, captain Sloan Broderick '96 said that Huckins didn't "exactly know his role, which was unfortunate for all of us."

Currently, the athletic department is looking for a new coach to replace Huckins. One of the necessary criteria, according to Broderick, is that he or she be older than Huckins.

Those involved should not be too quick to blame Huckins' age, or inability to put an end to hazing, as the main cause for continuing the practice. It was the players, not the coach, who engaged in this behavior.

Ultimately it will be the players who will choose to continue or stop hazing no matter who the coach is or what that person's age.

Announcing the program's suspension, Hartzell said that above all, he held the students accountable because "they chose to act in this manner." Is this speedy decision to reinstate the program holding students accountable as they should be?

Huckins left his job. Players who are members of the class of 1995 will graduate. But three classes remain members of the team. These men remember the hazing, whether they were hazed themselves or hazed others.

One danger associated with inviting all former members back to the team without punishing the responsible parties is that players will continue to haze, perhaps more covertly, because they know that the worst that can happen to them is suspension of the program and no individual penalization.

Hopefully the issue has been settled. But in ugly situations like hazing, those who have often have to experience a tragedy before they will modify their damaging behavior. Old habits die hard.

Suspending the program for two months before the end of a season was not a real tragedy. Let's hope that reinstating the program doesn't set the scene for hazing, or a hazing-related tragedy, to occur.

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OPINIONS

Media demonizes the Pro-life movement

BY MICHAEL KRECHMER

Let me preface this article by stating that I am pro-choice. This does not mean, however, that I enjoy how the pro-life movement is stereotyped and mistreated by its enemies.

It comes as no surprise when I say that the argument over abortion did not die with Roe vs. Wade (the controversial 1973 Supreme Court decision that mandated a woman's right to an abortion). Indeed, with the recent Republican takeover of Congress, pro-lifers are in positions of power like never before.

One would think that with this more powerful pro-life presence in government, people would be more informed about the "other side." This is hardly the case. Click on the evening news and what do you see? Angry, almost violent protestors outside abortion clinics. Note the tone of stories about peaceful protests, and compare them to how the "peaceful" protests of the Vietnam era are portrayed today. Why are the latter glorified and the former seen as dangerous? Note, too, that the few people who are interviewed from the pro-life side are killers of abortion doctors, supposedly representative of a group whose basis is in protecting the most helpless in society. Does anyone really believe that people who hold unborn life as sacred can feel otherwise about a fully developed human being?

Look at the image (or, more accurately, stereotype) of the average pro-lifer. He is a conniving man, plotting to use any means possible to oppress women and bring about his agenda of domination. Contrast this image with people you know who believe in the rights of the unborn. Notice also how many people you assume to be pro-choice, simply because that is the expected view (media wise, that is). Odd, isn't it, how these friends and relatives don't fit the mold blasted at us by the liberal elite. It is very easy to apply labels—it is when these prejudices are compared to people that these thoughts are eliminated. The pro-life movement is not a powerful conspiracy; it is a group who are united by their caring for those not old enough to have a choice.



Dining Service Employees should not be mistreated

BY ALLISON PRICE

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

I savor many fond memories of my job last summer as a clerk at the local Acme supermarket before it was devoured in an evil corporate takeover. I remember when a customer decided it was my fault that she had chosen the Captain Crunch that was not on sale. If I had to explain one more time that coffee prices had gone up, not because I personally ruined the beans, but rather because of crop damage or something... The stories are many and beyond the humor of summer job war stories, but there is a deeper reality. There is that moment when a customer is unleashing on you, who is simply doing your job, and reducing your life and dignity to that moment, presuming that somehow they have a clue as to who you are. There is a certain cowardice in choosing to pick on someone who is employed to provide a service to customers. Elsewhere, you could fire back, but in the workplace you can't be "discourteous" and respond. Beyond the realm of summer employment, these jobs are peoples lives. I met a lot of sincerely nice customers working at the Acme. Unfortunately, I will always remember the lousy moments.

I discovered as I talked with Bucknell caf employees for this column that there is a strong consensus that students are "pretty good kids" and "very nice people." One told me that she looks forward to working such stations as stir-fry where she can interact with students. Caf employees, especially those who work out front and at the registers coming in, are people who enjoy engaging with the people for whom they are providing a service. Then, there is the dark underside that reminds us of the dark underside of the human soul.

One Bison worker said at last semester's "Speak Out" that he was called a "nigger" for burning a hamburger. One caf worker told me that a student called her "a waste of a human being" because she couldn't let him in without his ID. Another worker was called a "f---g moron" for enforcing the same rule. Sometimes they are tearlessly unleashed upon by a student or painfully insulted. One female cafeteria employee said she has, in the past, felt threatened by male students looming intimidation in her face. These instances are beyond reproach. You don't do that. Then there are the indignities—demanding more food than they are allowed to give; personally blaming the caf staff if

the lines are too long; trays, glasses, and excessive trash left on the table for someone to clean up; salt and pepper shakers dumped or spat in (possibly yours...).

The respect we give to caf workers at Bucknell is highly relevant to who we are as individuals and as a campus. We create the atmosphere in which we coexist. We create impressions that form images that exist far beyond the caf and the Bison. Avoiding the instances I have described thus far is ridiculously easy and requires at the least an ounce of civility.

I am neither writing this column to chastise the student body of which I am a part, nor to judge people. A majority of the people I know are as nice as possible to the caf and Bucknell staff. This assumption is true according to the staff. Yet, as the cliché goes, one rotten apple spoils the bushel. Rot also tends to spread and is quite an ugly substance.

The main problem the caf staff and management discussed is students who do not know what the caf rules are and that it is the workers' job to follow and enforce them. It is the same if you are working at Merrill Lynch, IBM, Macy's, or the Bucknell caf—it is part of your job to follow rules and guidelines, regardless of personal opinion. Tim Tenon, caf manager, wants to dispute the concept of students being powerless cogs in the dining service machine. If you have a complaint or disagreement, fill out a comment card, talk to a supervisor, manager or call dining services promptly and Tenon will gladly talk to you. These are productive, civil, and real ways to express his satisfaction. Tenon emphasized that he employs a good staff that takes pride in its work, much the same way we as students take pride when that killer paper comes together. He admits, as with every system, that there are shortcomings, but also points out that it is not a game and that the only way to improve a system is through constructive discourse. The next time you are outside the caf, take a look at the rules. They are posted on both sides of the caf and Mr. Tenor and his staff encourage you to review them. Also, refresh your memory on the cafeteria hours. Employees point out that they simply cannot let anyone in after the hours are over, like a restaurant, and as much as they like you, they can't let you in without an ID or walk out carrying ten bagels.

Then there are the common sense suggestions. Put yourself in the caf workers' place. Take your tray up, do not leave a mess you would hate cleaning up after and please for all of our sakes, let the salt and pepper live in peace. If you would not do it in a restaurant, don't do it in the caf. The caf staff is amused at how "terrible" Bucknell students are at adapting to new situations—the tray stacking in particular.

The staff at the Bison would like you to realize that the snack bar is a more high pressure, fast food place to dine. They ask that you be patient, realize what they can and can't help, and develop a little empathy. Be careful when you order and order clearly. To make the line go faster, keep your ID out. Please do not leave trash on the tables or better yet on top of the garbage cans. Also, do not leave recyclables on top of the cans. The Bison puts forth an admirable effort to recycle as much as possible. Refresh your memory on how much meal credit it is and when you can use it. A very serious concern, expressed by the Bison's manager, is when students arrive at 8:45 p.m. and think they can get their food, and all the other orders ahead of theirs, done in time for credit which ends at 9:00 p.m. Come earlier. They are as controlled by meal credit hours as we are.

A very important issue close to my heart involves the several caf workers who are employed through outreach programs with high school Learning Disabled programs. The jobs mean a lot to them and give them a chance to swim the mainstream as they meet people and make money. A counselor often shadows them at work. Employment programs such as this work exceedingly well for both businesses and LD students. Please give them the respect they deserve for dealing with problems few of us can fathom. Off-color, derogatory comments devastate them. They don't need that.

Tenon says that he is available and willing to talk to students at campus meetings, in person—anyway possible. A lot of good would be served if we followed the Golden Rule. What if the insulted caf employee was your mother, father, sister, brother, son, daughter, or spouse? These people have feelings like anyone else. Next time, think before

Thinking anew about the January Term

TO THE EDITOR:

The Jan Plan was abolished by the faculty in a vote three years ago that represented a failure to agree on reforms which would deal with weaknesses that many faculty and administrators saw in the program. Totally voluntary for students, the January Program allowed many to pursue internships, educational travel, or intensive study, either in projects of their own design, or in projects offered by faculty and administration.

Nevertheless, some parents, trustees, administrators and faculty were troubled by the student and faculty participation rates, and by instances in which students enrolled for January projects, failed to complete them, or behaved irresponsibly, on campus or on trips, during January. The Faculty considered various proposals to make the program more rigorous and compulsory for students, and to require faculty participation, but in the end none were adopted and it was agreed to terminate the January Program. As a direct outgrowth of that decision, we now confront proposals to shrink or eliminate the January semester break. Because I have believed for three years that killing the Jan Plan was a mistake, and because I believe proposals for shortening the semester break would have serious negative effects on the quality of education at Bucknell, I have placed before the faculty a proposal to institute a new four-week January Term.

The kinds of study for which the old Jan Plan was well-fitted (internships, educational travel, in-

tensive study) do not fit easily into the conventional semester, and thus have declined since the loss of the Jan Plan, at the very time when these sorts of experiences are increasingly valued in the search for post-graduate studies or employment. Faculty, meanwhile, have largely lost the opportunity for the sorts of informal teaching that was possible in January. January was also used by faculty to prepare for spring classes and to carry out research and writing that deepens and enriches their teaching. If there is to be as little as a week between the date on which first semester grades are due, and the start of the second semester, the quality of second semester courses will inevitably suffer, and faculty will simply have to forgo participation in professional meetings during the first half of the year.

My proposal would have the following major features:

- * Each student would be required to enroll in at least one January Project or Course;
- * Faculty would average student enrollments of ten per year in January;
- * Projects may be proposed either by students or faculty;
- * Failure to complete a project would be shown on a student's transcript;
- * Faculty might offer, and students might enroll in, January Courses for credit (0.5 or 1.0);
- * Students enrolled in a January Course for credit would pay extra tuition, and faculty teaching such a course would receive extra pay, at a rate

identical with that established for summer school in the same year;

* The Program would be evaluated by the Committees on Instruction and Planning and Budget in its fourth year of operation.

From a student point of view, there are three features of particular note. First, there is a requirement. I think this is unfortunate, but necessary to assure that those students (a minority, I suspect) who would not voluntarily take advantage of January opportunities would be required to do so. Second, there is the possibility of taking courses for credit. This would certainly allow students to get ahead or catch up in their progress toward graduation, as well as assuring a minimum rigor in January courses. Third, the stipulation of the summer school tuition rate means that, at current rates, a student would save \$1395 per course in tuition. A student who took four January Courses for credit could skip the eighth semester, at a tuition savings of more than \$5580.

Students applying to graduate school or seeking employment are significantly advantaged by internships and other opportunities that would be provided by the January term. Add to that the financial and other advantages of earning credit in January, and rational students should be advocates of this proposal.

JOHN PEELER
PROF. OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
FEBRUARY 14, 1995

LIFESTYLES

Serious notes hit during recital

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Each year, the Department of Music awards one of its seniors with the Barbara Watson Grever Prize in Music. The award, which goes to a vocalist or pianist, recognizes the achievements of a senior by providing the student with the opportunity to undertake an extra research project or recital. This year's recipient of the award is mezzo-soprano Jeanne K. Mellish '95. Her Grever project, a lecture-recital, will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Bucknell Hall.

Mellish's lecture-recital, entitled *Divas who choose death: Operatic roles in which women commit suicide*, is the result of several months of research and practice.

With a double major in vocal performance and psychology, it was important to Mellish to be able to combine these two disciplines in her lecture-recital. "I knew I wanted to do something interdisciplinary as a final project," Mellish stated. "I wanted to take one event in opera and study different composers' ways of looking at that event. Suicide was the best 'event' for this study because it's an intriguing topic, even today—it's an unthinkable act marked by inconclusive evidence."

In the lecture-recital, Mellish will look at three different operatic roles: Magda in Menotti's *The Consul*, La Gioconda in Ponchielli's opera of the same name, and Lise in Tchaikovsky's *Pique Dame*. "I'm looking at the histories of the composer and the librettist, the sociological background of the society in which the opera is set, the sociological background of suicide, and the events in the characters' lives," Mellish explained during an interview. "I'm researching how all of these as-

"I knew I wanted to do something interdisciplinary as a final project. I wanted to take one event and study different composers' ways of looking at that event."

—Jeanne Mellish '95

pects when combined, influenced the characters' decisions to choose suicide as a final answer."

Mellish stressed the fact that, in the operas that she chose to research, all of the women who commit suicide are sane characters. "Their decisions are marked by the use of reason," Mellish said.

One of her goals in doing this research is to show how much thinking



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Recipient of the Barbara Watson Grever Prize in Music, Jeanne Mellish '95 will present a lecture-recital at 8 p.m. this Tuesday in Bucknell Hall.

on the part of the performer goes into portraying an operatic role in which the woman commits suicide. "An opera performer has to create what we call a third line," Mellish said. "The performer has to create the thoughts and emotions that the character feels."

It is up to the opera singer to give his or her character a past, because the only life that the character has is the one that exists on the pages of the libretto (the opera's story). For that reason, Mellish felt it was important to research both the composers and the librettists of the various operas she chose. "They [the composers and librettists] are the character's past," said Mellish.

Research projects seem to be a part of life for Mellish. Last semester she did an independent study in psychology in which she researched the effects of opera stereotypes on children. Mellish believes that children don't enjoy opera simply because most operas were meant for an adult audience. "The newest wave in opera is opera for children," Mellish said, adding that if children learn to like opera while they are young, they will grow up to be adults who like opera.

This semester, Mellish is continuing her Grever study in an honors thesis. While she is addressing three operas in her lecture-recital, her thesis will broaden

her study to include seven operas. Combining her majors in music and psychology is important to Mellish, and she plans to use both of them in her future. She is currently planning to pursue a masters degree in opera performance and would like to someday have a career as an opera singer.

However, Mellish's plans don't end there. "Eventually I'd like to go into opera for youth," Mellish said referring to the previously mentioned opera trend. "I want to be involved in operas that are for children, that address social issues that concern children, and in which children can become actively involved."

In addition to research projects, Mellish is having a busy semester, performance-wise. She recently played Rosina in the Bucknell Opera Company's performance of *Dr. Bartolo*. Mellish is also a member of the Bucknell University Concert Choral and the Rooke Chapel Choir.

Future Bucknell performances for Mellish include concerts with the aforementioned ensembles and her senior recital on April 23. Mellish will conclude her Bucknell singing career before graduation in May, with a trip to Arizona with the Concert Choral.

Students march for life in Washington D.C.

BY CATHY BARTCH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Here in Lewisburg, Washington may seem like a bubble of politicians shielded by glass where only few have access. Six Bucknellians were fortunate enough to step into the glass case and actually introduce their group, Bucknellians for Human Life (BHL), to the mighty ones at the nation's capital.

Their visit to Washington consisted of participating in the March For Life on Jan. 23, where they displayed their support, along with over 45,000 other people, for the rights of human life.

Their mission is aimed at influencing others with their faith in the Pro-Life movement, especially the lawmakers of the country.

Robyn Gellings '97 who participated in the march believes one of the main purposes of the day's activities was "promoting peaceful acts rather than acts of violence" in the pro-life movement. In addition, she said, "We're trying to overturn the Roe vs. Wade decision."

The six members of BHL who traveled to Washington for the day were Gellings, Brian Roache '95, David DeVitry GR, Angelique Gusse '98, John Stith '95, and Erica Labrutte '95. The day began with speeches delivered in front of the White House by several GOP freshmen and representatives from anti-abortion groups.

Then the march kicked off at the Washington Monument and ended strategically in front of the Supreme Court. The activities occur annually to remind people of the Roe vs. Wade decision and to provide an opportunity for the pro-lifers to express their distress over the precedent.

The marchers hope that the new Republican majority in Congress will weaken the stronghold on laws protecting abortion rights and will facilitate new laws opposing abortion.



Photo courtesy of Robyn Gellings

Erica Labrutte '95, Brian Roache '95, Robyn Gellings '97, Angelique Gusse '98, John Stith '95, and David DeVitry GR marched for Pro-Life in D.C.

"I think the fact that the new Congress coming in is the turning of the tides for the pro-life movement," said DeVitry. The speeches prior to the march talked about President Clinton being the number one factor against the movement. He was not present at the rally.

Later, the protesters were permitted to enter the Capitol to speak with various members of the House of Representatives and Senate. The Bucknellians were the guests of honor of Congressman Ortiz (D-Texas) who dined with them inside the Capitol building.

The students didn't hesitate to brush shoulders with bigwig politicians such as Newt Gingrich.

"Newt Gingrich said that he was really glad I was there," said Gellings. Gusse, on the other hand, remembered the leader's response a little differently. She was unimpressed with Gingrich. She claims he was "not interested in their viewpoint" and was "cold-shouldered."

In any case, the students were granted an extraordinary opportunity to meet with such potent figures of today's government, and they delivered the message that their fight for this cause would never die.

Gusse felt she was reliving a scene from history when she debated an advocate for pro-choice, ironically, in front of the Supreme Court. Gusse said, "Unfortunately the pro-choice supporters got more press coverage than we did."

However, her 45 minute debate against abortion, revealed some of the zeal and fervor possessed by the pro-life movement among its young supporters.

Because of such a positive experience, the students are determined not to let this be just a once in a lifetime opportunity. "We look forward to next year's march," said DeVitry. Motivated by their ardent support for pro-life, the demonstrators proved that Washington isn't as remote as it may seem.



LIFESTYLES

Red Valentines tinged with green

BY JEN WOOD
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With the arrival of Valentine's Day, the first thought on some students' minds is love and romance. For others, those of us who are not involved with a significant other, thoughts of frustration and bitterness prevail. So rather than read about more sappy romantic reminiscences and the laments of the unattached, perhaps it would be therapeutic to hear about one of the less attractive aspects of true love: jealousy.

The word *jealous* has many subtle nuances. The dictionary definition includes phrases such as "fearful or wary of being supplanted...apprehensive of the loss of another's affection; resentful or bitter in rivalry; envious; intolerant of disloyalty or infidelity." Every human being has been plagued by jealousy at one time or another. What about jealousy in terms of romance? What exactly is it, and when and if, is it acceptable in a relationship?

Dave Schwartz '97 says that jealousy in a relationship is "curiosity and wonder over what another provides your partner that you don't." Another male said that "jealousy is an emotion caused by uncertainty. And it's mostly uncertainty of how your girlfriend values your characteris-

tics over someone else's."

Female thinking regarding the nature of jealousy tends to be remarkably similar. Jen Raffetto '97 says "To me, jealousy stems from being envious that a guy is paying attention to a girl in a way that you want to be treated." Michelle '97 thought that "insecurity and jealousy go hand in hand—you can have angry jealousy, flattering jealousy, obsessive jealousy...but the biggest is insecure jealousy."

Now that we have an idea of just what jealousy is in the Bucknell world, let's figure out what kind of place it has in our everyday lives.

You're sitting in the Bison, sharing a snack with your significant other. Your mate, absent-mindedly chewing on a bagel says "He/she is hot!" in reference to a passing unknown student. Are you jealous?

Michelle said, "If he's just kidding around, that's OK. If he said it seriously, I wouldn't be jealous, just pissed off." Schwartz said "No. I would not be jealous. So, jealousy does not seem to erupt from casual comments made at a distance. But what if a bit of contact is initiated?

Picture this. You and your significant other go to a fraternity party with a few other friends. As you stand talking to a friend, squinting through the crowds and the smoky haze, you notice your

mate is now off dancing fairly provocatively with someone else. Is this just cause for jealousy? "I wouldn't get jealous. I know how parties are. Why should I be jealous...as long as I know who the other person is?" Michelle said.

Schwartz said he wouldn't be jealous either, "You have to be able to trust the other person [in the relationship]." So contact seems to be, if not acceptable, at least not any cause for a raging fit of jealousy. What if the contact is with someone who has been involved with your mate in the past?

You're back in the Bison. Over dinner, your girlfriend or boyfriend casually mentions that they are having lunch with their "ex" the next day. John Zanella '97

said, "I would be jealous, and wonder what he had to offer her that she's still willing to come back to now and then. Why should she go to lunch with him?"

Raffetto said, "I've done that. Of course I have a right to be jealous. I would expect him to be jealous of me in the same situation."

Finally, the raging green beast rears its ugly head. Is it so ugly though? Perhaps jealousy, to a certain extent, is healthy in a relationship.

Raffetto agreed. "A little jealousy is definitely healthy...helps you to question your relationship, which is good. Relationships are always changing," she said. Zanella said, "I think jealousy is good in a relationship...to a point. It helps

keep interest there, but at the same time, you don't want too much in a relationship."

Michelle said, "Jealousy is healthy to a point. Some jealousy gets to the point where one person gets obsessed with it. I find it flattering when a guy shows some jealousy." This is an interesting concept; makes one wonder who is usually more jealous in a relationship, males or females...

Schwartz said, "In each relationship, it differs. Guys are more vocal about their jealousy, whereas girls keep their comments to a minimum." Zanella definitely thinks males catch the green bug more often. "We're more insecure, and good at making girls feel guilty." Some girls disagree. Raffetto said, "Girls [are more jealous]. I get jealous if he's just hanging out, being flirtatious. At the same time, I expect a guy not to be jealous when I do the same with other guys. I admit it's kind of a double standard, but I can't help it."

Michelle said, "...guys may be more jealous, but they don't show it as much."

So there it is folks, the low-down on jealousy...what it is, where it comes from, who is typically more jealous in relationships. For those in relationships, here's hoping you gained a new perspective. To those of you who are unattached, aren't you glad you don't have to deal with it?



Restaurant Review:

Despite oversights, new restaurant is good overall

BY NICOLE COBBAN AND
COLLEEN RUSH
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The new Italian Terrace restaurant/sports bar just across the Market Street bridge offers an odd compromise of family dining and bar munchies, not always with the greatest success.

The first noticeable thing when you walk into the restaurant is the unsuccessful mix of Italian ambience and sports bar familiarity. The gas-lit fireplace adorned by baskets of dried flowers is flanked on the mantelpiece by two football helmets. A garish Penn State clock ticks nearby and finished plaques of American sports heroes hang less than gracefully on the muted mauve and wall-papered walls.

Eater beware: stay away from the usual pre-dinner courses of soup or salad. Although they sound tempting and come free (with unlimited refills) with your entree, neither choice left us very hungry for the main course. The house salad's transparent, frozen leaves of lettuce were generously hidden by a blanket of bitter purple cabbage. Overall, the salad had a pre-made, refrigerated taste to it, with less than fresh croutons. The wedding soup, which was described on the menu as a "classic Italian soup with pasta, small meatballs, spinach, and cooked in a light chicken broth" tasted more like salty chicken noodle soup from a can with spinach tossed in for good measure. The meatballs, if there were any, lived up their

causing many diners to wait quite a while for their orders. But for the most part, the food is worth the wait.

As an appetizer, try the Nachos Italiano (\$4.50), piled high with peppers, sausage, cheddar cheese, and mozzarella. The chips are excellent, and although the cheddar looks and tastes somewhat processed, the overall nacho package offers a spicy zip that doesn't completely overwhelm the palate. As an added bonus, the plate isn't dripping with grease from the cheese that most restaurants use on their nachos. This portion is large enough to feed two or three people as an appetizer.

The spaghetti alla Putanesca (\$6.95) was also an excellent choice. This dish combines spaghetti with a light tomato sauce, sautéed in olive oil, and combined with garlic, black olives, capers, parmesan cheese, and Italian seasonings. With a surprisingly spicy flavor, the sauce provided an unexpected compliment to pasta.

The dinner rolls were served warm, and were good enough to be called homemade. But be careful not to overload on the bread—most dinner entrees were large enough to warrant take-home bags.

As for their promised "gourmet" pizza, the Vegetarian pizza (\$6.25) was small in comparison to an average sized pie, but tasty enough to earn the gourmet label. The thin crust housed enough broccoli, sweet peppers, and onions to satisfy your hunger, al-

though many of the vegetables were too large to eat gracefully. This pizza was also served without red sauce, contrary to the description.

After dinner, try a cup of their cappuccino or house coffee. Both

provided a smooth close to this rollercoaster dinner.

As of yet, the Italian Terrace does not accept credit cards, although they are expecting the service within a few days.

Capricorn



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Despite the mis-matched atmosphere, food in the Italian Terrace, a new restaurant across Market Street Bridge, is tasty.

A change of scenery: from Big Apple business to classroom instruction

BY KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Unlike many of us who retired to our homes after another tiring fall semester, William Gruver, adjunct professor of management, headed off to New Zealand for a hiking and climbing excursion to prepare him for his annual summer hiking trips to the Swiss Alps.

Not only is Gruver extremely active in what he calls "non-adult sports" such as cross country skiing, running and biking, but he is also the mayor of a small resort town just 45 minutes from Bucknell called Eagles Mere.

Gruver said, "It is a civic duty, I have no political aspirations. It is a small town (population of 137) and everybody has to do what they can do."

Gruver did his undergraduate studies at Dartmouth College and

his graduate work at Columbia University. He proceeded to make a mark in the business world.

For 20 years, Gruver and his wife, Joan, braved the raging lifestyle of New York City where he worked for the distinguished investment banking firm known as Goldman Sachs and Co. As a general partner with an expertise in finance, his duties were to manage a division of a thousand or more people, commit the firm's capital, and supervise 20 offices from Singapore to Memphis, Tennessee.

For those of us who aren't familiar with investment banking, he summarized a whole semester of a course on this topic by defining it as "an intermediary function allocating capital between those with excess capital and those who need capital. In performing this function, service, risk, assumption, and providing liquidity are

critical." Tired of the hustle and bustle of New York City, his love for the central Pennsylvania environment influenced him to give up his job at Goldman Sachs and Co. and move permanently to Eagles Mere, previously just a weekend retreat for he and his wife.

"I wanted to do something that might have a longer lasting impact than investment banking," Gruver said.

How did he decide to come to Bucknell? "Once I decided to move permanently to Eagles Mere, I wanted to do university teaching and Bucknell was the closest of the quality." Gruver came to Bucknell in January of '93. He teaches three courses during the school year: two management courses and a University Course titled "History of Leadership."

Gruver also spends part of his

summer teaching a joint program between management and economics called Institute for Leadership in Technology and Management.

Even though he is away from the fast paced lifestyle of New York City, Gruver has managed to keep himself occupied. He is a board member of a medical research foundation called the Lymphoma Foundation, board member at the Geisinger Medical Center, Trustee of his local church, Trustee of a local conservationist organization called the Eagles Mere Association, an arbitrator for the National Association of Securities Dealers, on a few charitable boards, and still a limited partner at Goldman Sachs and Co.

When asked how he likes Bucknell, he affectionately responded, "I love it, it is better than I expected."



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

William Gruver, adjunct professor of management, teaches three management courses and a University course. Before coming to Bucknell, Gruver worked for Goldman Sachs and Co., where he is still a limited partner.

A&E
Calendar

Thursday, February 16
Film: *Wyatt Earp*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Friday, February 17
Film: *Glen or Glenda?*, directed by Ed Wood, Hilltop Film Series, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium

Faculty Recital: Barry Hannigan, piano, 8 p.m., Weis Center

Play: "Live at Tustin Kabuki-Za," co-directed by Gary Grant and Tevot Fairservis, 8 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre, Tustin Building, Tickets: \$4; \$3 for senior citizens.

Performer: Dave Binder, 9 p.m., Terrace Room, Langone Center.

Saturday, February 18
Play: "Live at Tustin Kabuki-Za," co-directed by Gary Grant and Tevot Fairservis, 8 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre, Tustin Building, Tickets: \$4; \$3 for senior citizens.

Film: *Wyatt Earp*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Sunday, February 19
Poetry Reading: Bruce Smith, poet-in-residence, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Play: "Live at Tustin Kabuki-Za," co-directed by Gary Grant and Tevot Fairservis, 8 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre, Tustin Building, Tickets: \$4; \$3 for senior citizens

Monday, February 20
Charles M. and Elizabeth S. Bond Memorial Lecture: "Placing Jewish Women in History," Judith Plaskow, professor of religion, Manhattan College, 7:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center

Play: "Live at Tustin Kabuki-Za," co-directed by Gary Grant and Tevot Fairservis, 8 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre, Tustin Building, Tickets: \$4; \$3 for senior citizens

Tuesday, February 21
Barbara Watson Grever Lecture-Recital: Jeanne K. Mellish '95, mezzo-soprano, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

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A Japanese experience created in Tustin Theatre

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Kyogen are performances that focus entirely on the actor. Contrary to most of Western theatre, one prop and basic scenery are all that fill the stage, forcing the actors to do all of the work themselves. This makes for a very different sort of performance.

"What I think will be very unusual about this," said Grant, "is that unlike when you go to a Broadway show where the set itself is an important part of what's going on, this is really about actors creating comedy."

It may be hard to convey Japanese humor through a performance by American students, but that, according to Grant, is the challenge.

"We think we have something which is universally funny," he explained. "Now how do you make that funny to an American audience? That's the question."

In order to provide an answer, the theatre department called in the experts. Masters of Kyogen Don Keeny and Shiro Ogawa, who are residents with the Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble, performed for cast and crew. In addition, co-director Fairseris, whose credentials include an expertise in Asian theatre, lectured extensively on campus on Japanese theatre and also in Chinese theater in preparation for the focus semester.

Instituting their own Jan Plan, participants returned to campus and began intensive workshops, sometimes lasting eight to ten hours a day, until classes started, to become familiar with some of the fundamental aspects of voice and movement that distinguish Japanese theatre from other dramatic forms. According to Grant, "this is a 'theatrical language' that is very different from what we're used to in the West." For example: how to stand, bow, walk, turn, use a fan, and even use your voice are extremely important.

These skills become essential in Kabuki, the second style of comedy that will be performed this weekend. *Fishing for a Wife* involves complicated and intricate movements, working with fans and sticks, while accompanied by traditional Japanese music. According to Grant, "It is a rich collaboration between all these different forces: the designers, directors, the actors, and the musicians."

One of the musicians is Jason Mastanduno '98, who composed music used throughout the performance. A music composition major, Mastanduno has "always been interested in composing different melodic themes which portray motion," he said.

He and Yukio Tsuji, a well known Japanese musician who has performed on

Broadway, collaborated to create the musical score, and will perform this weekend.

The pair composed all of the music for *Maiden at Dojoji Temple*, a Kabuki play that will be performed in the style of Butoh. Unlike Kyogen and Kabuki, Butoh evolved in Japan in the late 1960s as a reaction to World War II. Involving stick fighting, elaborate lighting and sound effects, it is a very bright, loud, and modern style. Not a comedy, Butoh is "more along the lines of the appreciation of beauty and the grotesque," said Dusko, "but yet there's an internal focus."

Live at Tustin Kabuki-Za should prove to be a unique multicultural experience. According to Grant, "You're not going to see anything like this anywhere else, unless you go to Japan."

Following Sunday's performance, there will be a theatre forum led by James Orr, assistant professor of Japanese & East Asian studies, Mary Evelyn Tucker, associate professor of religion, and instructor in Japanese & East Asian studies, Noriko Narita.

Seating for this weekend's performances is limited. General admission for Friday and Saturday nights is \$4.00. Sunday is student discount night, when tickets will cost only \$3.00. For tickets, call 524-1700.



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Debra Cook



Top right: Wendy Millman '95 and Jill Raleigh '95 give Amy Sass '96 a hard time in "Rinso River," one of the plays to be presented in the production Live at Tustin, Kabuki-Za at 8 p.m. tomorrow, Saturday, and Sunday in Tustin Studio Theatre; Bottom left: Shannon Kearns '96 plays the comic man servant and Dave Velt '95 appears as the Ugly Wife in the play "Fishing for a Wife." Bottom right: (l to r) Shannon Kearns, Dave Velt, Chris Amptman '95, and Tevlot Fairseris, co-director, will perform in the Kabuki-Za productions this weekend.

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LIFESTYLES

Flash the plastic—the power of the credit card

JOYA DASS

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Richard Gere, the billionaire of "Pretty Woman" fame, can be overheard muttering about the confounded plastic card that has replaced the metal key to his penthouse apartment. As one kind of plastic allows him and his guest, Julia Roberts, entry for the night into his luxurious penthouse in the movie, Gere lays down another kind of plastic. The power of

this plastic earns him some major sucking up at the clothing store and transforms Julia Roberts into a beautiful polo spectator.

As of late, many students' Master Cards and Visas are still smoking from booking spring breaks to the Bahamas and South Padre Island. Amy Shelter '96 finds credit cards handy for buying things over the phone from the many J. Crew, Victoria's Secret, and Tweeds catalogues that provide the shopping selection that the

immediate geography does not.

Kent Adkins '95 says that he has always used credit cards for convenience. But he is always conscious of paying the monthly bill in its entirety.

Many students expressed a liking for credit cards because they are accepted internationally, and are promoted as a hallmark of Visa in its television commercials countering American Express's plea "not to leave home without it."

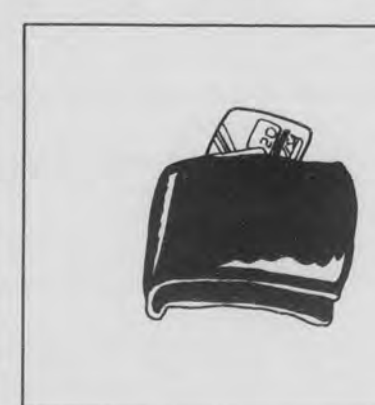
Christy D'ambrosio '95 spent her spring semester in Ireland. She says that she especially grew to like her American Express card while she was abroad because "it served the dual purpose of a MAC card. I could take money out not only in Ireland, but when I was travelling in Germany or in Paris. I could take out money in the currency of the country that I was travelling in." She appreciated not having to worry about exchanging traveler's checks or having to open a bank account in Ireland. Her card allowed her to access her money at home.

Credit cards came in especially handy when students were footing the bill for Valentine's Day dinners. Valentine's Day also spurred many to reach for the plastic in their wallets to order flowers for long distance loves.

Others contend that owning credit cards can also be a bad measure if the owners run up huge debts that they cannot pay for. Often credit lines will offer a minimum amount of payment that can be racked up so that the balance collects if it is not paid in its entirety.

One student stated that a Discover or American Express may be timely for establishing a credit history as students enter the job market and begin making bigger purchases such as downpayments on cars. The GM card offers a 5% discount towards the purchase of a car made by their company.

Among other deals that students can cash in on are the Citibank Apple credit cards that are good for discounts off of products



One student remarked "I probably will have one someday. Parents usually don't like kids to use them because of the issue of responsibility. They would prefer that they use them [the credit cards] as a back up."

Northern Central Bank has created a new animal—the Keycheck card which has the face of a regular old Visa but draws money from an already established checking account. It also doubles as the current MAC card, whose blue, red and white face is becoming a familiar sight above cash registers of area merchants as a sign of another welcome form of making purchases. The Keycheck card can be used at "any merchant displaying the familiar blue and gold Visa sign...without the hassles of writing a check—there's no need to show ID or wait for check approval!" explains the promotional pamphlet.

A tour guide for prospective students was overheard on a hot Bucknell afternoon stating that this school was big on the power of plastic. Such basic plastic like our Bucknell ID is testimony enough to the power of such an invention. Our IDs buy our books at the bookstore, get us registered, get us into the caf, pay for some of those Ecuadorian sweaters that come through the UC mall every so often and even allow a discount at most AMC movie theatres. The tour guide's quip that elicited a few chuckles from the parents she had in tow probably had a lot of truth to it.

need for yet another credit line.



Finding it easier to simply charge his purchases from the Bookstore with a student ID, Billy Vott '97 joins a large rank of students who favor the plastic to the green.

Students apply to the Corps so they can spread the peace

BY KARIN DAVIDSON

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The information brochure for the Peace Corps reads it's the "toughest job you'll ever love." Several students at Bucknell cannot yet attest to that comment, but will say that the application process for the Peace Corps is a job in itself.

Joel Wainwright '95 finished his 15 page application for the Peace Corps last summer and had an interview in October. He has received a nomination a part of the drawn-out process and he should be hearing soon if, when, and where he will be placed.

Similarly, Colleen Brooks '95 has been through the same application process, which includes some legal checks, medical work and approximately seven different references. For Brooks, the Peace Corps is an employment option along with various jobs for which she has applied. June is probably the time when she will find out whether or not she has been accepted.

Why do students discipline themselves to go through the difficult and tiring application process for a service oriented avenue after graduating from college? Brooks, a civil engineer, said, "My whole premise of becoming an engineer is to fix things. Going to another country is a good opportunity to help. I think working in a different culture would be a very unique and challenging experience."

Wainwright, an environmental studies major, said "My main interests are in environmental and development issues."

He said that going to other countries through the Peace Corps is an opportunity to exercise his interests while "trying to make a difference."

Michelle LaBarge '95, an education and Spanish major said, "It's a great opportunity to use my teaching skills to help others learn English in less developed countries and a great opportunity to experience a different culture."

All three applicants touched on three basic reasons for wanting to join the Peace Corps. Gaining experience in their fields, experiencing a different culture, and the desire to help others stood out as the overriding reasons for enduring the competitive application process.

Brooks emphasized that whether or not she is accepted into the Peace Corps, she is not sure what she will be doing after graduation. "As far as I'm concerned, it's another option for me. I'm not sure what I'm going to do but it's a good experience just going through the application process," said Brooks.

Wainwright said that he has always been keeping his eyes open for something to do after college besides immediately getting involved in corporate America. As a senior in high school, he saw a presentation given by the Peace Corps and thought it to be "a decent option for after college." He emphasized that there are many organizations for those interested in helping, but the Peace Corps was his most viable option because to participate in the Peace Corps he does not need to know a foreign language and funding is not a problem.

Student loans are deferred and do not collect interest during a person's two year term, and a readjustment allowance of approximately \$5,400 is received upon service.

ending a term of service, so financially, it is not a problem to serve in the Peace Corps. However, Wainwright also said, "The Peace Corps will be challenging. You have to be committed to ideals of social justice and other issues."

None of the applicants, if they are accepted, know where they would be placed. LaBarge said that on the application the applicant's preference is asked although in the final process, the Peace Corps places people where their skills and talents are most needed.

Given the choice, Brooks said, "I want to go to a French-speaking African country and work with a program in water and sanitation engineering." If she were placed in that program she would be "finding and cleaning water and developing treatment facilities," Brooks said.

Wainwright said he would like to go to "Belize or Eastern Africa to teach local people about the environment." LaBarge said that because she is fluent in Spanish, her preference would be to go to a Spanish speaking country. However, she's already been told that there is a greater need for her talents in Africa.

The Peace Corps has programs all over the world from Ghana to Chile to Thailand to Hungary and meets many needs. There are opportunities in small business and cooperative development, agriculture, the environment, health and nutrition and others. These three students, if they decide that the Peace Corps is for them, will supply the interest, dedication and background education, and the Peace Corps will take care of placement and living expenses for the terms of service.

Weis Center to host Hannigan

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Barry Hannigan, Professor of Music, will present an evening of piano music at 8 p.m. tomorrow night in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts. According to Hannigan, a pianist who is no stranger to the Weis Center, the recital features a program in which the music of Beethoven is performed along with twentieth century American composers.

The program will open with Beethoven's *Sonata, Opus 90*.

lack of development is unusual for a Beethoven piece.

The three pieces that follow the Beethoven one are by musicians who are regarded as three of the earliest established American composers. The first of these is Edward MacDowell (1860-1908).

MacDowell's *New England Idylls, Opus 62* was composed during the time when MacDowell lived by himself in a cabin in the New England woods. In addition to being a composer, MacDowell was somewhat of a naturalist. "New England Idylls are musical

"Sonata in F by Charles T. Griffes (1884-1920) is probably the composer's greatest work," Hannigan said. The one-movement work, which the pianist describes as "very romantic" in style, was written toward the end of the composer's life and is divided into three separate parts.

The recital will end with the world premiere performance of Alexandra Pierce's *Four Done Deals*. This composition, which was just finished in the fall of 1994, was written for Hannigan, who is looking forward to performing the work for the first time.



Barry Hannigan, professor of music, will perform at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the Weis Center.

Beethoven, who lived from 1770 to 1827, is considered to be the composer who bridged the gap between the classical and romantic eras in music. "Sonata, Opus 90 is a work that is on the cusp of the classical and romantic eras," Hannigan said. He explained that while the first movement of the sonata is classical in style, the second movement is "a long, lyric tune that doesn't develop." This

portraits of scenes from nature," Hannigan said.

Louis Moreau Gottschalk (1829-1869) was America's first world-class virtuoso pianist as well as a composer. "The pieces that I will perform are taken from folk tunes, including slave folk tunes and a Creole ballad," Hannigan said. "Gottschalk played these pieces in performance hundreds of times."

Tomorrow night's piano recital is free and open to the public.

Look for the Science, Health, and Technology pages next week. Don't miss them.

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Scholar Athlete:
Kristi Lutter '95

**Swimming and
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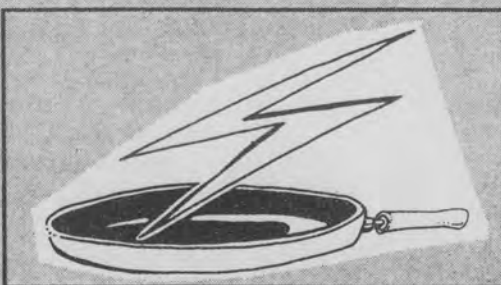
SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

**"Last Tuesday, I
had a workout that
would kill a water
buffalo."**

-Coach Art Gulden on the
Patriot League Indoor Track
Tournament this weekend

Flash In The Pan



King of Cali: Peter Jacobsen became the first two-time winner on the PGA Tour this season by cruising around the two Torrey Pines tracks in San Diego in 19-under par, 269. Jacobsen also captured the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am last week. He has combined to shoot 36-under par in his last eight rounds in California.

Rich on Points: Sacramento's Mitch Richmond knocked down 10 of 13 shots and scored 23 points in leading the West over the East, 139-112, in the NBA All-Star game last Sunday in Phoenix. Richmond was named the Most Valuable Player. At just past the midway point of the season, the Phoenix Suns have the compiled the best record, 38-10, and the Orlando Magic is just a half game back.

Husky B-Ball Power: The University of Connecticut sits atop the CNN/USA Today in both men's and women's basketball. The women's team remains perfect with a 21-0 record and the men's team jumped from No. 4 in the rankings last week to claim the top spot. The team, 12-0 in Big East play, has the opportunity to become the first school to go undefeated in conference. While UCONN has the best combination of basketball teams, Patriot League member Lafayette probably has the worst. The Leopards men's and women's teams have combined for a 3-42 record.

Sharpe-less Next Season: Green Bay's leading receiver Sterling Sharpe will miss the 1995 NFL season to recover from neck surgery, according to *The Milwaukee Journal*. Sharpe missed the Packers' two post-season games because of looseness in two vertebrae.

Spring Training?: Spring training camps for Major League Baseball opened today, whether or not Major League players will be joining them.

Record Setter: Speedskater Bonnie Blair broke her own world record in the 500-meter sprint with a time of 38.69 seconds in a World Cup in Calgary on Sunday. Canada's Susan Auch also broke the previous mark of 38.99.

Not a Full Nelson: Golden State Warriors coach Don Nelson resigned on Monday. After getting off to a quick start, the Warriors are 7-30 since. "I have basically done a lousy job this year, and I definitely deserve to be replaced," Nelson said in the *USA Today*. Nelson has also been plagued by illness, missing nine games this season.

No More Bars: The *Indianapolis Star* reported Monday that former Heavyweight champion Mike Tyson will be released from prison on March 25 instead on May 9 because of good behavior. Tyson is currently serving time for raping Desiree Washington and has not fought in almost four years.

Two Minutes for Slashing: A sixteen year-old high school hockey player, Joe Carista, fell to the ice after receiving an 18-inch cut on his neck that required 155 stitches last Saturday. "If [the skate] had come any closer to his jugular we would lost him," said his head coach Bob Corliss said in *The Patriot*.

Lucky 13 in the East: The powerhouse college basketball conference Big East will expand to 13 teams next season with independent Notre Dame and Atlantic 10 teams Rutgers and West Virginia. Departing the Patriot League, Fordham will replace the two Atlantic 10 schools.

Last Splash: Lehigh is this year's site of the men's and women's swimming Patriot League Championship. Bucknell (9-0) missed an opportunity to face the Engineers two weeks ago when snow cancelled the meet. Lehigh has only lost to Army this season.

Basketball fails to clinch league title

The Bison shoot only 25% in the first half as Colgate stings Bucknell, 76-59

ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell went to Hamilton, NY with the opportunity to clinch the regular season Patriot League title with two games still left in the season.

But, the team left with the title and the top seed in the league tournament still very much in doubt.

Colgate defeated the Bison for only the second time in 17 meet-

ings, 76-59, in front of 2,800 fans in Cotterell Court to close back within one game of the Bison with two games remaining.

"It would have been nice to get a win here," Kevin Wenk said. "We'll be ready to work tomorrow."

Colgate fell back to two games behind Bucknell for the first time since early in league play when it suffered the most lopsided loss in conference history to Navy, 93-51, last Saturday, but were able to regroup to break the Bison's three-

game winning streak.

Bucknell dropped to 10-2 in league play while the Red Raiders improved to 9-3. They have also won seven of their last eight games. Both teams are 12-12 overall.

"We've still got a one game lead, but right now, we're kicking ourselves," assistant coach Don Friday said.

The loss leaves Orange and Blue with the prospect of having to win its final two games in order to take the final as Colgate plays the league's two doormats — Army and Lafayette. The Bison plays Lafayette — losers of 19 straight games — on Saturday at Davis Gymnasium, but almost must travel to Worcester, MA to face Holy Cross, the league's fourth place team with a 7-5 record.

Bucknell lacked the consistency against Colgate that it had used to win 12 of the past 15 games. The team made only six of 24 shots in the first half and just two Bison players scored in double-figures.

In contrast, four Red Raider players scored 10 points or more, including fab freshman Adonal Foyle, who exploded for his first triple-double of his already distinguished career.

Foyle put in 21 points, pulled down 15 of Colgate's 33 rebounds and rejected 10 shots a career-high. Foyle's 121 blocks is the fourth highest season total for a freshman ever. With last night's performance, Foyle passed up Shaquille O'Neal.

Tucker Neale, Colgate's other star player, poured in a game-high 28 points, including two three-pointers late in the second half that secured the win for the Red Raiders.

"They made us work really hard offensively while they had

both their inside and outside game going," Wenk said.

The Red Raiders also shot a scorching 75% in the second half.

Colgate opened up a 13-point half-time lead behind the Bison's poor shooting performance, but Bucknell was able to chip away at lead in the second half.

Brian Anderson '96, who had a season-high 11 rebounds against Lehigh, scored seven of his 11 points in the first three minutes of the closing half to keep the Bison within reach.

The Bison inched closer to Colgate as the half wore on. J.R. Holden '98 hit a baseline try to close to 49-40. The team got two more when Foyle was called for goaltending on a Sekou Hamer '96 lay-up. Bucknell got to within five, 56-51, with seven minutes left when Holden came up with a steal and a hit the driving Hamer for a lay-up.

But that was where Bucknell's comeback effort ended. After a Bison timeout, Colgate went on a 14-3 run to put the game out of reach.

The stretch included two three-pointers from Neale and another from beyond the arch by Brendan Tuohy.

"Neale's a great player who is going to work hard to get his shots," Friday said. "We just spent a lot of energy trying to get back in the game."

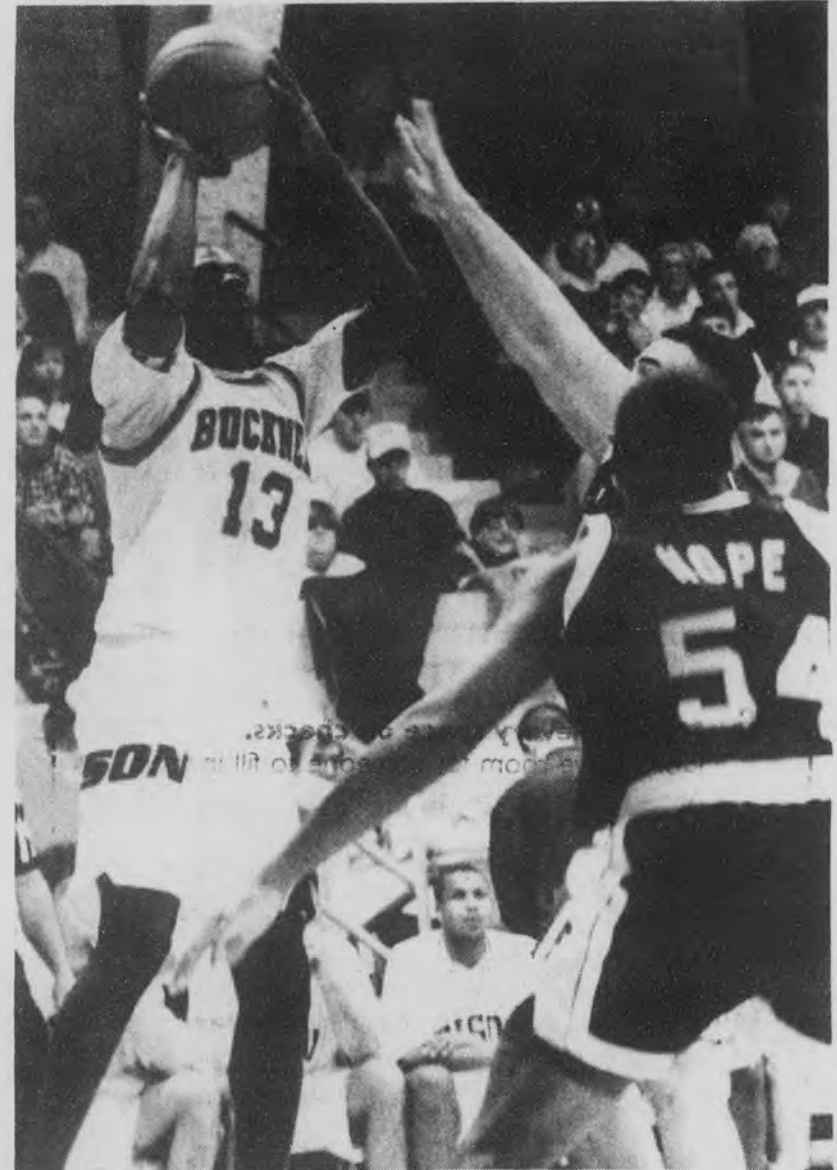
Wenk led the Bisons with 16 points.

Bucknell swept Lehigh to take that two-game lead in the Patriot League, 76-66, at Stabler Arena last Saturday in Bethlehem, Pa.

"It feels good to come out with a win, knowing that going in we would have our hands full," coach Pat Flannery said. "I don't think you beat Lehigh if you are looking forward to [Colgate]."

Lehigh has now lost five of its

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Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian
Gordon Mbaya '97 knocks down a jumper in a win over Fordham.

Going where no woman has dared to go

Bucknell's Kathie Dibell became the first female Associated Press Sports Writer

BY COLEEN P. ZOLLER

Bucknellian Staff Writer

It often seems as though the Bucknell Athletics Department is a gold mine of notable figures in US Sports history, such as Head Swimming Coach Lynn Kachmark, a former captain of the US Olympic Water Polo Team, and Athletic Director Rick Hartzell, a referee for ACC Basketball. But who would think that a famous sports personality could be found in the Bucknell Public Relations Department?

Thirty years ago, Kathie Dibell, currently with Public Relations, saw an advertisement in the newspaper for a position with the Associated Press. The New York Bureau of the Associated Press was looking for a feature writer for the Sports department. Dibell, the self-proclaimed "World's Greatest Yankees Fan", said, "I'll give it a shot." This recreational golfer and tennis player commented, "I had always loved sports."

So where does the precedence come in? Dibell became the first female Associated Press Sports Writer. "Perhaps there might have been a woman sports writer somewhere" less spotlighted, said Dibell. "But this was a first for New York." In a time much unlike the present, such an idea was "futuristic," according to Dibell. "The Sports Department threatened to go out on strike."

"I was unusual," reveals Dibell. "New York newspapers did feature stories on me, a feature sports writer." However, the indi-



Lori Ann Woods — The Bucknellian
Bucknell public relations employee Kathie Dibell simply responded to an ad, and became the first female A.P. writer.

vidual attention did not stray from Dibell. "I appeared on 'What's My Line?'" remarks Dibell. "I was even interviewed on a couple of radio shows."

Nevertheless, the prominence did not come without a price. The constant spotlight "became a nuisance," admits Dibell. "A lot of ill-will developed within the department." Yet that did not impede Dibell from progressing into one of the top sports writers. Dibell confides, "I pulled my weight in routine office work." Her duties usually included coverage of news

conferences. "My job never involved locker room interviews," explains Dibell. "There were no press boxes at Yankee Stadium for me."

The magnitude of what Dibell had begun probably went unrealized for quite some time. "In spite of what I had accomplished I decided to get married, and I left the office."

Despite Dibell's departure from the Sports Department of the New York Associated Press, it is evident that she ushered in an era of revolution that has seen an un-

recognizable number of female writers contribute considerably to sports journalism.

The experience Dibell acquired in New York led her to employment opportunities around the country. Her resume now includes work for the New Jersey Associated Press and a position as the editor of a newspaper in Bedford, Pennsylvania. Not satisfied with the routine of a morning paper, Dibell once again took to the advertisements.

This time she discovered an opening in the Public Relations Department here at Bucknell. "I had some experience in public relations," said Dibell, "and I had always heard what a good school it was." Dibell came aboard and has been in Lewisburg for three years now.

Dibell's objectives have always centered on getting a certain task done. Nevertheless, whether her goal was to get the inside track on a sports celebrity or to promote Bucknell, her intent has silently revolved around encouragement. Now "I'd like to emphasize not only Bucknell's name, but the names of faculty and staff in the media," concludes Dibell. "I have appreciated everyone's cooperation over the past three years."

Today where female reporters in male locker rooms seem almost commonplace, it is easy to appreciate the effect that Kathie Dibell had on sports media. Her precedence paved the way for women not only to participate and succeed in, but to lead the field of sports journalism.

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Dave Steigerwald '96 goes up for two points in Bucknell's win against Fordham. See page 12 for complete story.

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BISON SCOREBOARD

MEN'S BASKETBALL

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WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

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Hamer	6	0	0	1	12
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Mboya	3	0	1	0	7
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GLUS

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has been able to maintain his standard of academic excellence. Even so, Glus was careful not to put too much pressure on himself. He was still able to find time for other activities and sports outside of football and academics, playing baseball his sophomore and junior years, as well as participating in intramural basketball.

He is also member of the FIJI fraternity. "I wouldn't trade my years at Bucknell for anything," Glus said.

Those years at Bucknell, of course, include classes. Rob started out as an electrical engineering major, but as time went by, he realized that it was not the field for him.

Glus made the switch to a

math major during his junior year; therefore, most of his grades were obtained while he was still in the rigorous engineering program. He enjoyed the variety of classes offered by Bucknell, although his field of study usually was not very accommodating to his numerous choices. Glus is interested in becoming an actuarial consultant upon his graduation, and has received several job offers.

When asked how he would like to be remembered by his soon-to-be alma mater, Glus showed his concern for both academics and athletics, commenting that, "I wouldn't want people to say that he was good at one or the other. It would be nice if they said that he was good at both."

MEN'S BASKETBALL

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last six games, including three in a row at home. "What this team needs is confidence," Engineer coach David Duke said. "But they need to go out and earn that confidence." Tom Welch '97 and Holden came off the bench to combine for 21 points, including a career-high 12 for Welch. Welch didn't miss a shot, canning a quartet of both field-goals and free-throws. Holden's nine points that also tied a career mark included three running jumpers.

Hamer and Wenk had another typically solid game in the backcourt, combining for 22 points, seven boards and assists, and swiping four steals while only turning the ball over twice. They also teamed up to hold the Engineer's leading scorer Rashawne Glenn to ten points and two for 15 shooting.

Despite shooting only 38% from the floor in the first half, the Bison took a 35-29 lead into half-time behind solid defense. The Bison forced Glenn and Jason Richter into some bad shots and commanded the boards, taking a 29-18 advantage.

"We played [Glenn] with some different people," Flannery said. "We gave him some tough looks and your field-goal per-

centage goes down when that happens."

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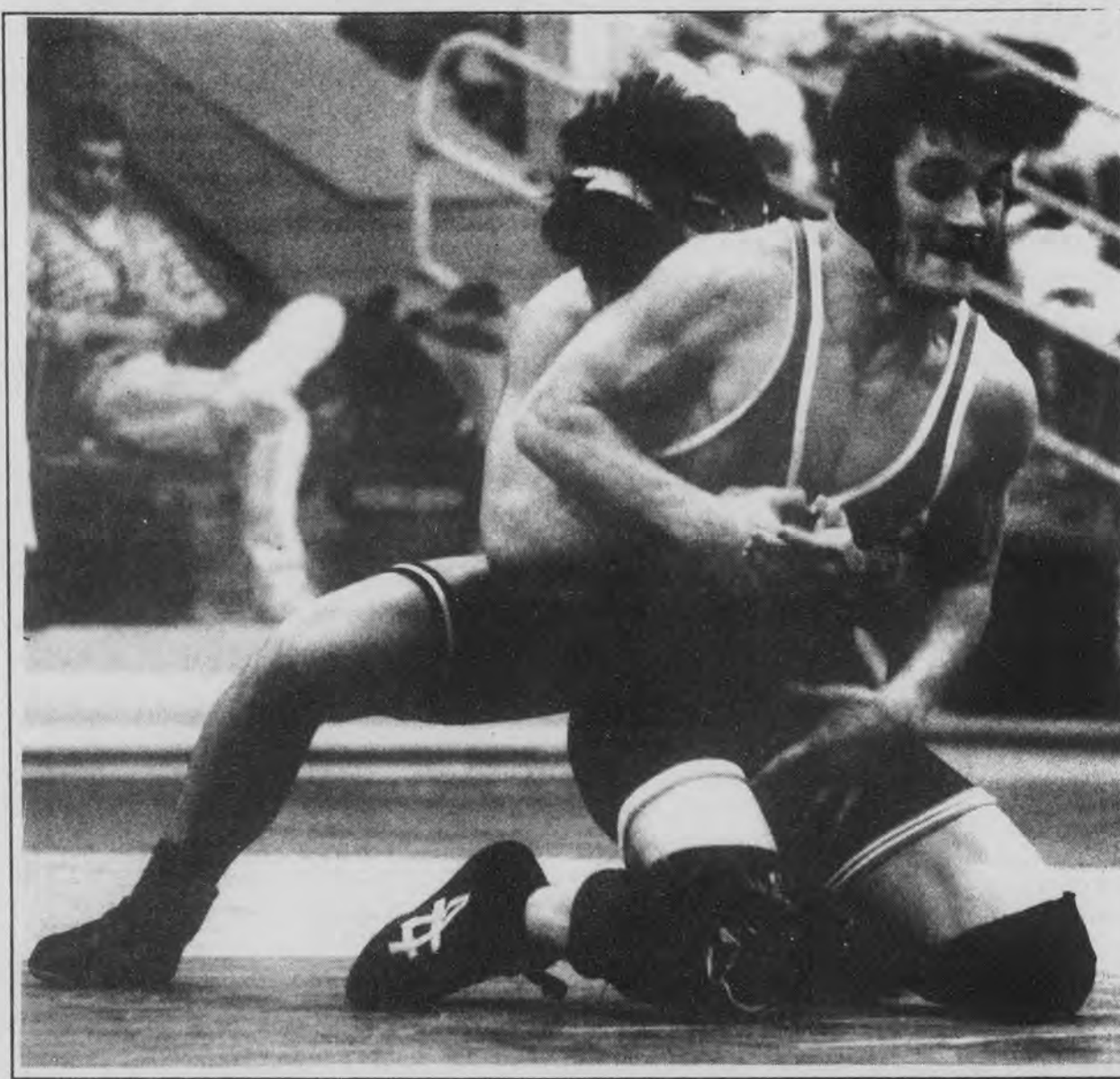
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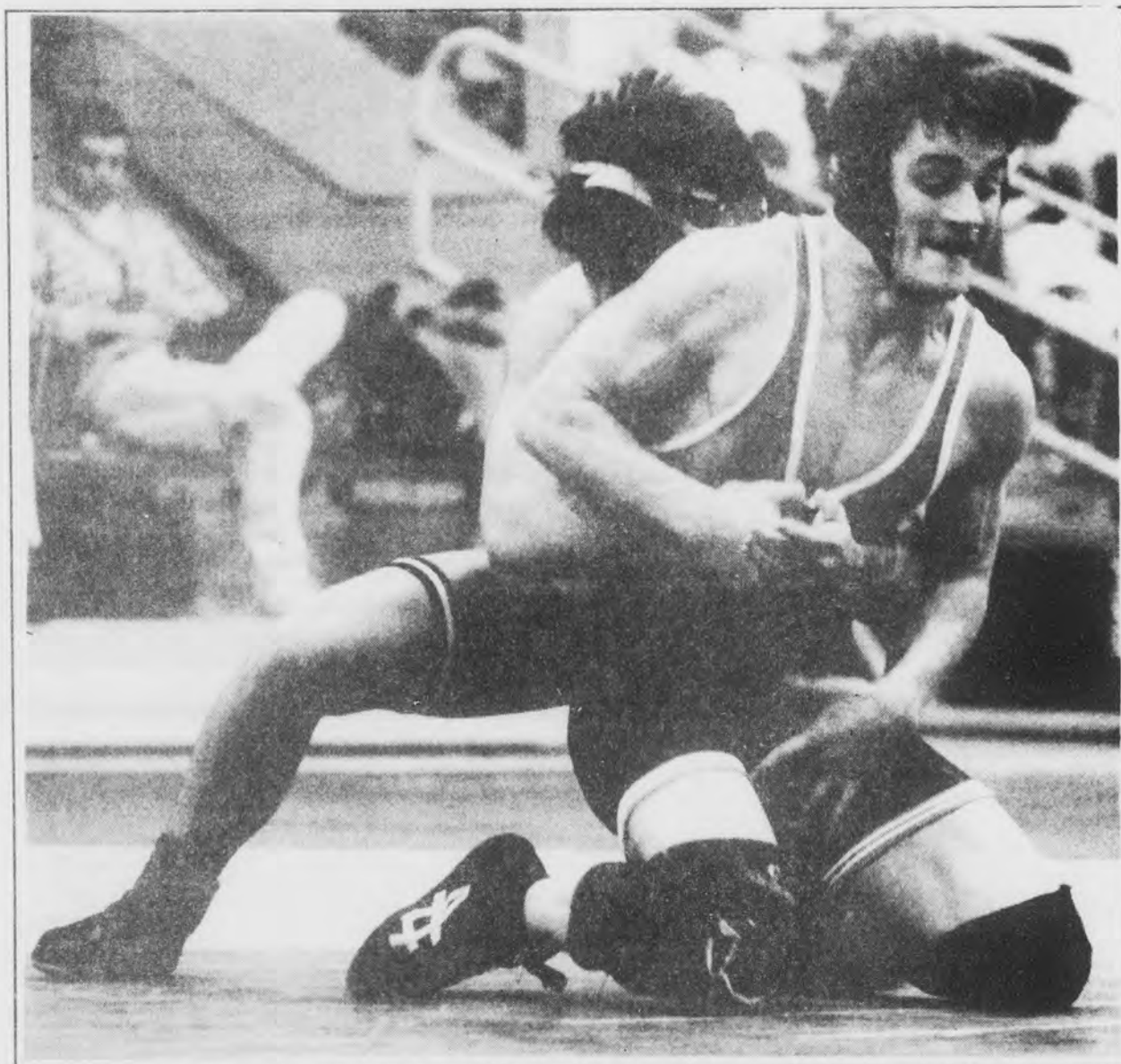
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SPORTS

Commentary

*If you pitch
will they
come?*

Baseball will be played in some way, shape, or form next week, which is an uplifting thought. Spring training will try to fill the void inside of many fans, without its "star" players. The big question has to be, will these second-rate players draw enough fans?

I believe so. Baseball is a social sport and a necessity in our society. Sports fans were forced through a boring Superbowl and long-winded hockey strike. People across the country are in search of action-baseball will give them their answer.

What makes baseball a special sport is the fan's ability to identify. Many children play little league ball and continue as relatives, friends, and fans come to watch their games. Baseball is a social event, needed by society whether it's in the form of little league, co-rec., or at the major league level. Baseball lets fans forget about the real world for nine innings. Everyone can play baseball and players always remember their first introduction to the game.

Who cares if 'Jimmy' down the block will start left field for the Boston Red Sox this year? What separates him from Mike Greenwell or Bo Jackson? How about Deion Sanders or Will Clark? The only answer is that they can hit the ball with greater accuracy or further than a minor league player. Who cares? Baseball is not set up around facts and statistics alone—professional baseball is and should not be.

The roots of baseball alleviated the pressures of working on farms, in mines, and on plantations. Players competed for free. Eventually leagues were established as its popularity spread throughout the country. Technology then pushed baseball into a new era with the newspaper coverage and radio broadcasts.

Today, baseball is far removed from its origins. Players and owners refuse to play like little kids because of monetary reasons—a sad thought for the game.

There is hope, however, that begins in less than a week. All of the players who dreamed of playing in the majors will get their chance. Many of them remember the roots of baseball. Likewise, fans will come out of hiding to simply support the game. Many will remember their times at the plate or the excitement of going to a game as a child. All of their memories of the game will be rekindled once the first pitch is thrown. Fans will quickly forget how far Cecil Fielder can hit the ball or how many times Micheal Jordan can drop the ball. There are many baseball players who want to play out there. That's what baseball fans want to see.

If this was a utopian world, all of today's players would be wiped out and a new generation would replace them. They wouldn't get paid millions of dollars for hitting or throwing a stitched ball. Eventually everyone could tryout for a "major league" team and fulfill their wishes.

Maybe there's still chance for me to tryout for the Phillies! On second thought, I'll just stick to writing. In a matter of weeks the old players will see how much fun these new players are having and want to get in on the action again. Until then, they can play golf, vacation, or watch the new players play on the field.

Keith Nigro
Keith Nigro, Sports Editor

Around the League...



Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian

The scoreboard tells the story of the Bucknell-Lehigh game.

MEN'S PATRIOT LEAGUE BASKETBALL

Road teams triumph
in Patriot League

ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Staff Writer

Three out of four road teams came away victorious last night in Patriot League play. The only team that didn't—Bucknell. In a battle of military schools, Navy shot Army, 78-69. Holy Cross won in the Bronx, NY over Fordham, 72-57, and Lehigh defeated Lafayette, in what seems to be a bottom-less plunge for the Leopards.

First round games for the Patriot League Tournament are beginning to take shape. If the season were to end today, Bucknell would be the top seed and would face Lafayette in an opening round game. In the other upper-bracket first round game, Holy Cross would play Fordham. Colgate would be the two top seeds in the lower bracket, however, there is still doubt about who would play Army and who would play Lehigh. The team that draws might be in for a tough game since the tournament is being contested on the Cadets' home court. If Bucknell and Colgate tie for first at the end of regular season play, there will be a coin flip to determine who is the No. 1 seed.

Navy senior Wes Cooper was named Patriot League "Player of the Week" on Monday after leading the Midshipmen to thrashing wins over upper-echelon league teams Holy Cross and Colgate. Cooper averaged 14.0 points and made 13 of his 17 shots from the floor... Another Midshipmen was also honored Monday as "Rookie of the Week." Michael Heary, who averaged 17.0 points in the two wins, has garnered the honor a leading five times this season... Sekou Hamer was named to the "Honor Roll" after averaging 12.5 points and not committing a single turnover from the point guard position in wins over Fordham and Lehigh... Navy's 93-51 win over Colgate set a league record for the most lopsided victory... Four Patriot League schools have overall winning records for the first time this season... However, Lafayette has come up on the short side of the score 19 straight times, although the Leopards have taken their last two of their last three contests to overtime... Despite leading the league with a 10-1 record, no Bucknell player places in the top 10 in overall season scoring... Bucknell ranks twelfth in the nation in three-point shooting.

Bison Calendar

February 16 - 18

Men's Basketball

Sat. 18 LAFAYETTE 3:00 p.m.

Women's Basketball

Sat. 18 LAFAYETTE 12:45 p.m.

Men's and Women's Swimming

Thurs.-Sat. (16-18) Patriot League Championship at Lehigh

Wrestling

Fri. 17 at Hofstra 8:00 p.m.
Sat. 18 at Central Connecticut 1:00 p.m.

Men's and Women's Indoor Track and Field

Sat. 18 Patriot League Championship at Lehigh

Power goes out for Lady Bison

Bucknell defeated by Colgate, 62-54, as Cotterell Court is evacuated for short time due to power failure

ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Staff Writer

In what was expected to be a preview of a first round showdown in the Patriot League Tournament in West Point, NY in two weeks, Colgate triumphed over Bucknell, 62-54.

Colgate was able to overcome 22 to defeat the Bison. The Lady Bison fell to 6-6 in Patriot League and 9-15 overall. The Red Raiders took sole possession of fourth place in league with a 7-5 tally. They are also 10-14 overall.

The Red Raiders have now

swept the Lady Bi-

son. They won in mid-January, 74-59, at Davis Gym.

Last night's first half was played under dim lighting before Cotterell Court was completely evacuated at half-time to fix the power failure.

The Bison were only down two at the evacuation, but Colgate slipped away in the second half to claim an eight point victory.

Shannon McGowan '97 scored a career-high 20 points, but was quiet on the boards where she is usually a force. The Red Raiders out rebounded the Bison, 36-24, as McGowan was only able to take six rebounds. McGowan's previous high for points was 19 in a game at Navy two weeks ago.

Casey Hollister '96 was the only other Bison player in double-figures with 12 points. She made all six of her free-throw attempts. Hollister has scored 12 or more points three of the last four games.

K.C. Vlah '96 had another strong game defensively. She swiped six steals against Colgate and added six points. Vlah has 14 steals in her last two games.

The Red Raiders shot 52% in the second half to pull away from the Bison. Three Colgate players scored in double-figures. Jen Smith led the team with 18 points, eight rebounds and four steals. Jen Lachane added 15 points and the game's only three-pointer. Lori Perretta also put in 12 and pulled down five rebounds.

Records abounded for the Lady Bison last Saturday as they triumphed over Lehigh, 60-51, in Stabler Arena.

McGowan paced the Bison with her seventh double-double of the season, scoring 12 points and adding 11 rebounds. McGowan is the Patriot League's leading re-



Solaida Mamsaang—The Bucknellian

Shannon McGowan '97 goes up for a shot against Fordham. The Bison are 6-6 in Patriot League and are expected to play Colgate again in the first round of the league tournament.

bouncer.

Vlah came up with two early steals that led to baskets and five points in the first 10 minutes of the game to take a 24-12 lead. The Bison maintained that lead on later hoops by McGowan and Hollister on passes from Chiara Sockel '97. Sockel recorded seven first half assists to help give the Bison a 35-24 half-time lead. Sockel finished with eight assists, a career-high.

The Engineers got within nine early in the second half, but the Bison were able to pull away on three consecutive baskets from Beth Coffey '97.

Lehigh tried to make a game of it later in the half when Bucknell

couldn't convert from the free-throw line.

Hollister was able to seal the game though with four last minute baskets from the chariot stripe.

League leading pocket-picker Vlah had eight steals and pulled down a season-high nine rebounds.

The Bison face Lafayette on Saturday at Davis Gym and Holy Cross in the regular season finale, before probably playing Colgate on March in the first round of the Patriot League tournament.

Holy Cross will most likely be the top seed and the favorite to advance to the NCAA tournament, followed by Fordham.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Can you name the woman who won back-to-back World Figure Skating titles in 1991 and 1992?
2. Who is second to Wayne Gretzky in all-time Stanley Cup playoff points?
3. Who won last year's Wimbledon?(men's and women's)
4. What Ivy League school did San Francisco 49ers coach George Siefert once command in the 1970's?
5. Duke was in the NCAA men's basketball championship 4 times since 1990. How many of those did they win?

***Correction(#2 last week's quiz): George Foreman currently holds the heavyweight titles.

Answers

1. Kristi Yamaguchi; 2. Mark Messier has collected 259 points; 3. Pete Sampras for the men and Conchita Martinez for the women; 4. Cornell; 5. two (1991 and 1992)

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Rain showers likely in the evening; to changed to snow after midnight. Lows in the upper 20s.

Friday night—Variable cloudiness. Windy and cold with a 40% chance of snow flurries.

Saturday—

Sunday—

—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Jan Plan fails to make the grade... again

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Attempts to reinstate the January program failed in a faculty meeting on Monday, in spite of survey results indicating that students were in favor of such a proposal.

In a 27-50 decision by members of the voting faculty, the motion failed, which leaves three calendar options for the faculty to vote on next month. The options include: (1) the current calendar, (2) beginning the semester eight days earlier, and (3) beginning the semester 13 days earlier.

A petition survey, conducted by Bucknell Student Government last week, indicated that 49.1% of the 346 students responding supported a January Plan. In an e-mail survey, 41.7% of the 647 students responding supported a January Plan.

Scott Charles, president of BSG, said he was "very displeased with the faculty decision to vote down" the Jan Plan. Charles said that the decision was made "without a significant number of the faculty present" and with little

consideration for the student opinions gathered in the survey.

"They [faculty members] asked for our opinion, and then took little time to consider it. I think that this University needs to think about who they are serving. Students make this University run, but apparently, our opinion does not mean that much.... Students are the heart and soul of this University, and if we want to continue to attract the quality of students we do now, the University had better start listening to us," Charles said.

John Peeler, professor of Political science, responded to why student opinion was not discussed before voting on the motion, saying, "the faculty tends to use student opinions when they fit our preferences, and to dismiss them as ill-informed otherwise."

Richard Henry, professor of physics, raised the question about student opinion in the first faculty meeting of the semester. In an interview, he said that faculty may have disregarded the survey results because the questions asked in the

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BSG Spring Calendar Survey Results			
Jan Plan		No Change	
Class of 1995	82.4%	Class of 1995	0%
Class of 1996	54.9%	Class of 1996	2.4%
Class of 1997	53.8%	Class of 1997	1.1%
Class of 1998	31.1%	Class of 1998	11.5%
Other	45.4%	Other	0%
Total for all classes	49.1%	Total for all classes	4.9%

8 Days Earlier		13 Days Earlier	
Class of 1995	15.8%	Class of 1995	0%
Class of 1996	32.9%	Class of 1996	9.8%
Class of 1997	32.3%	Class of 1997	12.9%
Class of 1998	52.4%	Class of 1998	4.9%
Other	45.4%	Other	9.1%
Total for all classes	38.2%	Total for all classes	7.8%

These results are taken from a BSG survey to which 346 students replied, 38 from the class of 1995, 82 from the class of 1996, 93 from the class of 1997, 122 from the class of 1998, and 11 others.

Grade inflation in the big picture Bursting the GPA bubble

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The history of grade inflation is one that stretches back almost 30 years, with few questioning or denying the phenomenon of the gradual upward shift in grades. It seems evident that the causes, ranging from the competition for students at a national level to job security on a campus level, are widely acknowledged.

In spite of acknowledging the problem, few, if any, attempts have been made to remedy the situation. And even fewer have considered the long- and short-term impacts of inflating grades under false pretenses.

THE LONG-TERM IMPACTS

One of the most obvious effects of grade inflation is that it might give students a false sense of academic security. If a student receives an A in a course, employers, and even students themselves might assume that the A reflects superior knowledge and understanding of a subject.

In actuality, that A might only represent the fears of an untutored faculty member seeking the good favor of students. Or it might mean that a department, threatened by underenrollment, is trying to attract students by giving higher grades.

An A, then, essentially loses its value (along with other grades) and means very little with regard to what a student has learned.

Putting it bluntly, "students are getting the short end of the stick," says John Cooper, professor of chemistry.

Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography, echoed Cooper's claims, saying that giving higher grades is, in effect, "doing the student's a disservice by not demanding the best from them."

The politics of grading, in the long run, might overrule educational merit, and a student leaves Bucknell without realizing that an A could reflect more than effort and a superior understanding of a subject.

The purported causes of grade inflation might also undermine the nature of students by making false assumptions about their motives for getting an education. Faculty who are unsure of their tenure status, and rely on student evaluations as a source for indicating teaching skills, assume that students are vindictive enough to write poor evaluations because they received low grades.

Departments that choose to give high grades to improve enrollment assume that students only want A's, not educations.

On a national level, the administration assumes that in keeping with the GPA trends of our



Lori Ann Woods—The Bucknellian John Cooper, professor of chemistry, feels that students are "getting the short end of the stick," through grade inflation. frame of reference schools, the University is attracting students who would go elsewhere if Bucknell were not comparable to other schools' GPAs.

These assumptions reveal a disturbing image of the average student attending Bucknell. Regardless of the reality, some professors perceive students as solely concerned with grades and post-graduation career prospects.

Ultimately, the belief that students are here for easy grades, and not an education, might affect the quality of education offered. Professors might sacrifice academic challenge for a sense of job security, and serious students not only lose credibility (by being lumped with those who are looking for high GPAs), but also the opportunity to receive thorough, challenging education.

Bucknell is also in a silent competition with frame of reference schools for enrollment numbers and the financial security brought by those numbers. Yet for the past few years, the University has exceeded enrollment, and budget reports hardly show that Bucknell is on the verge of financial ruin.

One must also consider that if the University is in a neck-and-neck competition, are standards for admission being lowered to improve enrollment in the meantime?

The big picture, however, is this: do we want to attract students who would choose one university over another, merely because the GPAs were different by a point or two? Is compromising Bucknell's reputation for academic excellence worth the price of lowering standards and attracting non-academic students?

Unacknowledged tensions between departments are also an issue created by grade inflation. What results is a finger-pointing contest between departments on the high and low spectrum of grade distribution, with no one willing to end the problem. Some departments are uncomfortable giving lower grades because it might indicate poor teaching or unfair grading practices to others.

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Pranks leave little laughter on campus

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Harmless pranks are a part of life, especially at a college or university. They can be good for a chuckle, sometimes, but a few recent pranks on campus do not have people laughing.

Last week, Jon Stoltz '98 discovered a small nail in his morning coffee in the cafeteria. Days before, a female student discovered the same kind of sharp item in her cereal after pouring sugar in it.

Through the help of Public Safety, Dining Services has been able to link the nails to the sugar containers on the tables in the cafeteria. Dining Services has decided to take the Public Safety recommendation of taking the unscrewable sugar containers off of the tables and replacing them with individual sugar packets to prevent further accidents.

Lieutenant James Middleton said that this is probably a prank that someone felt would turn out to be funny, but really was unsafe. "It is very evident that this was intended to be a prank," said Middleton of Public Safety, "but it is apparent from the items found in

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Celebrating Lewisburg's Underground history



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian

Students readers for "Celebrating Freedom: Lewisburg's Stop on the Underground Railroad," congregate in the home of Hon. Judge James F. McClure. Judge McClure's home was one of the many stopping points on the Underground Railroad that helped slaves escape from slavery during the Civil War. In honor of Black History Month, students read various passages and poems this past Tuesday in McClure's home. In addition to the more than 30 audience members, the reading was also broadcast on closed circuit television.

Top row (l to r): Don Brown '97, Tearl Bradley '95, Shane Tanzymore '95, Steve Noteboon '96; middle row: Chris Persley '95, Vanessa Jones '95, Elizabeth Lancto '96, Shelley Dabney '97; Bottom row: Kevin Clark GR, Mrs. and Judge James F. McClure.

The pen is mightier than the football for Smith '68

BY REBECCA KLINGLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It didn't take long for Bruce Smith '68 to think about what it's like to be back at Bucknell. "There are a lot more women in the weight room," he chuckled. "I'm glad to see that."

The weight room was one place that Smith saw a lot of during his college career. From the time he first arrived on an athletic scholarship in 1964 until he graduated, Smith played halfback on the Bison football team. Now he is making himself comfortable in another room, a room in the Stadler Center for Poetry.

Smith's poetry reading last Sunday in Bucknell Hall officially began his poetic residency for the spring semester. "This is a rare opportunity for me," he said.

When Smith arrived here as a first year student, he had no plans that pointed to an English degree. One class with Jack Wheatcroft, professor of English, changed that. "I took British novel with [Wheatcroft] and then I took 20th century poetry," Smith recalled, remembering how his interest in literature started.

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Bruce Smith '68 returns to Bucknell as the poet-in-residence for the spring semester. A former Bison halfback, Smith now finds himself moving into the Stadler Center for Poetry, not the weight room. Smith gave the first of two readings last Sunday in Bucknell Hall.

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Photo Courtesy of Karen Willey
Michael O'Heaney '95 and Beth Morilla '95 on a beach in Cuba. See page 3.

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survey were unclear, and may not have represented an informed student opinion.

Henry said he was trying to find out why 42% of the students suddenly seemed to want a Jan Plan, when less than 20% of the student body participated during the last years of the Jan Plan.

"The faculty would have been interested in the questions the students were asked, but [BSG] wasn't prepared" with the information, Henry said. The results did not indicate whether students had been informed that the Jan Plan might result in a tuition increase, or that credit would be offered for some courses, said Henry.

Henry also said that the faculty often requests information from campus committees, then ignores the results. "The faculty all have different opinions," said Henry, "I don't think they intentionally ignored students' by voting against the Jan Plan."

In an effort to bridge the communication gap between faculty and students, BSG will host the first monthly breakfast with the faculty on Feb. 28.

"I'm hoping that students can work together with the faculty to try to resolve issues that affect the

BSG E-Mail Poll	
Jan Plan	41.7%
No Change	9.1%
8 Days Earlier	35.1%
13 Days Earlier	14.1%

These results are taken from a BSG e-mail survey to which 647 students replied.

entire Bucknell community," Charles said.

The motion also failed in spite of a friendly amendment made by the Committee on Instruction (COI), which would have established faculty support for the reinstatement of Jan Plan without committing to the requirements outlined in Peeler's proposal. Jeff Evans, chair of COI, said that the amendment was made because the committee "felt that Peeler's mo-

tion was perhaps too restrictive, and not all of the parties affected by a Jan Plan had been fully considered," such as Public Safety, Residential Life, and the Finance Office.

"We felt that if the faculty was solidly behind the concept of a Jan Plan, then perhaps more time to fully develop and evaluate the alternative would result in a Jan Plan that would serve the University better," Evans said.

and 3 a.m., Phillips and another Bucknell student got into an argument over a broken window in the dorm. The student and Phillips continued their argument into the hall outside of Phillips' room when a fight broke out.

Phillips allegedly kicked the victim in the face while he was on the ground. The victim ended up with trauma to the face along with multiple sinus fractures.

Many Bucknell students submitted statements to the court verifying what happened on the night in question. Numerous doctors, including Dr. Donald Stechschulte, director of health services, were subpoenaed for the hearing.

Phillips was unable to be reached for comment on the court decision.

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the food that it could have been a very serious situation."

"At first I did not really think about what could have happened," said Stoltz. "Now that I look back on it, the situation could have been a lot more dangerous."

"Surprisingly the body can deal with a sharp item very well," said Dr. Donald Stechschulte, director of student health services, "but the risk of serious even lethal complications is definitely there."

Last spring a member of the faculty returned from lunch to his office in Bucknell Hall to find a razor blade prominently placed in plain view on his desk.

Another professor in Bucknell Hall tried to use his phone, only to find that the receiver had been glued down.

These are a few examples of bizarre pranks that the faculty has had to deal with within the past year.

According to Public Safety "supergluing" student dorm room doors shut is also popular, but can be serious if the occupants have to leave their room in the situation of an emergency.

The well documented fake fire alarm dangers are also a problem when a student decides to ignore an alarm that turns out to be a real.

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Friday, February 17

Officers responded to Swartz hall B-wing for a fire alarm activation and found that someone had pulled a pull station on the 3rd floor for no reason.

Officers responded to Smith hall for a report of two intoxicated males. The one male was identified as Tyronne Moyes who is an ex-student and was not allowed to be in a residential building. Lewisburg Police transported Moyes off campus and charges are pending.

While responding to the call above, officers found a student in the stairwell of Smith who was visibly intoxicated and under the age of 21.

A student reported to Public Safety that she has been receiving harassing notes and phone calls to her residence. Investigation is continuing.

Saturday, February 18

Officers responded to Swartz Hall for a fire alarm activation and found that a fire extinguisher had been discharged.

An officer on patrol noticed a student walking on Seventh St. with a cup of beer in his possession.

Sunday, February 19

An officer noticed student walking on Fraternity Road with an open container of beer in his possession. The student was stopped and was found to be underage.

An officer noticed a student walking in front of Kappa Delta Rho carrying a can of unopened beer and was found to be underage.

Officers noticed empty beer cans in student's room. Student admitted to drinking the beer and that she was underage.

Officers responded to the front of Kappa Delta Rho for a report of larceny. A Domino's Pizza sign had been pulled out of the side window of the delivery car causing window to break. The sign could not be located.

Unknown person(s) at Sigma Chi did intentionally throw a plastic cup of beer and shout profanity at a person jogging past the fraternity.

Sunday, February 20

An officer responded to Olin Science for the report of a broken window pane in one of the offices. A work order was submitted for repair of the broken pane.

Monday, February 21

A student reported receiving harassing phone calls, at his room in Smith Hall, from unknown caller. Investigation continuing.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

Why your press pass works better than a passport

Journalist-posing Bucknellians travel to Cuba during January break, and uncover 'eye-opening' experiences of their own

BY JEN ANDREWS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Despite the absence of a Jan Plan, many members of the campus are taking the extended break as their cue to try exotic and educational vacations.

This past January, 19 students, faculty, and administration posed as journalists and entered Cuba for an eye-opening ten day experience. The purpose of the trip, made possible by Global Exchange in San Francisco, was to examine the current situation in Cuba.

"It made us realize the bias the US media has when they report on Cuba," says, Allison Boden, University Chaplain.

Holly Parker '96, stated, "I expected to see desperately poor people struggling to eke out an existence. Instead I saw determined, proud people achieving many things in the face of great adversity."

Students were surprised by the Cuba they encountered, said Mike O'Heaney, particularly with what American newspapers reported.

The U.S. press has certain view-

points, O'Heaney said, and newspapers, such as the Miami Herald reflect the bias of the anti-Castro, Cuban-American population.

Also, many of the reports that appear on newswire services have by-lines out of Mexico City.

"It is questionable whether the journalists reporting from Mexico have even been in Havana," said O'Heaney.

The American press tends to focus on the negative aspects of Cuba, said O'Heaney. American papers indicate that Castro is weak, yet when the group visited Cuba, it appeared that support was strong.

While there, the Bucknellians stayed at the Federation of Cuban Women Guest House. They attended two to three meetings a day with journalists, clergy, professors and students. As well, they visited children's hospitals and a collective farm that focuses on pollution free agriculture.

They were able to see, firsthand, the effects of the trade embargo going on for over 30 years. The embargo has forced Cubans to undergo a new way of living.

Environmentally, Cuba has had a face lift.

"Cubans are focusing on the second generation of human rights—food, clothing, shelter, and education—not first generation like the US—right to vote, freedom of speech. As well, they have great health care and education systems," states Boden.

Strict recycling policies have been enforced to compensate for the lack of goods they need for survival. Lack of fuel and petroleum means Cubans resort to walking and biking for transportation. As a result the population has become incredibly fit and the pollution level is down, said Boden. Agriculturally, Cubans have adopted 'earth friendly' policies. They use natural fertilizers and pesticides, and plant crops that repel insects.

Boden called the trip a rewarding experience, and said, "We were teary eyed and sad to leave. The Cubans were very warm and friendly to us as Americans. They would come right up to us on the street and want to tell us their life story."

Photos clockwise from upper right: Allison Boden, University Chaplain, shows off one of the magnificent panoramic scenes in Cuba; A billboard, reading "Senior imperialists, we have absolutely no fear of you," stands across from the U.S. diplomatic interest section; Michael O'Heaney '95 and Beth Morilla '95 take a break in the shade; Karen Wiley '95 joins some of the locals at an Afro-Cuban community center; a city fair in Havana proves a popular resting spot for bicyclists; Chris Benko '98 and Mukta Dhumale '97 take a rest in the yard of Eusebio, a well-known Cuban folk artist; Cuban children show off their percussion talents.

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Weighing academic integrity against inflation

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Other departments are defensive about giving high grades because the methods of evaluation differ, and might be perceived as easier.

Departments, then, are left to split into factions. Misunderstanding and disrespect could be the products of such a rivalry, and very little positive can come out of it.

And as the history of grade inflation has proven, the system of giving higher grades perpetuates itself. Trend becomes habit, and habit might turn into practice, to the point where few remember the time when a C meant average, not failure.

WHY NO SOLUTION?

The potential problems caused by grade inflation are somewhat easy to pin-point when the causes are formally outlined and addressed. So why is the system of grading, acknowledged as detrimental to higher education, still around?

The consensus appears to be that no one wants to test the waters, and risk job or financial security in order to challenge the national trend.

Eugenia Gerdes, dean of arts and sciences, said that the complexity of describing the problem and the difficulty of finding a solution are the main reasons it has not been addressed.

"Bucknell is not alone," Gerdes said, "which makes it even harder to deal with here."

Others feel that the school is ignoring the problem, for more than financial reasons.

John Murphy, professor of English, said that the perception of some members of the faculty might be that they don't want to deal with the frustration that goes along with giving grades that are seen as low. Some, he said, give higher grades to avoid the questions and problems that an unsatisfied student might raise.

"The easiest thing to do is ignore it [grade inflation]. It is quite obvious that higher grades means less static and inquiry. We'd rather not discuss it," Murphy said.

Cooper said that the problem of grade inflation lay in the hands of administrators, even though the administration has yet to address the issue.

"People's toes have to be stepped on. We haven't had, in the last two decades, the academic leadership at the administrative level that will be responsible. It is an administrative responsibility to adjudicate this problem," Cooper said. "Faculty are like congress; they'll always give themselves a raise. You can't ask faculty to work against their own self interest voluntarily. You've got to have some kind of administrative oversight."

Student Poll on Grade Inflation



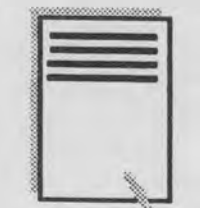
Have you ever gotten a higher grade than you thought you deserved?

Yes: 23% No: 59% No Comment: 28%



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Yes: 85% No: 10% No Comment: 5%



Do your grades affect your teacher evaluations?

Yes: 29% No: 64% No Comment: 7%



Should grades be given on a bell curve?

Yes: 27% No: 54% No Comment: 19%

The results of this poll are taken from a telephone survey given to 100 random Bucknell students. The survey was conducted by Ali Leslie '98.

Marsh said that because grade inflation was not caused by one specific problem, there was not one solution.

The vast impacts of any solution are deterring action, and "committees and administrators will avoid trying to solve problems that don't create direct damage, that suit certain parties well, and have no obvious solution. This is apparently a battle not worth fighting," Marsh said.

On another level, some deny that grade inflation exists, or is a problem. Tom Travis, professor of political science, believes that all students are capable of receiving A's and B's because of the quality of students attracted to Bucknell, and the strong teaching faculty.

Travis attributed the phenomenon of grade inflation among certain departments, saying, "It could be that some departments interact very intensively with students, so that it is possible for grade levels to be higher in average."

Travis said that various factors could explain why grades appeared to be inflated, including different testing procedures from department to department, and

the practice of peer editing. If students turn in drafts of papers to be proofread by their peers, Travis reasoned that the final copy of the paper would naturally be better, if the student corrected the problems, and would warrant a higher grade.

POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS

Solving grade inflation has proven to be even more elusive and difficult than acknowledging the problem. Solutions vary from the abstract to the concrete, yet the unwavering opinion that something should be done remains.

Dean Gerdes said that the most viable solution would be to put the median grade for each course on the transcript along with the grade that the individual student earned.

This practice, according to Marsh, would eliminate the guesswork involved in interpreting grades. Including the percentile would illustrate "the students' relative quality, rather than absolute quality" to individuals considering a student's transcript.

Cooper said that, on an individual level, if students and faculty alike "look at their own conscience" when considering the importance of grades, the problem would end on its own.

"An individual can only solve the problem for that individual," Cooper said.

If students demanded academic integrity, and ignored grade distribution, Cooper said, "people would wake up" and start to make the necessary changes.

And "if the University made a conscientious effort to insist that faculty members provide the best education, not the best grade distribution, many of the problems would be reduced," Cooper said.

According to Murphy, "we should, as a campus, sit down and talk about this, but not in a confrontational or threatening way, and before the process of grading possibly loses its integrity."

"Education is the baby, and grades are the afterbirth," Murphy said, "we need to pay attention to the baby."

This article was the final News Analysis in a series of two that investigated grade inflation.

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World News

Cabinets approve Anglo-Irish plan

The British and Irish Governments approved a common approach toward reaching a settlement in Northern Ireland, providing a framework that could bring together Protestant and Roman Catholic leaders in an effort to end 25 years of violence.

The joint position, approved separately by the British and Irish Cabinets, came after 14 months of talks between the Governments. It is designed to walk a line between reassuring the Protestant majority in Northern Ireland, which generally favors continued British rule, and making concession to the Catholic minority, most of whom favor eventual unification with the Irish Republic.

—New York Times

U.S. dismisses French spy accusations

French news reports say four diplomats and a private U.S. citizen are accused of political, economic, and military spying. The French Interior and Foreign Ministries have asked the accused to leave the country.

The U.S. State Department called the handling of the matter in France inconsistent "with the approach that allies have taken to resolve sensitive matters in the past."

The statement by spokeswoman Christine Shelly did not contain a direct denial of the French allegations, but said there was "no reason for expelling any Americans, nor is the French Government calling for it."

Shelly made no direct reference to statements by the French Foreign and Interior Ministries. Instead, she referred to "Allegations in the French press, citing French Government sources."

—Associated Press

\$20 billion aid--U.S. given policy rein

The United States and Mexico reached an agreement yesterday on a broader-than-expected rescue plan that will include the use of American funds to keep Mexico's private banks from collapsing, while effectively giving Washington veto power over much of Mexico's economic policy for the next decade.

The \$20 billion aid program, the centerpiece of an international loan package for Mexico worth about \$50 billion, is intended to restore the confidence of international investors in the Mexican economy and gradually pull the country out of its financial crisis. The accord was signed yesterday by Treasury Secretary Robert E. Rubin and Mexico's Finance Minister, Guillermo Ortiz.

—New York Times

National News

Republicans take aim at environmental statutes

Republicans plan to escalate their war on Federal regulations this week as House debate begins on a series of bills that, taken together, would fundamentally affect the enforcement of every existing environmental law.

The measures would temporarily freeze the Government's powers to make rules in virtually every area of Federal authority and strictly limit those powers in the future. But nowhere would they have greater effect than in environmental regulation, where about 20 major laws generate a steady stream of rules intended to protect health, safety, and natural resources.

The Republican proposals include a moratorium on new regulations, compensation for landowners when regulation hurt their property values and a requirement that new rules be subjected to elaborate risk assessments and cost-benefit analysis.

—New York Times

Reich pushes for raising the minimum wage

Labor Secretary Robert Reich has begun the push on Capitol Hill for raising the minimum wage.

Reich says there is no evidence that an increase would wipe out some lower-income jobs. In testimony prepared for Congress, he says that a person earning the minimum wage of four dollars, twenty-five cents an hour cannot support a family.

President Clinton has proposed raising the wage to five dollars and fifteen cents an hour over the next two years.

Reich says some studies suggest a higher wage could lead to more employment, because firms would not have to supervise their workers as much if they were better paid.

But the Republicans are not convinced. They point to studies that indicate a wage increase would mean fewer jobs for first-time job seekers.

—Associated Press

Louganis tests positive for AIDS virus

Diving great Greg Louganis says that he is HIV-positive. The only man to sweep diving gold medals at consecutive Olympics says that he was HIV-positive when he cut open his head, hitting the springboard while competing in the 1988 games in Seoul, South Korea.

In an interview on "20/20," which will air tomorrow evening, Louganis says that he was stitched at that time by a doctor who was not aware that he was HIV-positive and was not wearing gloves.

—Associated Press

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Bucknellian must take responsibility for condoning violent actions

TO THE EDITOR:

In the past three weeks *The Bucknellian* has printed five articles concerning abortion. All five of these articles have contained what I would consider to be an anti-choice message. In particular, articles and letters by Michael Krechmer, John Stith, and Luke Bragg have contained the dangerous message that the recent violence of the anti-choice movement should be overlooked as fanaticism, or dismissed as an inevitable part of a social movement. In doing so, writers for *The Bucknellian* must take responsibility for condoning and trivializing violent actions.

In his Feb. 9 article, Bragg directly contradicts himself, stating that he is "staunchly pro-choice" and then stating that "Pro-choicers have no moral ground to stand on ... We must teach personal responsibility of actions, not abortion on demand." He also justifies the murderous actions of Paul Hill by comparing him to anti-abortionist John Brown, and labeling him "an honest man of integrity" and a "crusader." Similarly, Stith and Krechmer compare the protests of anti-choice terrorists to the Civil Rights Movement and Vietnam peace protests. Krechmer further asserts that the protests of the anti-choice movement outside of women's health care clinics have been misrepresented, despite the routine beatings and verbal abuse which are regularly part of such demonstrations. In reality, women's lives are being threatened everyday and our constitutional rights are being blocked by terrorism.

Both Bragg and Krechmer justify the actions of extremists, admitting individual commitment to personal convictions. To me, convictions based on murdering and terrorizing others in the name of "life" are not admirable! Further, these actions represent more than a "radical fringe" — they convey the sentiment of the anti-choice movement. According to *The New York Times*, as of March 1992 the "pro-life" movement had "bombed or set fire to more than 100 clinics over the past 15 years, invaded more than 300, and vandalized more than 400." Since this time, terrorism has escalated and more extreme actions have further exposed the true character of this movement. The March 1993 killing of Dr. David Gunn was followed by the July 1994 murder of Dr. John B. Britton and a volunteer, James H. Barrett. Last month John Salvi III, a member of the "pro-life" movement, allegedly opened fire with a machine gun in three medical clinics, murdering Shannon Lowmyer and Leanne Nichols and wounding five other people.

Reminiscent memories of Dominican studies abroad remain close to the heart

TO THE EDITOR:

As I sit here 30,000 miles above the Dominican Republic, I see the familiar mountainous landscape slide past me as an overwhelming sad calmness comes over me. All my years have been shed for this mysterious place. My tears have come in silence at times and at others with such a great force that I was not in control of my own feelings. This mix of emotions is very unexpected for me since at one time all I could do was count down the days to my departure.

Those mountains contained so many adventures. In fact daily life was constantly a new adventure. I had not lived a day unless I could tell a story of some kind of proportion. Let me see if I can remember some of my many stories.

There were the first sounds and sights of Santiago that came to mind. My bedroom window was adjacent to the street which allowed me every morning at 5 a.m. to hear the cackle of the neighbor's rooster. Following that would come the mopeds, trucks, and of course the mules. There were these women that passed by on mules selling fruit each day yelling at the top of their lungs, "Avocados, oranges, mangos and chinola!" Some mornings I loved to hear the sounds of their strident voices, but other times all I wanted to do was sleep.

Then there were all my concho rides. Conchos were old dilapidated Toyotas, Mazdas, and a few Chevys that acted as public transportation. The drivers tried to shove, push, or pull six to ten people into the car which led to many interesting experiences. To describe the situation better, there were two to three people in the front seat which led to the middle person sitting literally on top of the gear shift while the driver and that person tried to operate the shift. Then in the back there were four to five people. On a good day I would

have the back seat to myself, and those were beautiful days. I remember one time when my driver and I got in an argument over the price of the ride because, since I was an American, they liked to cheat me. But after a few weeks, I realized this and started to fight for what I knew was right. I refused to pay the amount he wanted since I knew the price was fixed (just like a bus fare). The next thing I knew my money and I were standing in the middle of the road.

My beliefs in general are very strong and liberal which puts one to the test in such a conservative society like the Dominican. Life centers around the men, and even though more and more women are starting to work, it is still the male population that comes first. Women are not permitted to live outside their houses until they are married, and then they are immediately expected to have a family. So it comes as quite a shock when they found out that for three years I have not lived at home, and worse yet, lived 500 miles from my parent's home. Also, they did not understand how Americans could have so many opinions about everything. However, when it came to politics, American or Dominican, they knew it all. I remember the first time I was asked if I supported Balaguer as the Dominican president. I was guffawed with no opinion whatsoever.

The biggest thing I miss though are my kids! I volunteered for an organization called Children International. This is an American based organization that obtains American sponsors for children in approximately ten different countries. These sponsors give 12 dollars a month to these children so that they will receive an education, health care, birthday and Christmas presents,

and much more. (If any wishes to sponsor a child I highly recommend this program because I can vouch for its validity). My job consisted of working in a rural community school twice a week. I was to set up a recreational program that emphasized cooperation and teamwork, but what happened was that I fell in love with 60 children. I learned children's songs in Spanish while I taught them songs in English. I looked forward to every meeting with them. And when I left to catch my bus back to the city each day I always had a group of followers that not only tugged on my arms but also on my heart strings.

No one can beat the Dominican heart, it is so warm and open to all. They are so nice and ready to help others. So many times I was lost in the countryside, and all I had to do was ask, and I was swept into a car or down a sidewalk to show me my destination. The phrase so popular to the Dominicans is, "I am at your order."

The Dominican Republic gave me its share of ups and downs. It made me a much stronger person in my beliefs, opinions, ideas, and understanding of life. Every day in this Caribbean hideaway was an adventure, even those days that were supposed to be boring. There is so much I miss like the loud merengue music everywhere, friends, being called nina (little girl), Barcelo anejo, Presidente, Quisqueya, rice, beans, churros, mango, chinola, dominoes, dancing the merengue, and speaking Spanish to just name a few. So now I head north to where the weather is chilling, vibrant colors are a spring memory, and life is a world away. However, my Dominican memories will always be close to my heart.

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EDITORIAL

Student opinion fails to resurrect Jan Plan

Jan Plan is dead. Again. And while we understand the faculty's decision to reject the proposal advanced by Professor Peeler to reinstate a modified version of the Jan Plan, we don't understand why it is that some faculty members paid little regard to students' views on the issue.

According to two student surveys that Bucknell Student Government (BSG) conducted last week a majority of students polled felt that the University should reinstate the Jan Plan. Despite Scott Charles '96, BSG president, presenting this information to the faculty at their Feb. 20 meeting, faculty members voted down Peeler's proposal. The information that Charles presented fell on deaf ears, it seems.

With the results that BSG reported, and the decision the faculty made, we wonder why the faculty voted the way they did. We wonder why the faculty seemed to disregard the infor-

mation about student support of Jan Plan, and proceeded to follow their own agenda.

Reinstating the Jan Plan would have required much time, energy, and fiscal resources. In a time of "direction-setting" and budget-cutting so that the University can maintain a solid financial base, we can understand that reinstating the Jan Plan might have been more of a cost to the University than a benefit.

Yet, if members of the faculty went into the meeting with the mindset that they would oppose the proposal, what was the purpose of BSG's efforts to inform the student body?

Perhaps faculty members felt that students polled did not have a clear understanding of the Jan Plan, and all ramifications involved in reinstating the program. Maybe they thought that students were not as educated about all the aspects of the program as they should have been. But if some faculty members did indeed

feel that students were not as educated as they should have been about problems involved with reinstating the Jan Plan, and therefore could not have made an informed decision, why did the faculty not take adequate steps to inform students? BSG did a good job in attempting to accurately represent students' views, but its efforts were useless if faculty members ignored the survey results.

Students are at the University for four years; faculty members spend much of their lives at Bucknell. University decisions obviously affect faculty members more than students. But students expect, and rightly feel, that if their student government exists so that it can accurately represent them, then the faculty should at least consider student input as a vital aspect of their decision-making process.

Was this the case when it comes to deciding about Jan Plan. We think not.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Clinton's decision for Surgeon General was not a "blind" one

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to the article by John Stith from the Feb. 16 *The Bucknellian* titled, "Washington's Liberal Elite Blinded by It's Own Ideology." In his article, Stith attacks the "liberal elite" as being "lost in its own little world." My main objection to this piece is based on Stith's evidence of why the "liberal elite" are so out of touch with the American public. He decries the fact that Clinton's nomination for Surgeon General, Dr. Henry Foster, has performed abortions in his career as an obstetrician/gynecologist. Stith implies that nominating a doctor who has performed this procedure is another "stupid" decision made by those out-of-touch ideologues who surround the President.

Such reasoning strongly parallels the arguments made by leaders of the anti-abortion movement, who have similarly criticized Clinton for this decision. But in examining this claim, it is crucial to remember that abortion is legal and constitutional. Furthermore, performing abortions is one important element of an obstetrician/gynecologist's occupation! The conclusion one draws from Stith's reasoning (and other conservatives, such as Rush Limbaugh, who have criticized Clinton regarding this selection) is that an appropriate choice for Surgeon General would have been an obstetrician/gynecologist who had never performed an abortion. The implication of this argument is like nominating a Supreme Court Justice who has never handed down a sentence, a ridiculous line of reasoning. By suggesting that a person is unfit for a public position because they have done their job, Stith supports the far-right agenda of black-balling, harassing, and condemning doctors who perform abortions, which some anti-abortionists have called "the weak link" in their campaign of terror.

Aside from the question of legality, Clinton was not "blind" to select an obstetrician/gynecologist with experience in abortion, because most Americans (like Clinton) support abortion rights. This conclusion is not based on any poll (both sides of the abortion debate have their favorite polls, so it hardly seems worth it to have that exchange) but on a piece in the Feb. 16 *The Buck-*

nellian. In the article, it is noted that 45,000 people came to the national rally against abortion rights in Washington, D.C. over January. By way of comparison, over 800,000 people marched on Washington in April 1992, in what was clearly the largest protest involving the abortion issue in the history of our country. In other words, people have repeatedly voted in favor of women's access to reproductive rights with public protests. There has been no equivalent protest against nominating people to government positions who have performed abortions.

The bitter irony of this entire issue is that the real mistake Clinton made was to fire Jocelyn Elders in the first place. I cannot honestly understand how anyone could say Clinton is "blinded by his own ideology" when he was so willing to abandon an excellent Surgeon General simply to appease the far right. When Stith writes that "nominating a person who many conservatives were bound to demonize was likely a mistake," he essentially encourages Clinton to make this decision based on the reaction of the far-right minority.

Stith deserves great praise for writing a weekly column on contemporary issues. In general I enjoy reading his pieces, particularly because he has used his column to discuss highly topical problems which are inadequately discussed on our campus, including AIDS and homophobia. But this week I was compelled to write, for I could not believe that Stith would write "Clinton has too many skeletons in the closet for most moderates to stomach..." concerns about marijuana and not serving in the military among them." Obviously, the "moderates" Stith is referring to were willing to overlook these "concerns" when he was elected President. This kind of statement only promotes the belief that Clinton is not sufficiently conservative. If anything, we should be urging Clinton to stand up for whatever ideology he has.

As a final point, it is worth pointing out that the repeated use of the word "blind" as a metaphor for senseless decision-making is simply crude.

JOEL WAINWRIGHT '95
FEBRUARY 21, 1995

United States policy towards Cuba perpetuates injustice

TO THE EDITOR:

For ten days this past January, a delegation of Bucknell students, faculty, staff and community members participated in a "Reality Tour" of Cuba with Global Exchange, a non-profit, non-partisan organization based in San Francisco. Global Exchange is committed to creating "people to people" ties between the "first" and "third" worlds. We brought back with us numerous impressions and memories, but most importantly we returned with a mandate from the people with whom we met in Cuba to help expose their situation to people here in the United States. These are some of our impressions.

The government of the United States has been actively involved in a campaign to destroy the revolutionary socio-economic and political system in Cuba for the past 35 years. During the last two years, President Clinton, with the support of Congress, has strengthened the blockade of the island nation. This blockade, the main tool in the U.S. policy, is essentially aimed at breaking the spirit of the Cuban people in the hopes that they will dismantle the revolution themselves, at little direct cost to the United States. Claiming the moral high ground, our government has criticized the human rights record of the Cuban government, condemning a state that has guaranteed employment, housing, free education through university, and health care for all its people. While the U.S. government trades with human rights violators like China and Indonesia, and has sought closer relations with states like Vietnam and North Korea, it has reinvigorated the campaign of fear, hate and misperception against innocent Cuban victims.

While in Cuba we often asked ourselves "what have these people done to deserve the title 'enemy'?" The longevity of the Cuban revolution and Fidel Castro, despite varied attempts at

overthrowing both the system and its leader, is a thorn in Washington's side. Importantly, one Cuban pointed out to us that the policy of the U.S. government is an extension of the Monroe Doctrine. Our government finds it intolerable to have a state ninety miles south of Florida that does not play by the rules of the United States. Cuba remains a beacon for the people of the Caribbean, hemisphere and indeed, the world. It is one of the few remaining examples of a state that has succeeded in finding an alternative to capitalism and that has continuously attempted to provide for the good of the people. One of its most unspeakable crimes is that it has attempted to show others the possibility of alternatives, thumbing its independent nose at the United States all the while.

The fall of socialism in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe ended favorable trade links for Cuba, sending its economy reeling. But the end of these links, and the end of the Cold War globally, seemingly ended one of the strong reasons for the blockade of Cuba. One must question if Cuba can still be categorized as a security threat. Nonetheless, bowing to domestic political pressure from wealthy Cuban-American groups, our government has stepped up the sanctions, which includes a blockade of food, medical supplies, oil, raw materials and parts for industry and many other human necessities. Not only does Washington choose to isolate Cuba, but strong-arms anyone that does business in or with our country to follow this same policy. In Cuba, it became very apparent that the long-standing U.S. effort to bring the country to its knees is finally having its intended disastrous consequences.

The government of the United States apparently fears the infants, children, women and elderly of Cuba, for as they are the worst hit by the blockade, presumably they must be "the ene-

my."

We failed to find reason to demonize the Cuban people. We were welcomed warmly everywhere we went and treated with a kindness and generosity many of us had not experienced in the United States.

The Cuban people are a warm and caring, strong and brave, resilient and spirited people. If our government has anything to fear it is the strength and patience of the Cuban people. They do not want to lose the fruits of their revolution. This was clearly portrayed to us time after time by almost everyone with whom we met.

Along with being a violation of human rights and international law, and having been condemned by a resolution of the United Nations General Assembly, the blockade of Cuba is a violation of the constitutional rights of every American citizen. We had to fly through a third country and apply for special visas to travel to Cuba legally; these are not available to most citizens. The blockade actively restricts the free flow of thought and information to and from Cuba. This policy not only injures Cubans (several academics, students, and researchers told us of their inability to stay on top of current ideas in their fields), but contributes to the fountain of misinformation in this country about Cuba. While U.S. citizens remain largely ignorant of one of our closest neighbors, our government is involved in an insidious campaign to destroy the health, lives and spirit of the Cuban people.

Cuba is by no means perfect. The human rights claim finds most of its support in the denial of absolute freedom to express "anti-revolutionary" sentiment or criticism openly. Still, Cuba is engaged in a very important process of conversation around these issues, and to those on the trip who had traveled to Cuba before, the atmo-

sphere appeared much more open. Several Cubans also reminded us to bear in mind that Cuba has one of the best health and education systems in the world, debatably providing for those human rights to a higher degree than even our own government.

While remaining critical of the Cuban government, we find it necessary to condemn the U.S. policy towards Cuba. We find it intolerable that our government advocates and enacts a policy that denies medicine to newborns, milk to children, paper, pencils and books to students, materials to scientists, and many other necessities that make the functioning of a society possible. Perhaps most importantly, we recognize that our government's policies deny the freedoms of choice, aspiration and hope to a people with whom we share so many commonalities.

The Cuban people have proven to the world, and most recently to us, that power in the hands of the people can create amazing results. We challenge you to look more deeply into this issue. Remember, it is our government, through our representatives, that is perpetuating this policy of injustice. The power to change this situation rests in all of us.

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GOP welfare cuts necessary

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

The strong belief of individuality, coupled with equally strong beliefs in economic freedom and a free market capitalist economy, have influenced heavily the Republican debates over social welfare policies. The new Republican "Contract with America" plans to cut federal welfare spending by \$23 billion to fiscal 1994 levels and freeze it for the next five years to help fund a tax break and the deficit reduction. Rep. Harold Ford, a Democrat of Tennessee says "we're taking from the poor disabled, down-trodden children to pay for your tax cuts." The Republicans claim they need to decide between the deserving and the undeserving. Rep. Clay Shaw, a Republican from Florida replied "if we can be assured of taking care of the truly needy and getting rid of the greedy, that's what we are trying to do in welfare reform."

If the Republicans are to finance a scaled-back tax-cut package and take significant steps toward balancing the budget by the twentieth century, many federal programs cannot be spared. The federal budget must be cut, and welfare is the first place the knives should swing. Economists agree the current federal welfare system undermines the work ethic, perpetuates the cycle of dependency, saps ambition, and diminishes parental control over the family creating generations incapable of supporting themselves. The GOP Personal Responsibility Act calls for strict time limits on welfare dependence to force many of the five million parents receiving aid for their children into the work place. Capitalism, with its emphasis on hard work and individual initiative, suggests that though not true in all cases, poverty is the result of a person's unwillingness to work or to work hard enough. A Federal Welfare system only works as an incentive for people to quit working and to take a free ride: running counter to traditional American beliefs in the virtue of individual self-reliance and earning one's own subsistence.

The Democrats believe poverty is a result of flaws in the economic system. The free market often fails society and it's the government's job to take care of people. But government intervention is more often than not ineffective, and ends up having effects exactly opposite of those intended. Republicans are wary of the high cost and uncertain side effects that often attend centralized programs. The nation enjoyed a span of economic prosperity under Reagan. He cut the size of government, strengthened the free market, limited the power of the bureaucracy, and limited the expansion of the welfare state, reversing the 1970's trend toward a bigger and more intrusive government.

Little interference in the economy leaves a sphere of wide latitude for individual initiative and decision making. Individual freedom results in economic efficiency. The welfare safety net breeds lazy, undeserving, unemployed people.

BY JOHN STITH

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Since November's elections, gay issues on the national level have been a moot point. Gays, lesbians, and bisexuals continue to be thrown out of their families, fired from their jobs, or beaten and harassed because of their identity. Gay couples continue to be denied a marriage certificate and kept out of mainstream culture because of their sexual preference. But most straight Americans, who as a group continue to drift in a conservative direction, could hardly care less.

The situation is ironic, for if America is to return to its much-lauded "traditional values" it must address our very un-American treatment of people who are gay. Our traditional, national ideals of liberty, equality, and freedom of religion are threatened by the way gays are treated both by the law and by anti-gay individuals.

"Liberty" is withheld from our gay friends and relatives in many ways. The stigma attached to being gay prevents many of them from even talking about their sexual identity. In a larger context, many Americans' distaste for anything gay keeps homosexuality out of most movies, television shows, textbooks, and civic organizations. (For a Bucknell-style example, consider the limits on the depiction of Matt's sex life on *Melrose Place*). Sure there are gay movies and books if you look for them, but how many of us do? We enjoy a good romantic TV show about a man and a woman, but any depiction of gay love and commitment quickly sends us changing the channel.

The law puts even more serious limits on liberty. Gay sex is still

OPINIONS

an incomplete guide to the STUDENT BODY

The Nice Guy: Distinguishing Features: looks like someone you would want your grandmother to meet, smells like Alka Seltzer, assumes the air of a small innocent. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Describes self as "a sensitive character" (in the name). Favorite Recreational Activities: "sitting in the car" and "listening to the radio." Favorite Food: "apple pie." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Mr. Smooth: Distinguishing Features: ship-baiter (lots of get) with optional add-ons, never more than a minor family of Canadian lumberjacks, smells like maple syrup, has looked up with half the company. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Describes self as: "a nice guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Mr. Tough Guy: Distinguishing Features: dirty looking, two days worth of beard, hangs out in the weight room, claims to have slept with half the campus. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Role Model: "Alan Fanning." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Rebel Boy: Distinguishing Features: long hair, permanently greasy, full of religious indignation, doesn't remember his name. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

The Throat: Distinguishing Features: both makes and imitates prison noises, one time arrested for the judge. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Describes self as: "a nice guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Wife in Training: Distinguishing Features: wears mini-skirts to class, and makes the "I'm not a Nice Guy" sound. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Describes self as: "a nice guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Flawless Ice Cream: Distinguishing Features: never melts, always in the freezer, never melts, always in the freezer. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Describes self as: "a nice guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Natural Woman: Distinguishing Features: wears "I'm not a Nice Guy" t-shirts, always in the freezer, never melts, always in the freezer. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Describes self as: "a nice guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Prozac Poster Girl: Distinguishing Features: She is permanently smiling and looking like a water bottle. The lyrics to "I Will Survive" are etched on her belt. Considers about her appearance. Favorite Phrase: "I'm not a Nice Guy." Favorite Recreational Activities: "going to the bar." Favorite "Madness" character: "Alan Fanning." Compatible with: "anyone who is not a 'Nice Guy'."

Anti-gay discrimination is against traditional values

illegal in a score of states, and various attacks on gays continue with few official attempts to address the problem. The October double-murder of two gay men in Laurel, Mississippi, as well as the November arrest of Gary Ray Bowles, who is accused of the serial murder of six gay men, are just the most recent illustrations of the dangers gays, lesbians, and bisexuals face because of their sexuality.

"Equality" is the next of our traditional values that gay Americans deserve. In most places people can be fired because the person wishing landlords can refuse to rent an apartment because the person wishing to rent is gay. When other groups in our history were subject to such discrimination (such as Catholics and African-Americans), they fought for their "equal rights." Yet as the gay community stands up for its "equal rights," most people accuse them of wanting "special rights."

That's right—every time you've heard politicians promise to hold the line against "special rights for gays," what they mean is that they will fight any laws that could stop anti-gay discrimination. Senator Jesse Helms has introduced a bill that would prohibit federal employees from starting any gay and lesbian employee associations. The current situation, where federally employed gays are free to have meetings just like federally employed Latinos, federally employed Weight Watchers, or any other group, is in Senator Helms' mind, a "special right." Does this make sense to you?

Clearly, funding for AIDS research is another question of equality. As this disease has hit the gay community especially hard, it is imperative that AIDS continue to be treated in the same way as any other disease in the allocation of research dollars. A distaste or hatred of ho-

mosexuality cannot be allowed to affect these vital decisions.

The final traditional value we must respect is the freedom of religion. As long as a religious belief doesn't cause someone physical harm, it has always been our ideal that a person should be allowed to follow it. Yet when gay people believe that they can marry just like anyone else, and join a church (such as the 40,000-member Metropolitan Community Church) which agrees, freedom of religion goes out the window. Marriage certificates (and the privileges that go with them) are not allowed for gay couples. Changing this exclusive law would cause no persecution of any couples, and would only strengthen the commitment and stability of any couples.

Obviously, a church which does not wish to hold gay marriage ceremonies shouldn't have to. People who believe marriage can only exist between a man and woman can continue to hold their belief. But why should our supposedly "neutral" laws continue to endorse that belief and follow the same policy? By excluding gay couples from marriage, our Constitution, intended to protect the rights of minorities from majorities which disagree, is once again being flouted.

Urvashi Vaid, who has been named one of Time magazine's "50 Young American Leaders," will speak at Bucknell this evening. In her work as executive director of the National Gay and Lesbian Task Force, Ms. Vaid truly served American ideals and American values. Someday soon, gays, lesbians, and bisexuals will enjoy full liberty, equality, and freedom, and America will have triumphed once again over bigotry. Until then, welcome, Urvashi Vaid.

Described as a "clash of absolutes," Abortion remains a moot issue

the latter, finding myself not the type to be pushed out of anything that gives meaning to my life just because other people are trying to dictate what that meaning should be.

Mostly, despite all my activism and dedication to reproductive rights, I feel that the issue is for the most part a moot point that is never dealt with in the seriousness or the honesty it deserves—especially among my fellow Catholics. Abortion is, as Harvard Law Professor Lawrence Tribe dubbed it, "a clash of absolutes." On one side, you have advocates of varying degrees equating the constitutional right to an abortion with murder. On the other side, there are those that advocate it as a constitutional right, an issue of the utmost privacy, and essential to women as equal members of society. I could write out all the reasons why I believe that abortion must remain legal, although nothing I could possibly write will change minds on this issue. The idea has been to have a pro-choice/ pro-life debate on campus, which for me brings to mind a hot room full of people screaming the obvious back and forth at each other, achieving nothing but severed nerves, tempers, and bitterness. I think most people realize this, which is why a majority of Americans when polled, favor legal abortion even if they themselves believe it to be morally wrong and would never exercise the right. This majority of Americans appears, as I fight back my own cynicism, to believe in the integrity of the religious ideal of childhood and communion dresses, or that it has a special meaning meaning where you cherish the best of what faith in God has to offer and fight to maintain your own best ideal. I have chosen

ground. We all have consciences, like it or not.

I attended the lecture given by a pro-life activist on campus last semester. Aside from the fact that I totally disagreed with most of her points, I was greatly disappointed by the lack of candor the speaker showed in discussing the opposing viewpoints. For the sake of productive discourse, each side must give the other as good as they would expect to receive. I was greatly impressed by the cartoon in the booklet handed out to the audience that depicted violence towards women as a joke and political ploy. I realize that if pro-life activists would return the dignity that they were given, then they would stay away from the simply erroneous term "pro-abortion." They would also have to acknowledge the complexity of the issue as well as the hypocrisy represented by such pro-life politicians as Newt Gingrich. Any sincere pro-choice/ pro-life teller who that Draconian welfare reform which entails not providing for additional children born to recipients is anti-choice because it unfairly interferes with a woman's decision. I remember Dan Quayle, the purveyor of family values, admitting during the 1988 campaign that he would recommend that a victim of rape go to a hospital and get a D and C operation (I guess he'll never be surgeon general either). Both of the nuns Anna Quindlen wrote about said how working in places such as poorer parishes or juvenile homes made them explore their consciences and ultimately led them to broaden their world beyond the male Catholic patriarchy.

I remember a girl in high school who told me her story and begged me to listen to her, but to please not tell anyone else. She found out she was pregnant

with her abusive boyfriend's child after months of continuing to take the pill, a disaster for the fetus. The doctors told her she would have to make up her sixteen year old mind because she probably could not carry the pregnancy to term and was already running major risks. She decided to terminate the pregnancy. "Don't ever let the doctors tell you they don't touch you," she whispered to me. She described how she practically got her coat torn off going inside the clinic. She painfully miscarried two weeks later and had to be protected from her boyfriend in the recovery room. Yet all she ever talked about was how much she did want to have children and how that baby might have made her boyfriend into Ward Cleaver.

As we forgo honest discussion about the issue of abortion, we surrender any hope for finding the issue's underlying problems—not the fundamentalist deviant society we live in that makes abortions necessary, but rather the fact that most young girls have babies because they have nothing else to dream about. These are the babies to save, the young mothers and their children.

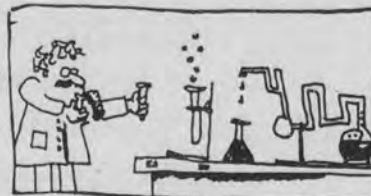
Yet, I am sure this column is falling on deaf and furious ears. You cannot persuade people on the issue of abortion, nor can you demonize either side. I know many sincere people who oppose abortion. Still, the curse of nagging spirituality lingers on. Life consists of many realities we cannot fathom, yet we try to do our best to develop our consciences and live in peace. This is why I believe Roe v. Wade is the only way to preserve that peace, as well as the integrity of discourse and conscience in America.

The Opinions section is always looking for new columnists. Don't hesitate to call Carolyn at Ext. 4405!

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Science, Health, and Technology



A sleepless scientist—Chernin defies all formulas

BY SARAH CATLIN

"If you were to ask me when I graduated college, with a bachelors degree in biology, what I planned to do the rest of my life I probably would have said, 'I have absolutely no idea.' I never would have predicted I would be sitting in this chair right now," said Mitchell Chernin, associate professor of biology.

So how is it that Professor Chernin ended up in his chair on the second floor of the Rooker Biology Building, eating his lunch at around 3 p.m. on a Saturday afternoon?

The lunch at 3 p.m. has an easy explanation. His nine year old daughter's town basketball team took the Davis gymnasium floor during halftime of the Bucknell women's basketball game earlier that afternoon. As coach and father he witnessed the tragic 4-0 loss. The half-time game moved lunch later into the afternoon.

The difficult question to answer is how he ended up at Bucknell. Perhaps it was fate that brought Chernin here ten years ago. Chernin grew up in Long Island, New York. He then traveled north to the University of Massachusetts, and then onto Dartmouth College where he received his degree in marine biology. At the University of Guam he moved on to earn his masters in coral reef ecology. His Ph.D. in zoology (with an emphasis on molecular genetics) came from Clemson University in South Carolina.

The three years leading up to his present position on the second floor of the Biology Building were spent working on his post-doctorate at Columbia University, which was completely on the subject of molecular biology. He also managed to teach four years of high school, which he said eased his adjustment to the life of a Bucknell professor.

Presently Chernin teaches biology 202 (the third core course for biology majors), molecular biology 327, and biochemical methods (a course that is cross listed with chemistry as part of the cell biology/biochemistry program). On top of his course load, Chernin also has research projects that he does with 12 to 18

undergraduate students.

While these research projects involve the fewest number of students, they still take up the most amount of time. Yet, Chernin said, "It's really rewarding. Particularly with those students who stay on a year, year and a half. I couldn't do the research I do if it wasn't for the undergraduate students."

Presently, Chernin and the students are working on two major projects. The first of the two started as the result of a seminar given by Dr. Ken Baker who works at the Weis Center for Research. Chernin and Baker started to develop communications between the Weis Center and the University's biology and chemistry departments.

"We look at the genes that are responsible for regulating the blood pressure. We really have been focusing on the hormone called Angiotensin II, which is responsible for regulating blood pressure and fluid volume. We have some very strong evidence that it's a growth factor, and may be directly responsible for cardiac growth and cardiac disease." The research has gone so well that Chernin and three students have written up the results and will try to publish in the premier science journal, *Science*.

The second project Chernin described as "looking at the regulation of calcium phosphate deposition in bones. One of the things we've been playing around with is trying to make a direct fusion between the prosthetic device, usually a titanium metal alloy, and bone. The best they can do now is a millimeter gap between the prosthesis and bone. They fill that in with a cement, one that will last up to 15 to 20 years. However, sooner or later it's going to wear out. It would be ideal if the prosthetic device and bone could fuse as one piece. We have some crazy ideas we are trying out."

Chernin pointed out that one of the bonuses for doing research at Bucknell is that there is no pressure to "publish or perish." While he hesitated to say the research was "better" at Bucknell, Chernin said he liked doing research here because, "you can do different types of research. I personally think it's more chal-



Lori Ann Woods—The Bucknellian

It's been a long road for Mitchell Chernin, associate professor of biology, to get to this seat. Before coming to Bucknell, his pursuit for scientific knowledge took him from Long Island to several states and another country.

enging, but that's a personal preference."

The bone project has also been successful and has two papers already published on the subject. One paper that was published this fall was "able to show that bone cells that are cancerous develop resistance to drugs differently than bone cells that are not cancerous. That has a lot of implications in terms of therapy for the cancer," said Chernin.

The work itself was initiated by an undergraduate student who did some work in orthopedic research during high school in Pittsburgh at the Allegheny General Hospital. Chernin talked to the group at the hospital and "realized we could complement each other's work. It has been a successful collaboration ever

since." The collaboration was so successful that Chernin spent his sabbatical in Pittsburgh last year. Chernin explained that it was extremely nice to spend time doing the research because that is what he was trained to do while earning his Ph.D. Being a professor does not allow for "that sort of research."

However, Bucknell does not have to fear losing this man to research, he likes teaching too much. "You know when the light bulb goes on in the students. That makes it all worthwhile," he said.

Chernin finds this reward in his "working vacation," teaching class in the Virgin Islands during the summer and in teaching his semester classes. But he is particularly proud of his work done in re-

search with students. "Bucknell gives, especially undergraduates, an opportunity to see whether or not they really want to do research. It's probably the best thing we can offer as educators," he said.

On top of all that science, Chernin finds time for committees and department duties, golf with his son, and computer games. When school lets out for the summer one can find him in a lab with his student assistants, playing softball, or having a barbecue. Of course, he only sleeps four hours a day, so he has many hours for all of his activities. This leads to the three rules his lab assistants must live by: no work on Friday nights, don't call before 10 a.m. on weekends, and work hard, play hard.

What's up, Doc? Student health questions...



I've always been told not to stick anything smaller than my elbow in my ear, but I think it's good to use Q-tips in my ears after showering. Is this okay? Why or why not?

The advice that your grandmother gave you to only put your elbow in your ear was absolutely medically appropriate... and make sure you only put your right elbow in your right ear, not the other way around!

The anatomy of the ear canal is exquisitely designed to protect and to clean itself; the introduction of any foreign body in general, Q-tips in particular, disrupt this basic design. The natural oils and "wax" that is secreted in the canal protect it, much like the paint on your car protects the sheet metal underneath. The wax also functions as "nature's fly paper" trapping environmental pollutants, dust, grime, and debris. When a Q-tip (bobby-pin or paper clip) is inserted in the canal, the accumulated debris is pushed medially toward the ear drum, where it should not be. As the Q-tip is removed, the protective oils and wax on the canal walls are also removed. Without these naturally protective elements, the canal is at risk for infection, i.e., otitis externa, better known as Swimmer's Ear. It is almost impossible to contract this type of infection without first having used Q-tips or other implements in one's ear canals.

There are individuals who secrete rather abundant amounts of ear wax. The wax, on rare occasions, may occlude the canal. When this happens, a quick trip to your family doctor can provide relief in a number of ways. I don't recommend syringing or OTC products such as Debrox. There is always a potential risk of perforation of the ear drum, or introducing fluids into an already ruptured ear drum.

You'll always be safe by remembering the eleventh commandment: "Thou shalt put nothing in thine ear, but thine own elbow."

Don Stechschulte, MD
Student Health Service

I've noticed that a lot of my friends try not to eat any fat through the course of the day by eating fat free foods. Is this a good way to lose weight and be in good physical condition? Is it even possible not to consume any fat?

Healthy eating requires a balanced intake of nutrients. To function properly the body must receive adequate proteins, carbohydrates, fats, minerals, vitamins and fluids. Even though it is possible to eat a zero fat diet, a diet completely lacking in

one of these components is not healthy and leads to poor dietary habits. Fats are needed by the body to form cell membranes, steroid hormones (estrogen, testosterone, cortisone, etc.) brain tissue and nerve sheaths, for insulation, fuel, and padding organs. It is true that fat has twice the caloric value of protein and carbohydrates, per ounce. Consequently, for every substitution of low fat food for a high fat food of the same weight, the caloric intake is less. However, the current US recommendations for a healthy diet are that no more than 30% of calories should come from fat. Even the extremely low fat, purportedly heart disease reversing diet, by Dean Ornish get 10-20% of its calories from fat. Physical conditioning is related to activity level rather than diet.

Lessa Brill, MD
Student Health Service

If AIDS can be passed on only through sexual contact, why are athletic teams given such strict rules that players cannot play while they're bleeding and all blood has to be cleaned up before play continues?

AIDS can be passed from one person to another by other means than sexual contact. The AIDS virus is present not only in semen, vaginal secretions, and saliva, but also in blood. When there is active bleeding incurred during an athletic event, every attempt is made to stop the bleeding and prevent direct contact with blood or blood soaked uniforms and equipment.

The two most significant bloodborne infections are AIDS and Hepatitis B. As of this writing, there has not been a record of a definitive transmission of the AIDS virus between athletes. Hepatitis B has been transmitted between Sumo wrestlers in Japan. However, the potential for infection is real and well worth taking precautions.

As you have probably noticed, all athletic trainers take "Universal precautions" when dealing with a bleeding athlete. The assumption is made that all blood is potentially infectious resulting in the training staff using latex gloves when dealing with athletes' (or any other) blood. Naturally, certain sports, such as wrestling, have a much higher potential for infection because of the type of contact.

Another means of protecting yourself is by becoming vaccinated against the Hepatitis B virus. The American College Health Association, the American Academy of Family Practice, and the American Academy of Pediatrics endorse having college-aged students immunized against Hepatitis B. Presently this vaccination is not required of entering Bucknell students, but this may be something to strongly consider.

The bottom line is an ounce of prevention in the use of gloves, appropriate treatment, cleansing and covering of bleeding wounds and basic immunizations, is well worth a pound of cure... because there is no cure for either AIDS or Hepatitis B.

Don Stechschulte, MD
Student Health Service

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LIFESTYLES

Football alumnus tackles a different challenge with poetry

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Even though English became his major, Smith did not write any poetry until after he graduated from Bucknell. In fact, had Smith not met another Bucknell graduate, he might not have written any poetry at all. "Peter Balakian [73] and I both got jobs at the same school in New Jersey," said Smith. "He was a student of Wheatcroft, too." Balakian's influence started Smith on his way to a successful poetry career.

Smith currently has three books of poetry published, *The Common Wages*, *Silver and Information*, and *Mercy Seat*. *Silver and In-*

formation won the open manuscript competition of the National Poetry series, and *Mercy Seat* has been nominated for the National Book Award. His poems have been published in various anthologies and in magazines and journals.

His work has resulted in many honors. Smith has received grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Kenan Foundation, and the Massachusetts Artists Foundation. He was a fellow at the Fine Arts Work Center in Provincetown, Massachusetts, and he has also held residencies at the MacDowell Colony in New Hamp-

shire.

Inspiration for Smith's poetry comes from almost everywhere. "I'm influenced by everything," he said. "I'm very impressionable. I write about work. I write about what it means to be a white man in America in the 90s."

Despite his long career with football, which he played in high school along with baseball, basketball, and track, Smith finds it difficult to write about his playing experience. "It's hard for me to translate that experience into a poem," he said.

Poetry is the reason Smith is back at Bucknell, and poetry is what is first and foremost on his mind. However, it is not the only thing he plans to do during his residency. "I want to finish the book I'm working on," he said, "and I want to meet with students, meet people in the Bucknell community."

The Bucknell community has changed since 1968, says Smith. "It seemed like the 40s when I came here. It seems like the 60s now," he chuckled. "It seems a little more prosperous now."

Not only has the community



Lori Ann Woods—The Bucknellian

Poet-in-Residence Bruce Smith '68 is no stranger to the Bucknell scene. While he attended school here on an athletic scholarship, he played halfback for the football team.

changed, but the role of poetry on campus has also changed, becoming more active than before. What he remembers as the old ROTC building has been transformed into a building for poetry. "The Stadler Center for Poetry is a great institution that everyone should be proud of. It's a great accomplishment," Smith said.

Some of the figures that are dominant in the Stadler Center for Poetry also stand out in Smith's mind. "Karl Patten [professor of English], Jack Wheatcroft, and

Dennis Baumwoll [professor of English] are all practicing the craft of poetry," he said. "They are practitioners as well as teachers."

Teaching is something that is important in Smith's own life. Although he has taught at colleges such as Boston University, Tufts University, and Harvard, the teaching experience that affected him most happened right here in Lewisburg. After graduation, he secured a teaching position at the Federal Penitentiary with the help of Baumwoll. "I taught math and

English to inmates, to try to get them to graduate high school," he said. "It changed my life."

With his residency underway, Smith has already touched some lives at Bucknell. In addition to the poetry reading this past Sunday, Smith will be visiting area high schools, as well as holding another poetry reading at 8 p.m. on April 30 in Bucknell Hall. He will also work with members of the Bucknell Younger Poets Seminar this June.

Mixing the present and past at Kyogen workshops

MELANIE SMITH

What's hundreds of years old, lots of fun, and coming to Bucknell this weekend?

As part of the University's focus on Japan this semester, the Tustin Studio Theatre will be hosting a Kyogen workshop and production this Saturday, Feb. 25. Kyogen is a traditional Japanese style of theater dating back six hundred years.

The scripts, which have been passed down for generations, are short in length and focus on the relationship between a master and his servant. They celebrate human follies, making them comical in nature. Although the texts date back several hundred years and were written in Japan, the themes are universal and are still enjoyed by people of all ages.

At 1 p.m. on Saturday, the Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble will present a Kyogen workshop for all interested students and faculty.

According to Betsy Dowd, a member of the Ensemble who will co-direct the production that will be presented Saturday evening, the workshop will allow partici-

pants to share the experiences of a Western actor who is trying to learn a Japanese style. Those who attend the seminar will be able to learn the very beginning of Kyogen technique and will also be involved in discussions which emphasize the differences between Western and Japanese approaches to theater.

Then, at 8 p.m., the Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble will present *The Bontai Thief & Other Japanese Comic Tales*. This production will consist of three short Kyogen sketches. The first two pieces will be performed in traditional Kyogen style and script while the third will be portrayed using a more Western approach. This technique will highlight the different methods in which a script can be interpreted.

These events are made possible by the Bucknell Association for the Arts in conjunction with Cap & Dagger. Admission to the workshop is free, but students and faculty are asked to make a voluntary donation at the 8 p.m. production. All proceeds will go to the Stephanie Sayer Scholarship Fund.



Fact

Motor vehicles use half of the oil consumed in the U.S. In 1990, 40% of all oil consumed in the U.S. was imported, accounting for 60% of our trade deficit

Tip

Drive efficiently. Don't tailgate. Avoid jackrabbit starts and slowing down gently. Save the quick starts and quick braking for emergencies. Car pool, if possible.

Fact

While chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) in aerosols were banned in 1978, many aerosols use hydrocarbons such as propane or butane. These create smog similar to automobile exhaust.

Tip

Use your own spray bottle. For spray starch, try mixing two tablespoons of cornstarch with one pint of cold water. Always shake before using. As a plus, you will not have a spray can to throw away.

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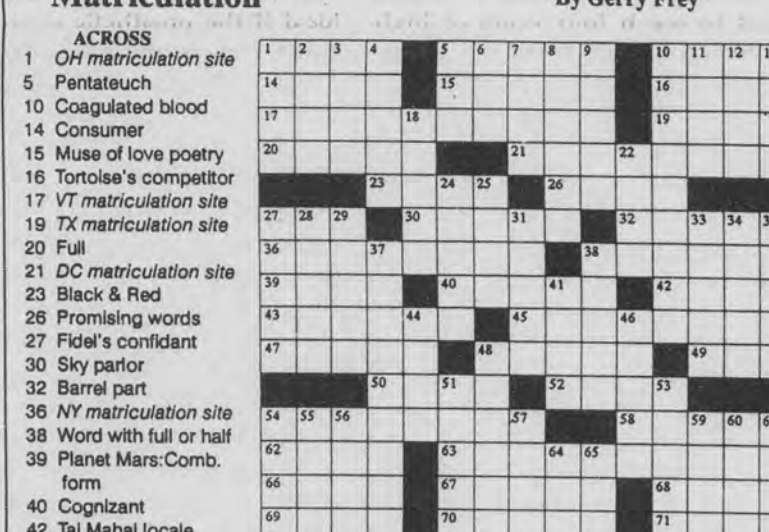
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LIFESTYLES

A maximum performance with minimalist artist

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The first things you'll notice upon entering the Weis Center for the Performing Arts on Friday evening are the four Steinways that grace the stage: one nine-foot grand piano on either end and two seven-foot beauties in the center.

One normally wouldn't consider four pianos to be an example of minimalism, yet students and faculty members of the Department of Music, joined by minimalist composer Tom Johnson, will present an evening of piano music tomorrow night that demonstrates what minimalist music is and how it works.

The concert will feature five works by Johnson, who is in the middle of a ten-day residency with the Department of Music.

The evolution of minimalism occurred mostly during the decade of 1972-1982. During that time, and especially in New York City, composers worked to find ways to create music using simple forms and materials. As a New York City music critic during this period, Johnson wrote minimalist works from a logical point of view that often included the use of mathematical formulas and ever-changing variations of the same notes.

The program's opening work is also its American premiere. Marisa Fabio '95, James Smith '95, Christina Smith GR, and Brian Melkowitz '96 have been working since last semester in preparation for this country's first perfor-

mance of *Voicings*. Composed for four pianos, *Voicings* is based on 58 notes that are repeated exactly 170 times throughout the course of the piece. The chords bounce from piano to piano and vary only in the way that they are played (articulations) and the volume, or dynamic, level at which they are played.

Associate Professor of Music Dr. Lois Svard, who coached the quartet in preparing *Voicings*, ex-

plained that piano ensembles are more difficult than other ensembles because everything has to be timed perfectly. "The piece requires major concentration," Fabio commented, adding that the students used articulations to bring out the work's voicings in different ways.

The members of the quartet can't hear *Voicings* the way Friday's audience will hear it. "Because we're all positioned differ-

ently, we can't wait to hear the note before we react to it," James Smith stated. "Instead we have to act."

"It's really exciting that this is an American premiere," stated Svard. "It's also unique to have four good grand pianos in one place!"

Voicings will be followed by excerpts from *Music for 88*, performed by the composer. This work, which is based on such

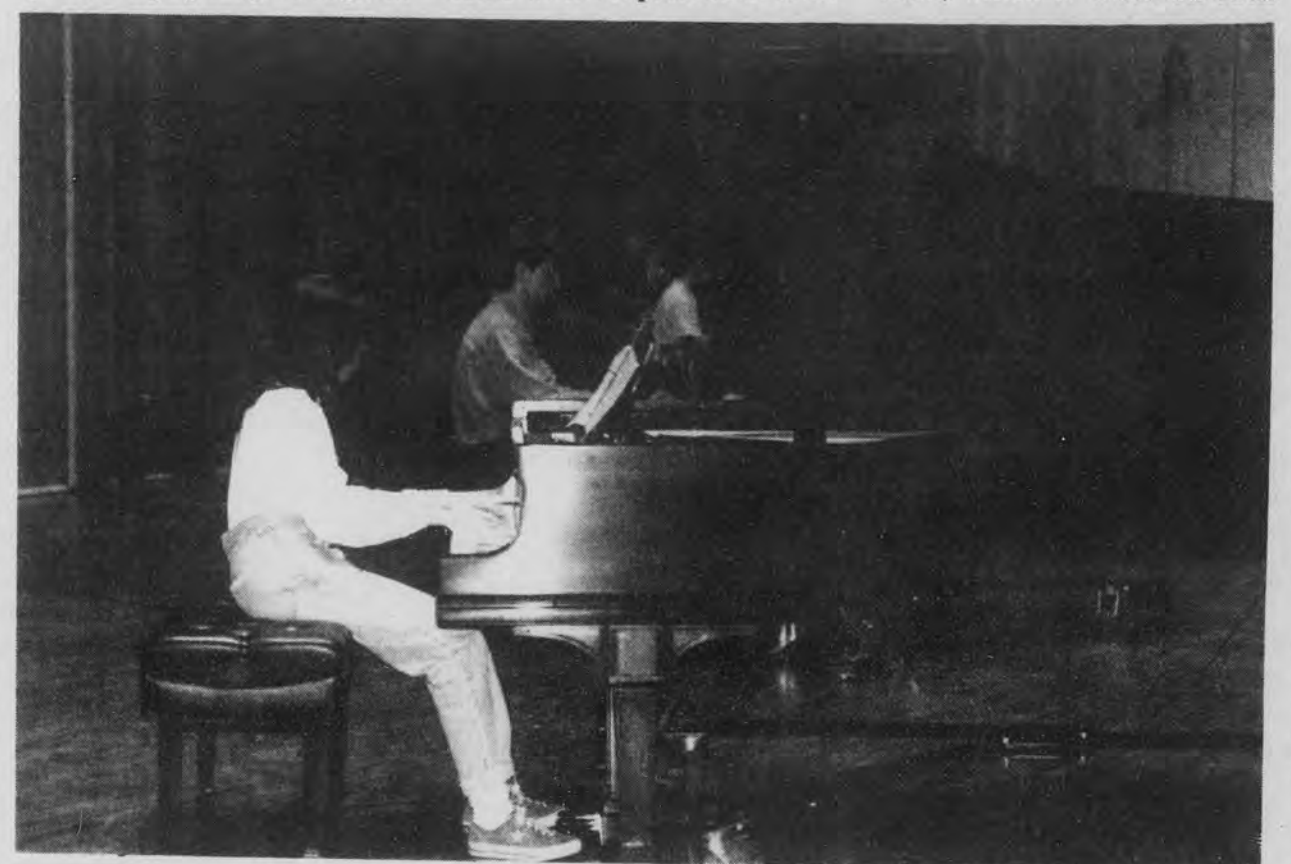
mathematical principles as Mersenne Numbers, Pascal's Triangle, and the multiplication tables, was composed in 1988 and makes use of the piano's 88 keys.

After a brief intermission, Svard will perform *Septapade*, which is Johnson's most significant contribution to the world of "repetitive music." The composition utilizes seven of the piano's keys in patterns that constantly change. Johnson will then play *Tango*, a work that combines the typical rhythm of the tango with a five-note figure that changes 120 times during the piece.

Symmetries, the evening's final work, is the audible result of a series of symmetrical music-note drawings by the composer. According to Svard, Johnson has always been interested in working graphically as well as with sound. In writing music for his drawings, Johnson learned that the sounds of the drawings are much like their looks. Svard will be joined by Dr. William Payn, chairman of the department of music, for this composition for four hands.

Johnson will spend the second portion of his residency working with the Bucknell Opera Company. In celebration of its fifth anniversary and in culmination of Johnson's residency, the Company will present an evening of some of Johnson's operatic works on Thursday, March 2.

Tomorrow night's concert is free and open to the public.



Minimalist composer Tom Johnson will join the members of the Department of Music in a recital tomorrow evening in the Weis Center. Johnson is in the middle of a ten-day residency.

Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

A&E Calendar

Thursday, February 23
Lecture: "The State of the Gay and Lesbian Movement," Urvasi Vaid, former executive director, National Gay and Lesbian Task Force, Washington, D.C., 8 p.m., Forum, Langone Center
Film: *Wyatt Earp*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Friday, February 24
Hilltop Film Series: *The Lady from Shanghai*, directed by Orson Welles, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughn Literature Auditorium
Multikeyboards Recital: Tom Johnson, composer, Paris, France; Lois Svard, associate professor of music; William Payn, chair, Department of Music; and students of the Department of Music, 8 p.m., Weis Center

Saturday, February 25
A capella group: Earthtones, 9 p.m., Bison
Film: Interview with the Vampire, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Monday, February 27
Lecture: "Zen Buddhism," Keido Fukushima, head abbot and Zen master, Tofukuji Monastery, Kyoto, Japan, 7:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center

Tuesday, February 28
Japanese Calligraphy Demonstration: Keido Fukushima, head abbot and Zen master, Tofukuji Monastery, Kyoto, Japan, 1 p.m., Forum, Langone Center
Zen Meditation: Keido Fukushima, head abbot and Zen master, Tofukuji Monastery, Kyoto, Japan, 4:30 p.m., Rooke Meditation Chapel

Gallery Series Concert: "Torch Tower," performed by Ben Neill, mutant trumpet, 8 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center
Film: Interview with the Vampire, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Study Spot: Bio Lounge



Taking advantage of the lounge provided in the Biology Building, Brian Roache '95 concentrates on his work. Many of the academic buildings provide small, quiet, near-by lounges for students to study in between their classes and busy schedules.

Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

Computer Search

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Conversely, IBM compatibles are definitely the most widely owned computers, providing a near infinite number of ways in which they can be customized and more competitive prices due to their larger market. As previously stated, though, IBM compatibles require quite a bit more knowledge to use effectively, and that near infinite number of ways in which they can be configured can be a nightmare for someone hit for the first time with the all the strange terms and concepts.

Also, since IBM compatible computers and computer products are manufactured by thousands of different companies, there is always the possibility of computers and peripherals (a peripheral is any device you add on to your plain-vanilla computer, i.e. a modem) not being compatible. Since Macintosh® is manufactured by one company alone (although there have been recent reports of this changing) you can be a little more confident that all the different products and computers will work together.

In my personal experience, the above question can truly be answered by what the prospective buyer prefers.

Unsurprisingly, if a user is a Macintosh® fan, no matter how much better a system the IBM compatible world can provide for them, only that Macintosh® magic will do. Also, it must be said that the world of computers changes at an extremely rapid pace. Even as you read this, the Apple Corporation and the many manufacturers of the IBM world are making a great effort to correct the drawbacks traditionally inherent in their platforms. Apple has tremendously improved the ability of their machines to communicate with the IBM compatible world, and with dependable, easy-to-use graphic interfaces becoming the norm in this world, the traditionally wide differences between the two are narrowing.

These few inches delve only into the first few layers of the involved process of selecting the right system. In the next appearance of Science, Health, and Technology a few of the deeper layers, such as minimizing the money you spend, where to shop, and what things to watch for, will be covered.

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attempts to
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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"We have a share of the title. But now we want it outright."
—Pat Flannery,
Basketball Head Coach

Flash in the Pan



"Sterling Steel": Sterling Marlin won his second consecutive Daytona 500 last Sunday, holding off favorite Dale Earnhardt. Earnhardt came from 14th place with under 11 laps to go to finish second. Marlin is the first repeat winner in 11 years.

All it Takes is a Little Hope: After blowing a three-shot lead in the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am two weeks ago, Kenny Perry came back to claim his third PGA Tour victory on Sunday at the Bob Hope Chrysler Classic. Perry carded a final round 70 at Bermuda Dunes Country Club en route to a 25-under par, 335 total. In other news at the tournament, the amateur team of President Bill Clinton, ex-Presidents George Bush and Gerald Ford, and Bob Hope combined to hit three spectators during the opening round of the pro-am tournament.

More Shake-up at the Top: Kansas, who took the top spot in the USA Today/CNN coaches and Associated Press Polls on Monday after Connecticut was defeated by Villanova this past weekend, will relinquish the top spot next week after being upset, 76-73, by Oklahoma. This is the third consecutive week the country's No. 1 men's basketball team has fallen. Look for either North Carolina or UCLA to lead the polls next week, although the Bruins must get by California and Stanford in the Bay Area.

Showdown of the Best: The NHL's leading scorer Jaromir Jagr scored the game-winning goal with less than five minutes left in the third period to give the Pittsburgh Penguins a 5-4 victory and a two-point lead in the Northeast Division over the Quebec Nordiques. Pittsburgh and Quebec, who have the two best records in the league, have combined to lose only four of 32 games.

They're Nothing but Talk: Sessions between baseball owners and players took place the last two days, in order to schedule more talks in the future to try to settle the strike. USA Today reports that an agreement must be made by March 12 if the season is to begin with non-replacement players on April 2.

Not a "LAF"ing Matter: The World League of American Football (WLAF) is back for a second time after of a two-year break. This second generation will consist entirely of European teams, unlike the first league. The league recently completed its draft and the season will begin on April 8. Former Heisman Trophy winner Gino Toretta will quarterback the Frankfurt team.

Orange Crush: In the first game of a triple-header last Saturday, the Orange defeated the Blue, 108-105, in the annual alumni game. Mike Bright '93 led the Blue team, in a losing cause, with a game-high of 30 points. In the most meaningless stat of the year, the half-time score was a palindrome, 65-56.

March Madness: The Massachusetts-Rutgers game that ended at half-time with a student sit-in on Feb. 7, due to comments made about minority players, has been rescheduled for March 2 at the Spectrum in Philadelphia.

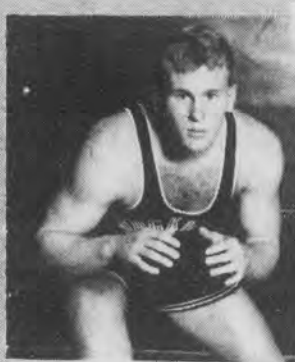
Two minutes for Roughing: A Manchester United soccer player, Eric Cantona, was charged with assaulting a fan during a game last month. He will appear in court on March 23 and faces up to six months in prison.

The Balls Come A'Tumblin' Down: The Earthquake in Kobe, Japan has hindered the production of golf balls for the Slazenger company. It has been estimated they would have grossed \$23-\$26 million in 1995 sales. Maxfli also has a plant in Kobe. Slazenger President Dave Brandon commented according to USA Today, "We're right downtown... Over a period of time, we might relocate out in the countryside."

Anti-replacement movement?: Ken Griffey Jr., Jay Buher, and Jeff Nelson appeared in the Washington state capital to prevent replacement players from the Kingdom.

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Bucknellian File Photo
Bob Ferraro GR won in 20 seconds over Hofstra.

Bison drum Lafayette, take league title

Orange and Blue must beat Holy Cross to be guaranteed top seed in league tournament

ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

For head coach John Leone and his Lafayette Leopards, this season has been, simply put, a nightmare. Their team captain and leading scorer, Craig Kowala, withdrew between semesters, two other players left the team and three are recovering from injuries, all this culminates in a winless streak that now tallies 20 games and will probably last until next season as the Leopards face Holy Cross in their regular season finale and the top seed in the first round of the Patriot League tournament.

"Mentally we know that we have a chance to win the Patriot League and go to the NCAA tournament," Hamer said. "That's what we're focused on."

The key to Bucknell winning games this year has been consistency — balanced scoring, few turnovers. However, against Lafayette, the consistency came in a different form. Instead of having four or five players score in double-figures — only two did against the Leopards — everyone was a contributor. Ten Bison players scored four or more points. It was rather fitting that in the last regular season home game of their careers, seniors Bryan Eisert and Pat Hook claimed a 71-49 victory that really wasn't even that close. Coach Pat Flannery went deep into his bench in the first half, giving reserves minutes that they normally do not play.

The team was also without Brian Anderson '96, who sat out the game nursing a hyper extended knee, but will be ready to play on Saturday.

"This was a very important game for us without Anderson," Sekou Hamer '96 said. "We tried to set the tone defensively. We knew we needed to stop their slash cuttings."

The win gave the Bison at least a share of the league's regular season title, and can claim the prize outright when the Bison play Holy Cross on Saturday in Worcester, Massachusetts.

"We feel good about a clinch of the league title," Flannery said. "The way we started [the season] makes it that much more rewarding."

Bucknell defeated the Rob

Feaster led Crusaders, 91-71, in Davis Gym last month. Feaster scored 20 points but he and coach Bill Raynor were ejected from the floor with two minutes to go. A win by the Bison on Saturday would set up a possible rematch with Holy Cross in the semifinals of the Patriot League tournament.

"I thought we did a great job at the defensive end," Flannery said. "It helped us get our transition game going."

Bucknell led 41-17 at the break, but struggled with the offense in the second half in cruising to the victory. "We lost our sharpness after the first half," Hamer said. Kihlon Golden '96 and Tom Welch '97, who started in place for Anderson, combined for 17 rebounds.

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points and added five assists while only turning the ball over once. Steigerwald put in 12 points. Lafayette didn't get its tenth point until after there was less than four minutes left in the half. The Bison allowed the Leopards to shoot only 14% in the first half, giving up their lowest point total of the season.

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The stretch included nine points from Hamer and seven from Steigerwald. Hamer buried four jump shots and Steigerwald added a dunk after a steal to end the run.

"We needed other players to step up [without Anderson]," Hamer said. "I also looked for my shot a little more."

Hamer scored a game-high 16

Bucknellian file photo

Gordon Mboya '97 drives to the hoop in a game versus Lafayette. Bucknell defeated the Leopards, 71-49, last Saturday to clinch at least a share of the Patriot League title.

Lutter uses "mind for the game that few can match" to lead tennis to Patriot League title

JEAN TANIMOTO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

How do you maintain a 3.9 grade point average and hold the Bucknell record for most singles wins? You learn to do what Kristina Lutter '95 does.

Lutter not only holds the singles win record, but in her four years at Bucknell she has been able to surpass any other in number of

combined wins, both singles and doubles.

Tennis is not the only thing that she excels in though. She recently received the prestigious Patriot League Scholar-Athlete award for women's tennis.

"The most consistent player on the team, Kristina works hard in practice to perfect her game," said coach Rose Ewan. "She is thought of as a positive role model by many teammates because of her strong work ethic, she practices hard, and it shows when it's time to perform."

Sara Allen '96, a teammate of Lutter's adds, "she has a mind for the game that few can match. Her inner drive has made her a consummate player, and a model that we can look up to."

Lutter, who has played tennis since she was ten, but only seri-

ously since sophomore year in high school said, "you need to learn how to prioritize things. Participating in athletics at Bucknell has helped me to learn how to be more organized, you need to achieve and maintain a good balance." When asked about the schedule that comes with being a scholar athlete Lutter replies, "I love playing tennis so much that it really isn't a problem."

Athletics has given her a different experience at Bucknell from many others. She likes most about the tennis team because, "it's so great, the girls are such a diverse group. You get to meet and hang out with people that you normally wouldn't." It has also given her an opportunity to travel to different schools and meet different people through matches.

When thinking back on her successful career at Bucknell Lutter says that the one match that she will remember most was against Colgate in the Patriot League Championships of her Senior year. Why was that particular match so memorable? It was the victory she earned over the player that beat her in the regular season, and more importantly, it was her contribution to the team winning the Patriot League Championship. "It was a great way to end my career."

Along with hitting the books

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Kristina Lutter '95 and the 1994 women's tennis Patriot League champions pose for a picture.

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SPORTS

Ferraro leads wrestling to win over Hofstra

Bison experience mid-season turnaround with victories over Hofstra and Central Connecticut

BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's wrestling team improved its season record to 7-4 last weekend with a 43-6 victory over Hofstra on Friday, Feb. 17 and a 41-7 win over Central Connecticut on Saturday, Feb. 18. In the match against Hofstra, the Bison picked up five wins by fall, one forfeit, a 9-0 major decision, and 9-7 win.

Bob Ferraro GR won his match by a fall in just 20 seconds. The other team members who won by a fall were Matt Mittman '98 (126 lbs.), Steve

Caruso '95 (134 lbs.), Ron Wellman '95 (150 lbs.), and Steve Klass '97 (158 lbs.). The 9-0 major decision was won by Jason Prokopchak '95 (167 lbs.).

Wrestling

The 9-7 victory was won by Mike Rush '95 (190 lbs.). The Bison only lost matches in two weight classes.

Against Central Connecticut on Saturday, the Bison won 8 out of 10 weight classes again, picking up 5 wins by fall, one major decision, and one match termination.

Caruso, Wellman, Klass, Prokopchak and Ferraro won their matches by a fall, Mittman picked up a 16-4 major decision, and

Mike Rush won by a match termination at 5:00, and Matt DiGiacomo won a 5-1 victory. The team's only two losses were in the 118 and 142 weight classes.

The team has done very well this season, working their way to a 7-4 record with one match left before the ECWA championships. The team has had 4 straight wins, starting with a 22-16 win over one of their important ECWA rivals, Drexel.

The Bison also beat Rider 19-17 in their only regular season meeting, despite what was

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Bob Ferraro GR wrestles in a meet at Davis Gymnasium. Ferraro has helped move the Bison to 7-4 and will probably wrestle in the ECWA championships.

Bison move to another level this season

Men and Women finish among the top at Patriot Leagues

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's and women's track and field team must take it to another level.

Many of our athletes have qualified to compete in ECAC and ICA4 events in two weeks. They will compete at full potential in hopes of qualifying for Nationals. At another important level, the Bison must move to the next level to compete with Army at the outdoor tournament.

The indoor team competed in the Patriot League Championship at Lehigh in Bethlehem, Pa. The men finished

Indoor Track

second, just 77 points behind perennial powerhouse Army. The Bison have been closing the gap between themselves and the Cadets for the last few years. Navy finished third, 18 points behind the

Orange and Blue, but without their full squad. The Midshipmen must prepare to run the Prestigious Ivy finals next week— they saved their key athletes

to prevent costly injuries. The women's team finished third with 108 points. This effort placed them only 7 points behind Navy and 61 points behind Army.

Tameka Hinton '95 explained, "Army scored a lot of their points in events where we didn't have much depth."

There were many individual performances for the men and women. First of all, Coach Art Gul-

den was named women's coach of the year. Rick VanEmburgh '95 won the 500-meter run with a time of 1:04:85. Karim-Abdul Martin won the triple jump title for the Orange and Blue. High jumper Brian Preputnik '96 of Harrisburg placed second clearing 6-7. Finally, Chris Priestaf '95 impressively captured the 5000-meter run title with a time of 15:01.25.

Tameka Hinton was named the Outstanding Female Performer at the Patriot League Indoor Track and Field Championships. This Dorchester, Ma, native won both the 55-meter dash (7.15) and the 200-meter dash (25.15). Hinton's marks were only slightly shy of her school record marks for the 55 (7.12) and 200 (24.95), but were still good enough to complete her fourth consecutive wins in these events.

Hinton commented, "My personal goals for the outdoor season are to qualify for ECAC's. More

Priestaf was also excited about the team's overall performance. "This was an entire team contribution... the throws even matched the Cadets," Priestaf said. Over the past couple of years, Army has dominated these events over Bucknell. "We need desire to move to the next level... we are striving to become better both physically and mentally."

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Allen was more concerned with the team's overall performance, "I guess we are sick of Army's attitude and that makes us pull even closer."

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SPORTS

Commentary

UCONN to challenge Bucknell — advantage Bison?

With march madness on the horizon, the Bucknell men's basketball team is on the verge of its first NCAA tournament birth since the 1989 season. Although Bucknell is currently the class of the Patriot League at 13-12, they would most likely be no better than a No. 16 seed in any regional tournament bracket, should they even make the big dance.

According to the February 15 edition of *USA Today*, Bucknell could possibly be paired against a team similar to 4th ranked University of Connecticut in the opening round of this year's tournament. Looking into my crystal ball, let's see how the Bison would match up against the Big East leading Huskies:

In the Paint. 6' 10" Bison center Brian Anderson '96 should not have much of a problem dealing with 7'0" Husky big-man Travis Knight. The matchup between Bucknell power forward Kihlon Golden '96 and the Huskies Donny Marshall could have ramifications similar to a Charles Barkley, Karl Malone battle. Warning: Look out for the Bison big men on the glass.

Advantage: BISON.
On the Perimeter. At shooting guard, junior Kevin Wenk '96 will have his hands full with UCONN senior Kevin Ollie. Next, although sophomore Ray Allen is the Big East's leading scorer, Bucknell go-to man Dave Steigewald '96 has a clear one inch height advantage. Both 3-point specialists, these two will be more visible on the offensive end of the floor. Don't forget that Villanova's Kerry Kittles lit these two UCONN defenders up for a whopping 37 points in a conference game last week.

Advantage: BISON.
THE POINT. Give the edge to Bucknell because of the experience. Junior Sekou Hamer '96 may have match-up problems with 6'5" Daron Sheffer, but floor generalship is the most important trait for a point-guard to have.

Advantage: BISON.
BENCH. Although many say that UCONN is 12 deep on the bench, I beg to differ. The rumors of a Connecticut bench are myth, contrary to popular belief. Coach Pat Flannery, on the other hand, uses a very deep Bucknell to its fullest extent. Expect Tom Welch '97 to pass to Anderson and Golden on the inside. Senior Brian Faire will help the all-around Husky cause, but stingy Bison defense should keep him in check.

Advantage: BISON.
Although the Bison appear to have the overall edge in most if not all positions, the #4 ranked Huskies won't roll over and die. Expect a tough, gritty game to be played on both sides of the ball. In the end this could be a coin toss, but for you gambling types, I'll give you the scoop. Take UCONN, minus 40 points. That's about as close as a Patriot League team will ever come to beating a Big East national power like UCONN.

Jed Michaelson
Jed Michaelson, Staff Writer

MEN'S PATRIOT LEAGUE BASKETBALL

Colgate beats Army, can still take No. 1 seed

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Coming off his first triple-double of his career, Adonal Foyle continued his great week with a 32 point, 20 rebound performance to help lead visiting Colgate, 92-80, over Army last Saturday. Foyle made 14 of 18 shots and also blocked four shots to keep Colgate within one game of Bucknell with one regular season game left.

If Bucknell loses to Holy Cross on Saturday and Colgate defeats Lafayette and wins a coin flip, the Red Raiders will take the Patriot League tournament No. 1 seed.

The Red Raiders (13-12 overall, 10-3 in Patriot League) opened up a 10-point half-time lead and were able to hold off the Cadets by shooting 57% in the second half, despite 33 points and five closing half treys from Mark Leuking. It was Leuking's eighth 30-point game of the season. Christian Glowe also put in 24 points and took nine boards for Army (11-13, 4-9). The Cadets play Fordham this weekend.

Navy 70, Fordham 56: The Midshipmen received 41 of their 70 points from the bench, including 17 points from freshman Michael Heary and four three-pointers and 14 more from Jim Hamilton to secure third place in the Patriot League.

Navy (17-8, 9-4) has won seven consecutive games and nine of 10. They play Lehigh this Saturday, a possible preview of a first round game of the league tournament.

Fordham (9-15, 5-8), who was coming off a major upset of Notre Dame over the weekend, got 19 points from Ryan Hunter.

Holy Cross 83, Lehigh 81: Leading Patriot League scorer Rob Feaster exploded for a season-high 42 points in leading a sweep over Lehigh (10-14, 5-8). Lehigh led by a point at half-time, but could not hold off Feaster's 13 field goals and 14 free throws.

After starting the second half of league season slowly, the Crusaders have come back to win three straight games.

Rashawne Glenn scored 24 points and Jason Fichter added 23 points and 14 rebounds in a game that was plagued by 53 fouls.

Holy Cross (13-11, 8-5) hosts Bucknell this weekend in a game that could decide who gets the top seed in the league tournament. The Crusaders have secured at least the fourth place seed.

Holy Cross senior Rob Feaster and Colgate freshman Adonal Foyle were named Patriot League "Co-Players of the Week" on Monday. It was the third such time Feaster had been honored this season while Foyle's second. Both players led their team to perfect 2-0 records last week. Feaster scored a league season-high 42 points in a 83-81 victory over Lehigh. Foyle helped pull the Red Raiders back to within one game of Bucknell with his first triple-double of his career against the Bison on February 15 and scored 32 points and grabbed 20 rebounds in a 92-80 win over Army while setting a new Patriot League record for rebounds in a season.... Lafayette's Alfred McAllister was honored as the league's "Rookie of the Week," averaging 13.0 points and 4.5 rebounds in losses to Bucknell and Lehigh.... A record crowd filled Christl Arena, sight of this year's Patriot League Tournament, in West Point, New York to watch Navy defeat the home Cadets, 78-69.... Navy is leading the country in rebounding margin.... Point Guard Sekou Hamer '96 has committed only 19 turnovers in 13 league games while dishing out 48 assists.

Bison Calendar

February 24 - March 5

Men's Basketball

Sat. 25 at Holy Cross 3:00 p.m.
Sat. (March 4)
First Round of Patriot League Tournament TBA

Women's Basketball

Sat. 25 at Holy Cross 1:00 p.m.
Fri. (March 3) vs. Colgate
First Round of Patriot League Tournament 8:00 p.m.

Men's and Women's Swimming

Thur.-Sat. (March 2-4)
ECAC Championship at Buffalo

Wrestling

Sat. 25 VIRGINIA 1:00 p.m.

Men's and Women's Indoor Track

Sat.-Sun. (March 4-5)
ECAC Championships at Syracuse

Baseball

Fri. 24 at VMI 3:00 p.m.
Sat. 25 at James Madison 12:00 p.m.
Sun. 26 at James Madison 12:00 p.m.

Socket shoots Lady Bison to victory

Bucknell will play Colgate in the first round of the Patriot League tournament after facing Holy Cross this weekend

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Lady Bison's second leading scorer Chiara Socket '97 had been quiet of late. Her double-figure game was a 10 point effort in early February against Army. Last Saturday she finally erupted for 16 points, her highest point total in a dozen games, on seven of eight shots in only 23 minutes

Basketball
of play, to lead Bucknell to a 69-50 triumph over Lafayette at Davis Gymnasium.

Bucknell, which has won four of its last six games, improved to 10-15 overall and 7-6 in the Patriot League, while the Leopards fell to 3-21 and 3-10.

"We have been working hard and hitting our shots," Casey Hollister '96 said. "We have been able to be strong both offensively and defensively."

Hollister had 12 points and a season-high four assists.

The team moves on to face league leader Holy Cross this Saturday in Worcester, Massachusetts. The Crusaders defeated the Bison, 74-50, in Davis Gym in late January. Holy Cross also has the league's best overall record at 17-7 and are the favorites to advance to the NCAA Tournament out of the Patriot League.

"We all have to come to play [against Holy Cross]," Hollister said. "We have been working on a new offense to combat their defense. I think we can score a little more."

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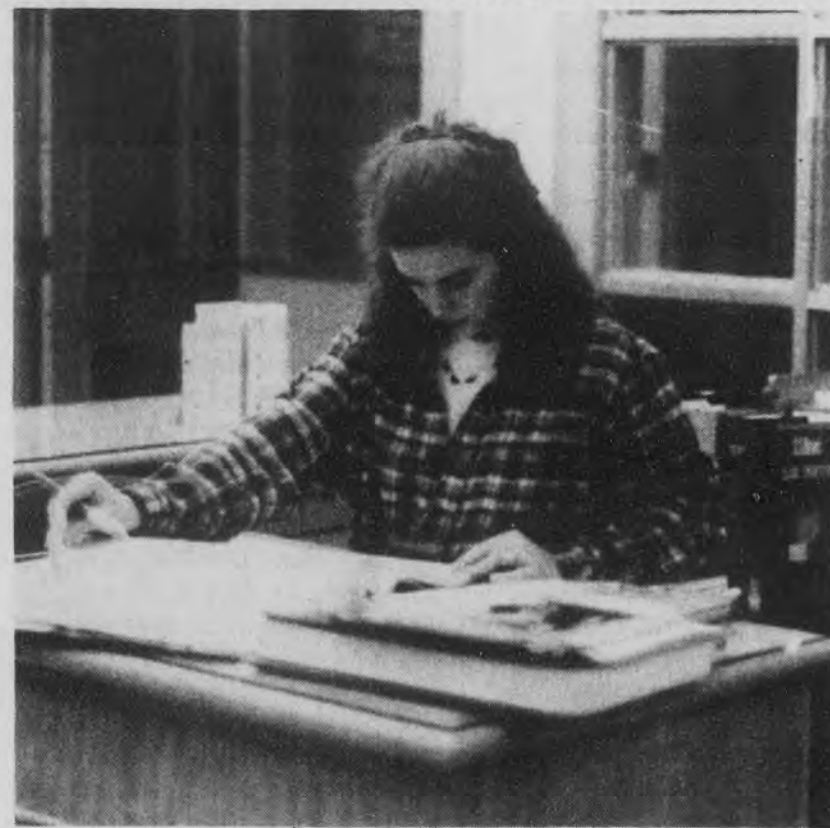
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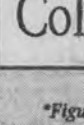
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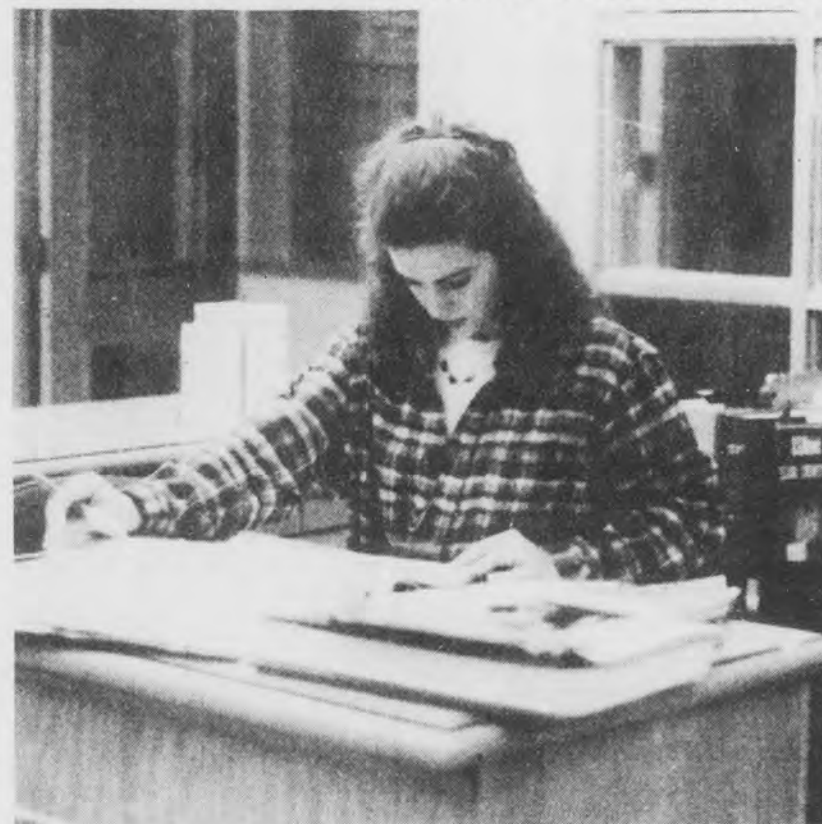
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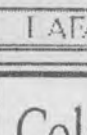
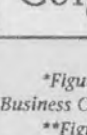
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Skelton said that Bucknell does not have many resources to offset the federal cutbacks if Kasich's proposal becomes a reality, other than to simply "shake more money out of the operating budget and allocate it to financial aid."

"The long-term goal that we have is to raise monies through a campaign for endowment so that we're less dependent on state and federal funds and the operating budget," Skelton added. "The campaign, which will probably be kicked off in the summer of 1996, has as one of its primary goals endowment funds for financial aid."

Skelton said that the goal amount for the financial aid endowment had not been stipulated, but that it would be "in the neighborhood of \$60 million."

Although predicting what will happen to Bucknell if such cut-backs are made requires much guesswork, Skelton said that one of the risks is a polarization of the student body, with a possible decrease in middle class students.

"I guess I felt down deep that Bucknell has existed throughout most of its history as an institution that has focused largely on middle class families," Skelton said. Cutbacks in financial aid might amount to a student body "with people that we're able to aid because they're eligible and people who can afford it. This could contribute to a polarization...with a decrease in middle income families."

Frum, who relies completely on scholarships and loans to attend Bucknell, said that if the Government required students to pay the interest on their loans while still in college, the real sacrifice would be in the quality of work by students on financial aid.

"Going to Bucknell pays for my education, but that doesn't cover the cost of food, books, incidentals, or travel," Frum said, "I'm working hard anyhow, working as many jobs as possible. Things could get a little hairy with less money and more work just to keep up."

Frum said that worrying about money and working several jobs shifts emphasis away from academics and towards economic survival.

"I just think that the system of higher education in this country would be for the elite, and that's it. Elite parents would be able to handle it. I'm not saying that rich people can afford it, because I know it straps everyone, but I think that it would really be discriminatory against lower income students."

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However Kerr is quick to note that an internship, while providing a noticeable asset to a student's resume, does not always insure a full-time job.

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Interviewing techniques is an

other area covered by the CDC, as well as a workshop on finding summer jobs.

The most recent issue of the CDC's summer internship guide contained 19 organizations, ranging from Met Life Insurance Company to the Asbury Park Press. The majority of companies that interview on campus, however, are business related.

That is not to say that non-business or engineering majors are without hope. Kerr claims the number of liberal arts internships being offered is constantly increasing, but that students need to seek them out more.

"A lot of [internships] are more business oriented and more visible through the campus recruiting program," Kerr said. "But if you look in our file boxes and read the internship opportunities in our bulletin that we send out monthly, I think you'll begin to see more of a cross-section there, that there are more... looking for the liberal arts background as opposed to strictly management or engineering... They're there. You just have to dig a little bit more for it."

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A student reported that a sign reading "Sigma Alpha Mu" was stolen from the rear of the SAM fraternity.

Friday, February 24

An RA in Swartz Hall reported an incident of a student in Swartz who was drinking beer and is under the age of 21. Incident report filed.

Student Security reported that a window in the door leading to the west wing of Smith Hall had been broken.

Sunday, February 26

Officers conducting a party check at TKE fraternity observed two males with beer in hand. Subjects Todd Andrew Rendle, Wyomissing Pa. and Brian Thomas Clark were charged by the East Buffalo Township Police with underage possession and consumption.

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Old Man Winter claims victory over Mother Nature

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Despite the Farmer's Almanac prediction that this year's winter would yield "well above normal snowfall" and "frequent cold and snowy periods," the higher than average temperatures and sparse snowfall paints a different picture.

So while inconsistent weather patterns may have people confused and frustrated, think of it this way—this year's spring weather preview beats last year's Blizzard of '94.



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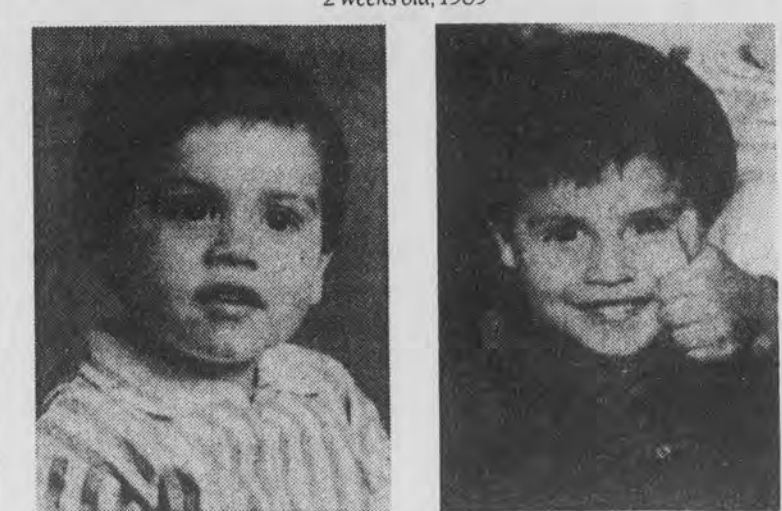
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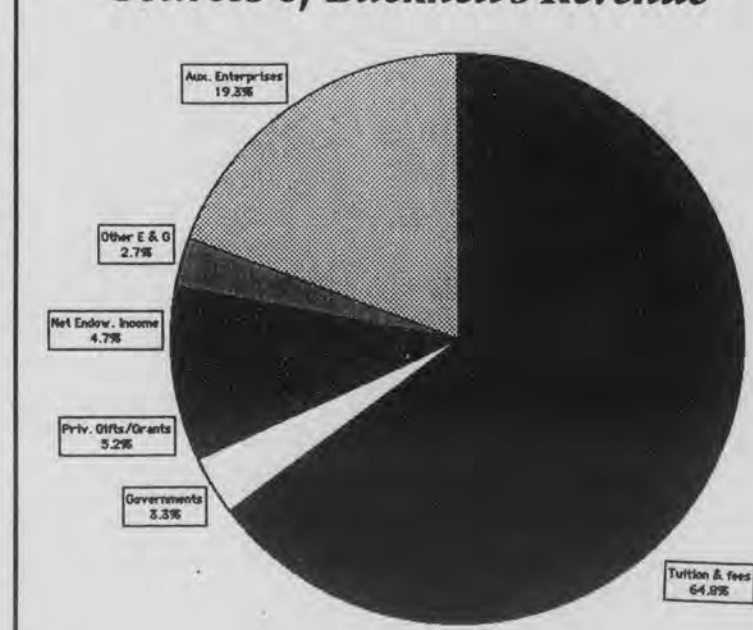
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To suggest that Hartzell's and the review board's investigation was incomplete because "no individual was identified as being the perpetrator of this activity" is absurd and naive. This is still America where one is assumed innocent until proven guilty. Rick Hartzell and the review board should be commended for conducting a thorough investigation before taking any further action and thereby adhering to this important principle. The editors seem to be upset that the review board did not offer up a lamb to be slaughtered on *The Bucknellian*'s altar.

The Bucknellian also condemns Hartzell and the review board for the brevity of the suspension. It reports that Hartzell said that he "hoped to settle the issue quickly so that the program might be reinstated," but that this decision could not be made "until we are 100% sure that the activities in question are behind us." The editors never considered that this was the case. The length of the suspension was a function of the time it took to discover and weigh the facts plus the time it took to ensure that no allegations would ever arise again.

Considering the fact that the administration has never before had to deal with such allegations, all of us involved, from the players to the administration, know that Hartzell and the review board were taking extra care to be fair and accurate before taking any further punitive action if the facts warranted it. *The Bucknellian* definitely owes Rick Hartzell and the review board an apology for making unsubstantiated assertions that they did not do their job.

The Bucknellian also owes an apology to all members of the water polo team for suggesting—in the face of a report stating the contrary—that we indeed were perpetrators of hazing activities. They ask "how can they [the review board] be sure that they have not invited back players who will continue the hazing tradition." What "hazing tradition?" Read the report! Eight more times the editorial suggests that we were not alleged hazers but convicted hazers.

Lastly, it is a huge tragedy for the 20 men on the team that our season was cancelled. It is a tragedy for the school that the highest ranked team on campus, with a chance to go to the NCAA tournament, was suspended. Like all other athletes at Bucknell, we work hard year round so that during our season we can and will be the best. Thank God we were ultimately judged by the review committee and not *The Bucknellian*.

PETER MERTZ '95
FEBRUARY 22, 1995

Head swimming/diving coach feels a clarification of article necessary; hazing will not be tolerated

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to the article and the editorial in the Feb. 16 issue of *The Bucknellian*, "Men's water polo team out of troubled waters," and "Short suspension too soft to combat hazing." Several inaccuracies in the article have caused confusion and have resulted in a misguided editorial. Had someone spoken to me or the Vice President for Student Services, accurate information and clarification could have been given. Instead, I feel that I must respond to several points which are listed below.

First, there was an extensive and thorough investigation of the Water Polo team by members of the Athletic Department. The Dean of Students' Office believed that there was insufficient information on any one individual to proceed through the University's judicial system. They did feel, however, that they had enough information from a team standpoint to take a very hard and long look at whether to keep or drop the sport.

After the suspension and review, it was decided not to drop the sport, but to reinstate it with many restrictions. These include: a two year probationary period; team attendance at hazing and leadership workshops; the required appointment of a faculty advisor; and the

requirement that selected members of the Bucknell community travel with the team. In addition to the above stipulations for future seasons, the team will be under the close scrutiny of University administrators, coaches, other athletes, students, faculty, and other external constituencies. To suggest that the team has not been punished is incorrect.

Moreover, the season was ended midway through the year, resulting in lost opportunity to achieve both team and individual goals and accomplishments. (You might recall that the team was ranked within the Top 20 during the season.) You can imagine that anyone—athlete, scholar, musician—who was committed and dedicated to his or her endeavor and had it taken away, would take the matter seriously indeed. Finally, a young coach resigned his position, accepting a large share of the responsibility.

Another inaccuracy stated in the article is that team captains had been selected and that a spring polo season will be conducted. Both are wholly untrue. In fact, members of the team had petitioned the Athletic Director to permit a spring season with the hope of bringing the team together. That request was denied. In addition, team captains have not been selected, and their selection will await the arrival of the new coach.

As for the editorial, it is true that it is hard to know whether there

are some individuals on the team who still "do not get it." However, I am confident that the "group mentality" rooted in past traditions has been broken. Presently, a search is being conducted for mature and experienced individuals to assume the position of Water Polo/Assistant Swimming Coach and take the program in a new direction. Accountability of individuals and the team will be paramount.

However, the bottom line still falls back to the student-athletes themselves. Are they mature enough to reflect on their past behavior and accept responsibility for their mistakes? Are they capable of beginning new traditions and replacing unacceptable behaviors and activities? Are the younger players willing to stand up and say "No more?" Only the future actions of this team will give any indication of what was learned. I can assure you that there will be no more chances for individuals and/or the team. The statement to the water polo team and the rest of the University is clear and strong: hazing and other unacceptable behavior in any form will not be tolerated.

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HEAD SWIMMING/DIVING COACH
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Professor unhappy with content of water polo article

TO THE EDITOR:

To set the record straight, I would like to respond to the Feb. 16, 1995 article by Eric Shortz, "Men's water polo team out of troubled waters." I was the faculty member who was chair of the Water Polo Review Committee (not Board). This committee was created out of Dean Chapman's office. It was not the University Disciplinary Committee or Review Board. Had Mr. Shortz done his due diligence or at least extended me the courtesy of a telephone call, he would have been able to save himself from his crime of irresponsible journalism by learning a few very important facts about the case.

Shortz alleges that "no team members were individually implicated or charged with hazing." Why? Bucknell's disciplinary committee and judicial process requires that there be evidence of misconduct and that in this particular instance it would have been necessary for water polo players who were hazed to come forward in the legal process and testify against the player or players who carried out the hazing. In the absence of a player (or players) willing to do this, it was not possible to charge a player with this misconduct. This is not a problem with my committee. It is a problem with the student culture of Bucknell. Until students are prepared to stand up for their own rights, there is little that a faculty or judicial process can do to change things.

Shortz asserts that "Members of the team were supposed to be questioned individually by the board, although according to an unnamed player, those meetings did not take place." Wrong! Three interview teams each made up of a member of the faculty and a member of the athletic department interviewed a total of 12 players.

As to the Feb. 16 Editorial, "Short suspension too soft to combat hazing," I can appreciate the critical perspective taken in article. This perspective would be justified even with correct information. (I suspect with more accurate information the article might have been somewhat tempered.) The University community should know that a very impressive group of faculty, administrators, and coaches spent many long hours dealing with this situation. We had our own differences of opinion about what should be done.

The end result was a consensus arrived at by debate, dialogue, and mutual respect. The primary objective was to do what was best for Bucknell University (not so easy to determine sometimes). At some point, the larger community needs to have some trust in its own system. You can rest assured that the committee believes that the returning players are not the problem. You can rest assured that a formal program is being set up for water polo to insure that the players and coach know what the rules are with respect to hazing. And, finally, that in the event of any hazing incident at any time, the program will be ended for good at Bucknell. There is no margin for error on the part of the players or the new coach. What would happen to the player(s) who commit the hazing? Nothing, unless those who are the victims of such behavior are willing to stand up and defend their personal right to be treated with human dignity. This may be the best lesson of all from this sad and tragic episode.

Finally, I hope that Mr. Shortz and the Editor of the Bucknellian have learned something about responsible journalism. I have been at Bucknell for 20 years and I take pride in my work and my contribution to the University. I do not take kindly to being portrayed as being some clown "rolling over" on a University committee. This was an insult to me and the members of my committee. We deserve a public apology.

It is also aggravating to have to spend the time responding to this situation as I have better things to do with my time. Yet, if the lessons to be learned are indeed learned then it is worth it.

I could go off on a tangent there and begin to surgically critique the irresponsible journalism of *The Bucknellian* staff, call for a committee to investigate, and end up arguing that paper should be shut down because of growing legal liability concerns. The lawsuits from faculty charging defamation of character and slander would bankrupt the University.

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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
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Players assure Bucknell that hazing actions won't continue

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First and foremost, the members of the team play water polo because we enjoy the game and its competitive environment. We as a team are 100% sure that hazing activities will not occur in the future, and are looking forward to the chance to get back in the pool.

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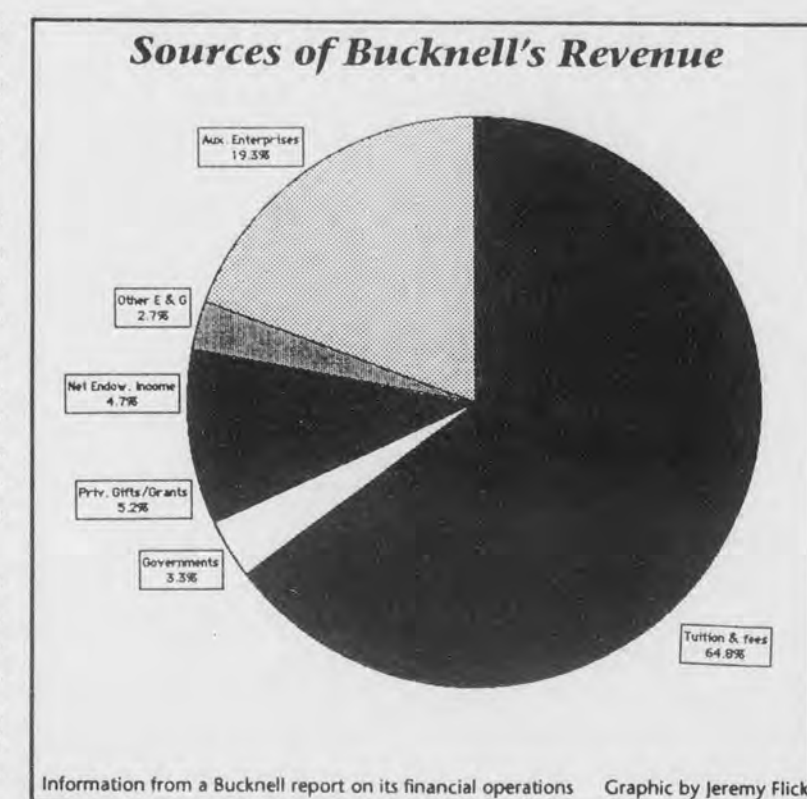
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First, Rick Hartzell did do what he set out to do in mid-October. He suspended the team and began an investigation into the hazing allegations. Contrary to the editorial, the review board DID interview all members of the team, minus Andrew Dennis—who is not now enrolled at Berkeley, individually and responded to eleven specific allegations of hazing. Hartzell also kept all of our parents abreast of what was transpiring.

To suggest that Hartzell's and the review board's investigation was incomplete because "no individual was identified as being the perpetrator of this activity" is absurd and naive. This is still America where one is assumed innocent until proven guilty. Rick Hartzell and the review board should be commended for conducting a thorough investigation before taking any further action and thereby adhering to this important principle. The editors seem to be upset that the review board did not offer up a lamb to be slaughtered on *The Bucknellian's* altar.

The Bucknellian also condemns Hartzell and the review board for the brevity of the suspension. It reports that Hartzell said that he "hoped to settle the issue quickly so that the program might be reinstated," but that this decision could not be made "until we are 100% sure that the activities in question are behind us." The editors never considered that this was the case. The length of the suspension was a function of the time it took to discover and weigh the facts plus the time it took to ensure that no allegations would ever arise again.

Considering the fact that the administration has never before had to deal with such allegations, all of us involved, from the players to the administration, know that Hartzell and the review board were taking extra care to be fair and accurate before taking any further punitive action if the facts warranted it. *The Bucknellian* definitely owes Rick Hartzell and the review board an apology for making unsubstantiated assertions that they did not do their job.

The Bucknellian also owes an apology to all members of the water polo team for suggesting—in the face of a report stating the contrary—that we indeed were perpetrators of hazing activities. They ask "how can they [the review board] be sure that they have not invited back players who will continue the hazing tradition." What "hazing tradition?" Read the report! Eight more times the editorial suggests that we were not alleged hazers but convicted hazers.

Lastly, it is a huge tragedy for the 20 men on the team that our season was cancelled. It is a tragedy for the school that the highest ranked team on campus, with a chance to go to the NCAA tournament, was suspended. Like all other athletes at Bucknell, we work hard year round so that during our season we can and will be the best. Thank God we were ultimately judged by the review committee and not *The Bucknellian*.

PROFESSOR STEVE STAMOS
FEBRUARY 22, 1995

Head swimming/diving coach feels a clarification of article necessary; hazing will not be tolerated

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to the article and the editorial in the Feb. 16 issue of *The Bucknellian*, "Men's water polo team out of troubled waters," and "Short suspension too soft to combat hazing." Several inaccuracies in the article have caused confusion and have resulted in a misguided editorial. Had someone spoken to me or the Vice President for Student Services, accurate information and clarification could have been given. Instead, I feel that I must respond to several points which are listed below.

First, there was an extensive and thorough investigation of the Water Polo team by members of the Athletic Department. The Dean of Students' Office believed that there was insufficient information on any one individual to proceed through the University's judicial system. They did feel, however, that they had enough information from a team standpoint to take a very hard and long look at whether to keep or drop the sport.

After the suspension and review, it was decided not to drop the sport, but to reinstate it with many restrictions. These include: a two year probationary period; team attendance at hazing and leadership workshops; the required appointment of a faculty advisor; and the

requirement that selected members of the Bucknell community travel with the team. In addition to the above stipulations for future seasons, the team will be under the close scrutiny of University administrators, coaches, other athletes, students, faculty, and other external constituencies. To suggest that the team has not been punished is incorrect.

Moreover, the season was ended midway through the year, resulting in lost opportunity to achieve both team and individual goals and accomplishments. (You might recall that the team was ranked within the Top 20 during the season.) You can imagine that anyone—athlete, scholar, musician—who was committed and dedicated to his or her endeavor and had it taken away, would take the matter seriously indeed. Finally, a young coach resigned his position, accepting a large share of the responsibility.

Another inaccuracy stated in the article is that team captains had been selected and that a spring polo season will be conducted. Both are wholly untrue. In fact, members of the team had petitioned the Athletic Director to permit a spring season with the hope of bringing the team together. That request was denied. In addition, team captains have not been selected, and their selection will await the arrival of the new coach.

As for the editorial, it is true that it is hard to know whether there

are some individuals on the team who still "do not get it." However, I am confident that the "group mentality" rooted in past traditions has been broken. Presently, a search is being conducted for mature and experienced individual to assume the position of Water Polo/Assistant Swimming Coach and take the program in a new direction. Accountability of individuals and the team will be paramount.

However, the bottom line still falls back to the student-athletes themselves. Are they mature enough to reflect on their past behavior and accept responsibility for their mistakes? Are they capable of beginning new traditions and replacing unacceptable behaviors and activities? Are the younger players willing to stand up and say "No more?" Only the future actions of this team will give any indication of what was learned. I can assure you that there will be no more chances for individuals and/or the team. The statement to the water polo team and the rest of the University is clear and strong: hazing and other unacceptable behavior in any form will not be tolerated.

LYNN KACHMARK
HEAD SWIMMING/DIVING COACH
DIRECTOR OF AQUATICS
FEBRUARY 22, 1995

Professor unhappy with content of water polo article

TO THE EDITOR:

To set the record straight, I would like to respond to the Feb. 16, 1995 article by Eric Shortz, "Men's water polo team out of troubled waters." I was the faculty member who was chair of the Water Polo Review Committee (not Board). This committee was created out of Dean Chapman's office. It was not the University Disciplinary Committee or Review Board. Had Mr. Shortz done his due diligence or at least extended me the courtesy of a telephone call, he would have been able to save himself from his crime of irresponsible journalism by learning a few very important facts about the case.

Shortz alleges that "no team members were individually implicated or charged with hazing." Why? Bucknell's disciplinary committee and judicial process requires that there be evidence of misconduct and that in this particular instance it would have been necessary for water polo players who were hazed to come forward in the legal process and testify against the player or players who carried out the hazing. In the absence of a player (or players) willing to do this, it was not possible to charge a player with this misconduct. This is not a problem with my committee. It is a problem with the student culture of Bucknell. Until students are prepared to stand up for their own rights, there is little that a faculty or judicial process can do to change things.

Shortz asserts that "Members of the team were supposed to be questioned individually by the board, although according to an unnamed player, those meetings did not take place." Wrong! Three interview teams each made up of a member of the faculty and a member of the athletic department interviewed a total of 12 players.

As to the Feb. 16, Editorial, "Short suspension too soft to combat hazing," I can appreciate the critical perspective taken in article. This perspective would be justified even with correct information. (I suspect with more accurate information the article might have been somewhat tempered.) The University community should know that a very impressive group of faculty, administrators, and coaches spent many long hours dealing with this situation. We had our own differences of opinion about what should be done.

The end result was a consensus arrived at by debate, dialogue, and mutual respect. The primary objective was to do what was best for Bucknell University (not so easy to determine sometimes). At some point, the larger community needs to have some trust in its own system. You can rest assured that the committee believes that the returning players are not the problem. You can rest assured that a formal program is being set up for water polo to insure that the players and coach know what the rules are with respect to hazing. And, finally, that in the event of any hazing incident at any time, the program will be ended for good at Bucknell. There is no margin for error on the part of the players or the new coach. What would happen to the player(s) who commit the hazing? Nothing, unless those who are the victims of such behavior are willing to stand tall and defend their personal right to be treated with human dignity. This may be the best lesson of all from this sad and tragic episode.

Finally, I hope that Mr. Shortz and the Editor of the *Bucknellian* have learned something about responsible journalism. I have been at Bucknell for 20 years and I take pride in my work and my contribution to the University. I do not take kindly to being portrayed as being some clown "rolling over" on a University committee. This was an insult to me and the members of my committee. We deserve a public apology.

It is also aggravating to have to spend the time responding to this situation as I have better things to do with my time. Yet, if the lessons to be learned are indeed learned then it is worth it.

I could go off on a tangent there and begin to surgically critique the irresponsible journalism of *The Bucknellian* staff, call for a committee to investigate, and end up arguing that paper should be shut down because of growing legal liability concerns. The lawsuits from faculty charging defamation of character and slander would bankrupt the University.

PROFESSOR STEVE STAMOS
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
FEBRUARY 24, 1995

Players assure Bucknell that hazing actions won't continue

TO THE EDITOR:

The Men's Water Polo team realizes that *The Bucknellian* is pursuing the ideas and interests of the campus as a whole; however, we feel that the actions taken by the University in addressing hazing activities on the team were misinterpreted in your past article and editorial.

We, the team, feel that the University properly addressed the problems on the team in a careful and expedient manner. In canceling the season and investigation the problems before taking further action, we were sent a strong and clear message. It was clear that improper conduct was not to be tolerated, and the consequences would be severe.

We in no way blame Alan Huckins or hold him responsible for any irresponsible activity that occurred. Furthermore, the singling out of individuals for their past actions is not a viable solution. The team as a whole is responsible for not stopping hazing incidents in the past.

First and foremost, the members of the team play water polo because we enjoy the game and its competitive environment. We as a team are 100% sure that hazing activities will not occur in the future, and are looking forward to the chance to get back in the pool.

We are working with the University to develop a new attitude and atmosphere on the team. Hazing does not promote the team mentality that a competitive program needs. Moreover, it does not bring individuals together, and it hurts team morale. The members of the Men's Water Polo team realize that past hazing incidents were wrong and we wanted to take this opportunity to assure the Bucknell community that these actions will not continue.

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EDITORIAL

G.O.P. cuts in Federal student aid will hurt Bucknell

Higher education may never be the same again if the G.O.P. gets its way.

As part of the cost-cutting measures Republicans seek to implement through their Contract with America, the party is scrutinizing Federal Student Aid programs for cuts or elimination.

Yearly, these programs total \$32 billion and affect nearly half the college students in the U.S. At Bucknell, 50 percent of the student body receives some financial assistance.

The Contract with America aims to reduce federal spending; education is just one item on the hit list. But many opponents to the proposed cuts say the proposal would disproportionately affect lower and lower-middle income students who receive subsidized loans as part of a financial package that is based on need.

Bucknell's financial assistance comes primarily from Federal loans, not from its endowment. If Bucknell doesn't manage to increase the size of its endowment, thus offsetting the sting of a cut in Federal student aid, the University will need to tighten its fiscal belt.

Many students who qualify for financial aid may not be able to receive assistance simply because there won't be enough to go around. Students attending Bucknell may find themselves with less assistance than at frame of reference schools like Lehigh and Colgate.

University administrators say they are committed to admitting the best qualified students, regardless of financial status. But a reduction in the amount of Federal student aid available may result in Bucknell lowering its admissions standards. The University may find itself having

to admit or deny students on the basis of their ability to foot the bill rather than their academic abilities.

Nationally, cutting Federal student aid will place added financial burden on students already on constrained budgets. Students who might have been able to attend college or pursue graduate degrees may find higher education no longer available to them.

At one time, only the wealthy had access to higher education. Through the availability of Federal aid, the U.S. government democratized the system, providing higher educational opportunities for all people. If we agree to cuts, not only will we be agreeing to college education only for the rich, but also a possible reduction in the caliber of students attending Bucknell.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Students propose a course of action for grade inflation

TO THE EDITOR:

Having read and discussed the article concerning grade inflation appearing in last week's *The Bucknellian*, we have come to the conclusion that students frustrated with this trend require an avenue of expression. We are not proposing further evidence to support the existence of grade inflation, nor are we attempting to demonstrate the ill-effects of that process. Instead, we would like to propose a course of action for those among us concerned with this issue.

The *Bucknellian* article suggests five possible contributors to the trend of grade inflation: the effect of student/teacher evaluations on the job security of professors, the marketing of Bucknell, the survival of departments not required in the University distribution program, the peer-relation between academic departments, and the conflict of interest created by student opinion. The first of these, student/teacher friendship, is an undeniable strength of Bucknell University. Sacrificing these relationships in response to the trend of grade inflation would be a remedy worse than the problem. So we are left with only student/teacher evaluations as a link between student activities and the trend of grade inflation.

Certain professors have suggested that grades are inflated in order to secure positive evaluations from students. If student/teacher evaluations make even the slightest contribution to this epidemic, then we are forced to justify their further use. The purpose of student/teacher evaluations is to provide a medium for student expression and to improve through constructive criticism the performance of professors. It is vital that student concerns regarding the classroom performance of professors be heard. However, more effective

means of expression are available to students with legitimate concerns. All professors have office hours and campus mailboxes. Other avenues, such as the department chairperson, academic dean, or psychological services, provide outlets for students who would not feel comfortable directly confronting their professor.

If student/teacher evaluations can not be justified based on the value of expression, perhaps their ability to improve professor performance can do so.

Evaluations often result in positive changes in course structure and teaching emphasis. However, these evaluations have been shown to intimidate and possibly terrify some professors. This side effect has directly contributed to the trend of grade inflation. We have already noted that other means exist for the expression of constructive criticism that lack such negative effects. While student feedback may help improve teacher performance over time, the positive effects of student/teacher evaluations are overshadowed by the negative effects of grade inflation. Considering the trend of grade inflation, we cannot find justification for the continued use of student/teacher evaluations.

We are under no delusion that our writing will affect University policy concerning the evaluation of professor performance. We therefore suggest a boycott of the 1995 student/teacher evaluations. This boycott will provide a more effective means of communication than anything written on the evaluation itself. Something must be done about the trend of grade inflation. As we students refuse to contribute to the downfall of academia.

JASON STERN '96
PAUL D. FLYNN '96
FEBRUARY 20, 1995

Student groups urge boycott

TO THE EDITOR:

The Nestle Corporation, which has a history of ignoring and abusing women's rights and lesbian/bisexual rights, is targeted for boycott again. GLAAD's Media Watch of Feb. 17, 1995, notified the public of Nestle's withdrawal from sponsorship of "Serving in Silence," a movie about the life of lesbian Colonel Margaret Cammermeyer. The company justified this action by stating that they will not advertise on programs "deemed by a majority of the public to be controversial or not widely accepted." This amounts to blatant corporate censorship.

These recent non-inclusive advertising practices are the latest of Nestle's offenses. Nestle has long been under attack as the subject of massive boycotts for their practices in the so-called "Third World." Most notably, Nestle distributes free infant formula to new mothers while they are hospitalized in some countries, encouraging the women to discontinue feeding babies with their own breast milk by telling the women that the Nestle formula is nutritionally superior. The baby then becomes dependent on this formula, and the mother stops producing breast milk. When the free sample of the expensive formula diminishes mothers begin to add water to it. This not only decreases the nutritional value of the formula, it subjects the babies to dangerous disease-infested water. These babies then get sick from the formula, but the mothers cannot afford to discontinue watering it down.

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This is a company with a long record of ignoring human rights. Thus, Bucknell's Feminist Outreach and Friends of Lesbians, Gays, and Bisexuals (FLAG&B) are advocating a full boycott of all Nestle products. We urge Bucknell students, faculty, and staff, as well as Dining Services, to discontinue purchasing and selling all Nestle products. Additionally, feel free to write to Nestle yourself at: Nestle USA Inc., Customer Relations Office, 800 N. Brand Blvd., Glendale, CA 91203.

AMANDA SWARR '95
FEBRUARY 18, 1995

The Socialist paradigm is today experiencing its final death throes, even in Cuba. Collectivization drains the human spirit. Combined with totalitarianism it stagnates economy and polity both. Sympathy for the Cuban people is most assuredly warranted. But legitimizing the current, cancerous regime works only to feed the propaganda-induced psychosis that has been so visited upon Cuba.

JONATHAN MEYERS '95
FEBRUARY 27, 1995

Legitimizing Cuba's regime feeds propaganda

TO THE EDITOR:

Over the course of four years at college I have never felt a burden to respond to anything I had read in a university newspaper. However, a letter to the editor which recently appeared in *The Bucknellian* finds me particularly disturbed. In this letter, a number of students, faculty and university staff extolled the United States for its policy on Cuba, while lavishing high praise upon that country's totalitarian regime. They cited Cuba's "revolutionary" government, collective economy, and "human rights" record as proud symbols of achievement.

What bothers me is not so much that the letter projects criticism towards our government. Indeed, our nation has executed some egregious foreign policy errors. What I find astonishing, however, is the level of support—no—gushing admiration, for a backwards banana republic and its maniacal dictator. Their letter describes the island-state as a sort of collectivist utopia, more progressive than the U.S. in its utilization of social capital and superior in respect to human rights development. According to them this dictatorship is a "beacon of hope for the Caribbean and indeed, the world," which has "succeeded in finding an alternative to capitalism."

Without a doubt Cuba does indeed represent an alternative to capitalism and democracy. But what of this alternative's value? What price does it exact upon its citizenry? The fact is that the people of Cuba have been forced into a life of ignorant and soulless slavery. They have been subjugated by a mass-murdering petty-dictator who views human beings as little more than mere organisms, fodder to plug into the machinery of the party-state and to enhance the glory of his own insane ego. The Cuban people can enjoy none of the freedoms that we in the civilized free world take for granted as God-given. No one may speak out against the government, assemble without approval from the Communist Party, or try to improve one's lot economically. If one does, frighteningly perilous—even torturous fates await.

The authors of the letter are correct on one point. The Cuban people are a resourceful lot and of a warm disposition; they are deserving of our admiration and our empathy. How then, can the authors endorse an institutionalized system of oppression that betrays the spirit and vibrancy of such a people? How can leaders of the Bucknell

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Striking baseball players are batting a thousand

BY CRISTINA M. TISA

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Baseball players, at the absolute minimum, still make more annually than the President of the United States. They do not do as much, know as much, think as much, or have as much riding on a pitch or play. About the only thing they have in common with our president is that they are in the same physical condition.

I know that's an unfair observation. After all, President Clinton has never pitched a no-hitter or made that outstanding catch. Why do baseball players make so much money? I don't know, really. Maybe because they're famous, or because they are role models for so many young children and adults, despite the occasional drug bust or gambling conviction. More than likely it's because they are so good at what they do.

I remember being a little girl in Rochester, NY, watching the Red Wings, our semi-pro club, playing some team and feeling like baseball really was America's sport. Peanuts and Crackerjacks meant something to my family, and indeed my whole community. We were in an uproar a few years back when we could have lost the team because we didn't have an adequate stadium.

Baseball has lost much of its allure for me now. Players seem to lack the traditional loyalty we associate with the greats. They sell themselves to the highest bidder and don't seem to care about the image they present. I understand that old-time players weren't the most upstand-

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ing citizens and that a World Series was set-up, but I think the deterioration of baseball and baseball players corresponds with

the deterioration of integrity and honor. Call me old-fashioned, but I cherish these qualities, and miss them in America's pastime.

The growth of baseball as the last surviving monopoly has turned little boys with big dreams into money hounds and prostitutes. Strong words? Maybe. I get so sick and tired of hearing about this baseball strike that already ruined one season, cancelled a World Series, requires federal arbitrators and visits to the White House, and may still delay the start of the upcoming season. What do the players have to say about it? "We just love the game and want to be able to play again." If players loved the game so very much, the Players Association would never have allowed the season to be cancelled. For Pete's sake, the World Series was cancelled! And, yet, they love the game. They're not in it for the money. Nope. And ordinary mortals don't play the lottery for the money either. We play to benefit older Americans!

Whatever happened to the love of the game? Whatever happened to the players that parents would be proud to have their kids emulate? If my kid came home and told me he wanted to be just like Jose Canseco I'd probably wonder where I went wrong. I know that there are players out there who are in it for the sport, who do represent good ethical standards, and who probably don't care whether or not there's a cap on their salary. Who are they? It's hard enough these days to explain to some kids why selling drugs is not the way they want to make a living when they suddenly have everything their parents couldn't give them with an honest paycheck. It's hard enough teaching children that honesty really is the best policy when their presidents, congressional representatives, priests, lawyers, and parents lie or conceal the truth. It's hard enough trying to maintain high standards of character and integrity when our nation's national sports heroes are little more than money grubbing leeches, selling their souls and self-respect for another cool million.

Someday I think I'd like to see all the striking players fired and try-outs held for those who would be willing to play for a couple hundred thousand maximum a year. I'd like to see owners cap their own salaries and kick in money to the community coffers. What if they did that? Suddenly kids would really have something to look up to. They'd have real American heroes who put a price on their greed for something greater: the future of baseball and America. I still believe that a person has the right to be enterprising; I'd see it to that right remains inviolable, but I think that success carries with it a tremendous responsibility. Sports, in particular, have a responsibility to maintain high standards of sportsmanship and integrity. Too many kids wear t-shirts, sneakers, and jackets with the faces of these figures to let something as important as this slide. If kids are going to look up to someone because of their talent, isn't it equally as important that kids have players who are as clean in their lives and souls as they are with their slides and their catches?

BY ALLISON PRICE

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

I must admit, that after local state representative Republican Russ Fairchild visited campus last week and called me the next morning to discuss with me any questions I had, that I tend to like politicians who admit they do not have an exact answer. Even though he was unsure of the statistics, he was optimistic that a possible shift from federal to state block funding would not end the world for those who rely on govern-

The Republican plans described in their Contract on America and the contract's current veneer of popularity are enabled by several pervading myths about welfare and the Americans who benefit from the program.

ment assistance. He knows there are some programs that really do help. This was a refreshing break from the current political posturing by the national Republican forces, who I have begun to believe truly are God.

During his talk, the point made by Congressman Fairchild that has disturbed me in the long run was the seemingly low expectations he placed on voters. He explained how for some people, all they watch in the way of news is the hour of national and local programs, and that both of those windows to the world would lead them to falsely believe the country and world is a scary, sad place.

OPINIONS



Presidential Campaign has already begun

BY MICHAEL S. KRECHMER

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

As I sit here on Feb. 21, 1995, I am struck with a sense of insecurity regarding my calendar. Certainly November 1996 is just around the corner. At least, that is what one would think regarding the actions of such G.O.P. luminaries as Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole (R, KS), former Secretary of Education Lamar Alexander, and Senator Phil Gramm (R, Tex.). The Presidential Campaign season has already begun.

The race is already fraught with huge surprises, all with regard to who isn't running rather than who is. Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich (R, Ga) has decided not to run for the Executive Office—in spite of the constant whining of Gingrich's opponents that he is only using the Speakership as a temporary stepping stone to the White House. Gingrich cited a need for his skills in the House of Representatives. This is definitely the case; Gingrich would work hand-in-hand with a Republican President, ensuring a radical conservative agenda. Likewise, he is very effective at putting "the enemies of ordinary Americans" (the Clintons) in their marginalized place.

Former Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Secretary Jack Kemp has surprisingly dropped out of the race as well. Kemp seemed a definite contender after starting Empower America, a conservative group. Kemp is also extremely popular with minorities due to his work with enterprise zones (offering tax breaks to businesses in the inner city). Many supply-side purists, however, took issue with Kemp's "reverse liberalism."

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Lamar Alexander is the Dark Horse candidate and a cipher at this point. He joins Senator Arlen Specter (R, PA), (unique in being pro-choice and liberal) as candidates who face an uphill battle. Both are poorly known outside of their states and need to get their message out quickly.

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The Republican proposals do nothing to attack the underlying causes of the kind of poverty that requires government assistance. The discourse is nothing but a thinly veiled attempt to profit from society's darkest racist fears instead of seeking to solve the damage the problem of racial, sexual and class discrimination inflicts on recipients wanting a way out. There is the major and pervading problem in the U.S. of the quagmire of real jobs and real benefits. If you knew taking a job in the service sector would make you lose medical assistance for your kids and you would not be able to pay for the shots without it, would you take that job?

It all comes down to the children. Any politician would not want to come down on the wrong side of that issue, yet due to these myths and the fear they perpetuate they are getting away with it. The debate about welfare is a debate about basic, human rights. There are some things capitalism cannot be applied to—health, hunger, survival. We must as a nation reject the cruelty masquerading as common sense and take a good long look out the windows onto the world beyond us.

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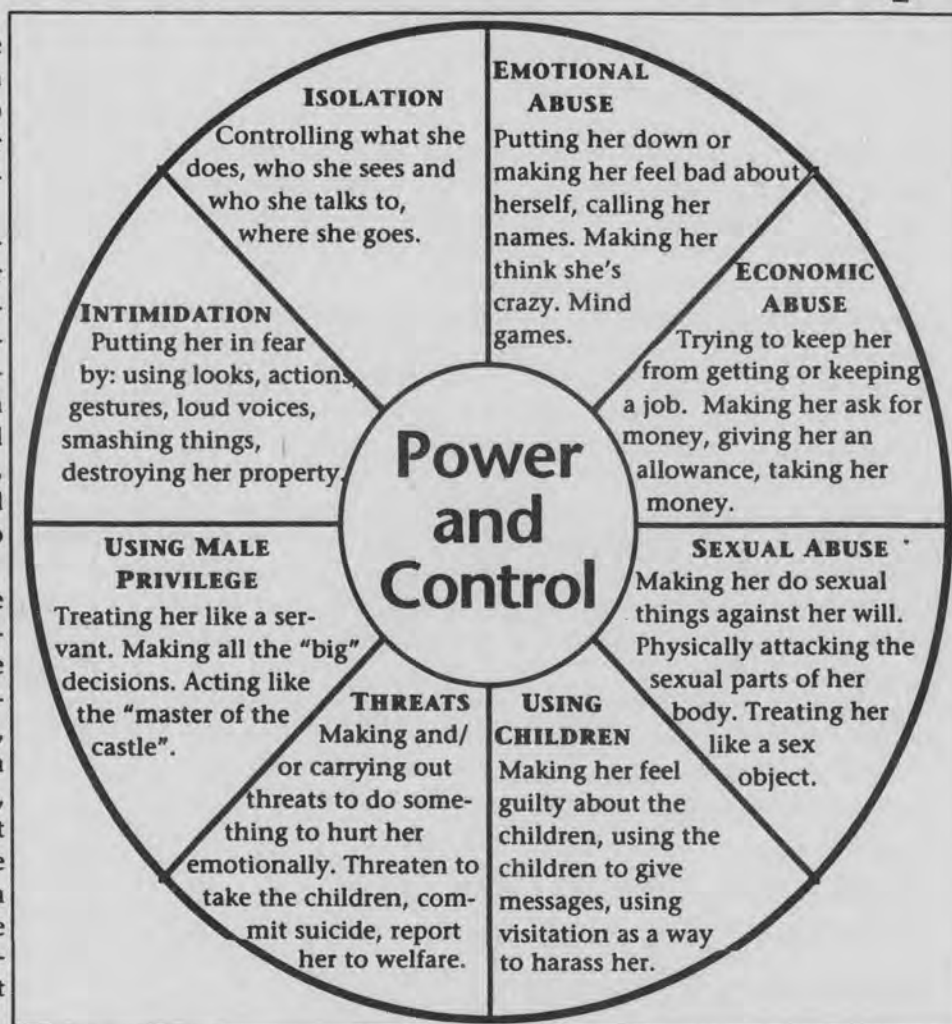
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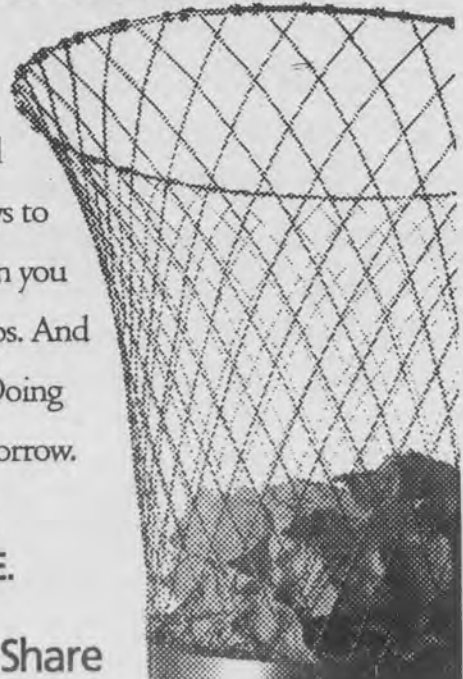
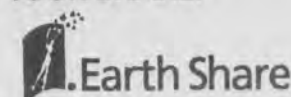
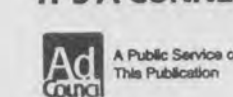


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Through this job, Thomas has learned to expect the unexpected. She is also a counselor trained to answer crisis hotlines from women. A typical night of volunteering will be a 13 hour shift from 7 p.m. to 8 a.m. where she has to stay by the phone and counsel over the phone if a call comes through. Tone of voice is important, said Thomas. It is important to validate the woman's feelings and tell her "You're perfectly fine to feel this way... You're not alone... It's okay to cry." If Thomas determines over the phone that the woman is in imminent physical danger, she contacts a pager with a car who can transport the victim away from the danger to a shelter.

Thomas has learned to deal with the particularly hard calls and has been counseling over the phone long enough to know not to dwell on a phone call. "Their training program really teaches you that there's nothing you can do once the phone is hung up." She says that sometimes a person can hang up in the middle of a phone call, "You can't dwell on the calls."

But if a woman is reaching out for help, it is important that the woman know that the counseling is "free," said Liz Celentano, Outreach Coordinator. Also the counselor can present options to the woman. One option is placing a Protection From Abuse, which can effect the terms of a restraining order from an abusive partner.

When asked how this counseling experience will affect how she will raise her kids someday Thomas said, "I would never raise my kids around violence, and the experience reaffirms that thought." She says that adults should never underestimate the understanding power of kids. If anything, the counseling experience with SWIT "has made me sensitive to how much violence affects kids," Thomas said.



Andrea Thomas '95, a volunteer at Susquehanna Valley Women in Transition, says that although the training was difficult and exhausting, her volunteer work is rewarding. Thomas helps women deal with sexual abuse, dating violence, and domestic violence. She also works with children who come from abusive families. She has been taught to deal with a wide range of emergencies.

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A center devoted to understanding

BY JEN WOOD
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As Women's History Month begins, investigating one of the places on campus that focuses on women seemed appropriate: the Women's Resource Center (WRC).

Students have different ideas of what the Women's Resource Center is.

One female sophomore said she thinks it "is for victims of assault, where they get help and learn to deal with the problems that go along with abuse or assault."

A senior male thinks it is "for women interested in women's issues, such as equality for women, rape prevention, and harassment."

Located on the second floor of Roberts Hall, the Women's Resource Center was founded in 1986 by faculty and students who were concerned with issues that directly affected women. They felt there needed to be a place to share ideas and work towards better understanding of women's issues here on campus, according to Janice Butler, director of the Center.

The mission of the WRC, according to its information pamphlet, is "to foster a campus community in which women and men can live and work in a climate of mutual respect, understanding, and equality, and where women are encouraged to reach their full potential."

In order to fulfill their goal, Butler says that the WRC tries to "highlight women's achievements in cultural, political, and historical perspectives," by bringing the outside world to Bucknell. This is done providing a variety of lectures and programs which are brought to campus in an effort to inform and educate.

The WRC "takes our programs in-house to where women are." This means, for example, the WRC has presented programs to female residential halls, athletic teams, or Greek organizations on topics such as eating disorders, and gender communication styles.

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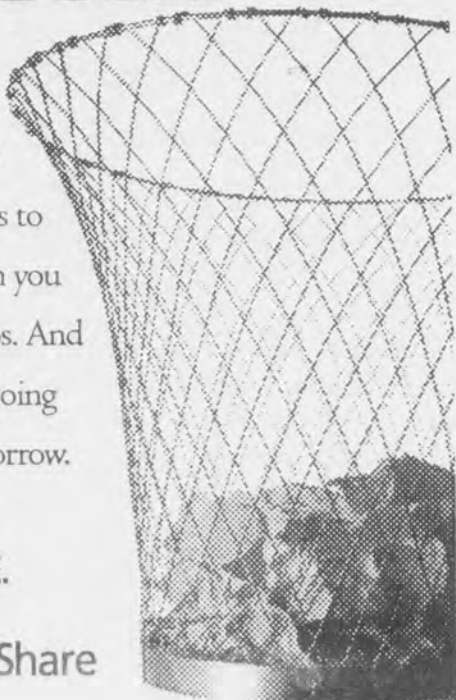
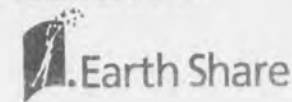
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Through this job, Thomas has learned to expect the unexpected. She is also a counselor trained to answer crisis hotlines from women. A typical night of volunteering will be a 13 hour shift from 7 p.m. to 8 a.m. where she has to stay by the phone and counsel over the phone if a call comes through. Tone of voice is important, said Thomas. It is important to validate the woman's feelings and tell her "You're perfectly fine to feel this way... You're not alone. It's okay to cry." If Thomas determines over the phone that the woman is in imminent physical danger, she contacts a pager with a car who can transport the victim away from the danger to a shelter.

Thomas has learned to deal with the particularly hard calls and has been counseling over the phone long enough to know not to dwell on a phone call. "Their training program really teaches you that there's nothing you can do once the phone is hung up," she says that sometimes a person can hang up in the middle of a phone call, "You can't dwell on the calls."

But if a woman is reaching out for help, it is important that the woman know that the counseling is "free" said Liz Celentano, Outreach Coordinator. Also the counselor can present options to the woman. One option is placing a Protection From Abuse, which can effect the terms of a restraining order from an abusive partner.

When asked how this counseling experience will affect how she will raise her kids someday Thomas said, "I would never raise my kids around violence, and the experience reaffirms that thought." She says that adults should never underestimate the understanding power of kids. If anything, the counseling experience with SWIT "has made me sensitive to how much violence affects kids," Thomas said.



Photo courtesy of Andrea Thomas

Andrea Thomas '95, a volunteer at Susquehanna Valley Women in Transition, says that although the training was difficult and exhausting, her volunteer work is rewarding. Thomas helps women deal with sexual abuse, dating violence, and domestic violence. She also works with children who come from abusive families. She has been taught to deal with a wide range of emergencies.

A center devoted to understanding

BY JEN WOOD
Bucknellian Staff Writer

As Women's History Month begins, investigating one of the places on campus that focuses on women seemed appropriate: the Women's Resource Center (WRC).

Students have different ideas of what the Women's Resource Center is.

One female sophomore said she thinks it "is for victims of assault, where they get help and learn to deal with the problems that go along with abuse or assault."

A senior male thinks it is "for women interested in women's issues, such as equality for women, rape prevention, and harassment."

Located on the second floor of Roberts Hall, the Women's Resource Center was founded in 1986 by faculty and students who were concerned with issues that directly affected women. They felt there needed to be a place to share ideas and work towards better understanding of women's issues here on campus, according to Janice Butler, director of the Women's Resource Center. The mission of the WRC, according to its information pamphlet, is "to foster a campus community in which women and men can live and work in a climate of mutual respect, understanding, and equality, and where women are encouraged to reach their full potential."

In order to fulfill their goal, Butler says that the WRC tries to "highlight women's achievements



Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

As one of the student interns at the Women's Resource Center, Janice Butler, the full-time director of the Center, is completing projects, such as the "How safe do you feel at Bucknell?" campaign. The posters for this campaign can be seen across campus.

in cultural, political, and historical perspectives," by bringing the outside world to Bucknell. This is done providing a variety of lectures and programs which are brought to campus in an effort to inform and educate.

The WRC "takes our programs in-house to where women are." This means, for example, the WRC has presented programs to female residential halls, athletic teams, or Greek organizations on topics such as eating disorders, and gender communication styles.

And through "advocacy and counseling options" for women, the WRC hopes to help women deal with issues that affect them. In the case of rape or sexual assault, the WRC will let a woman know what her options are, "walk with them should they decide to file charges, which is the woman's choice," said Butler.

Support and discussion groups have met in the past for victims of sexual assault and abuse. In terms

of long-term counseling, women are sometimes referred to books and self-help, or to psychological services here at Bucknell. There is currently a special hearing board connected with the WRC for dealing with sexual assault.

Involvement in WRC activities is possible on several levels for everyone on campus according to Butler. There is a mailing list of 500, that informs recipients about upcoming programs and events sponsored by the WRC. The WRC Advisory Board is a group of interested students and faculty that meets at noon every other Thursday; anyone interested, male or female, is welcome, said Butler.

The advisory board talks about what kinds of programs to have during the semester, and discusses issues of interest in relation to "how to improve the campus climate for women." In certain situations, the board also serves as a representation of women on campus. For example, the bookstore dropped *Playboy* and other similar publications after a request from the Advisory Board.

Currently, the WRC is run by the full time director Janice Butler, with help from one graduate and three undergraduate interns who complete projects such as the "How safe do you feel at Bucknell?" graffiti posters that are around campus now.



Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

Karen Dugger, associate professor of sociology, uses the Women's Resource Lounge for her *Race, Class, and Gender* class. The Center is located on the second floor of Roberts.

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Fact
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Tip
Install a low-flow aerator shower head. These shower heads are inexpensive and easily installed. They flow at just 2.5 gallons per minute, and you'll find the spray just as pleasing. You will cut your shower water usage in half and reduce your water heating expenses. Also, shut off the water while lathering up.

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Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) are emitted in the manufacturing process of styrofoam products. These CFCs break down the protective ozone layer which may lead to increased ultraviolet radiation and skin cancer.

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LIFESTYLES

A birthday celebration marks fifth anniversary

OPERA From Page 1

Although students have to audition for the company, the parts played by company members are picked for each person. Mellish explained that just as the company has grown, so have the parts. This is to include more ensemble pieces and more interaction among the characters.

In keeping with the company's tradition of one-act, American operas, tonight's performance will feature several works by the minimalist composer Tom Johnson. The first set on the program is from Johnson's *Shaggy Dog Operas*, a se-

"The company has grown incredibly. We started out doing mostly scenes. Now the company is a proponent of one-act operas. Our attitude is that of a professional company."

—Jeanne Mellish '95

ries of five operas. Three operas from this series will be performed tonight, and each one of them—*Drawers*, featuring Shannon Beam '98; *Door*, with Mellish and Gwynne Luminati '96; and *Dryer*, performed by Ken Laurora '95 and Matt Mehaffey '97—incorporates descriptions and ends with a punch line that will keep the audience

thinking about the piece even after it has ended.

Sopranos Only allows the company's sopranos to strut their stuff in a mock fashion show. Mellish, Funk, and Karissa Krenz '95 explained that the setting of this piece was created by the six students performing in it. The composer requires that the setting be some form of a processional and suggests several possible settings, one of which is a fashion show.

Mellish, Funk, Krenz, Lawson, Beam, and Christy Rupert '95 will perform this work, which sounds deceptively simple yet is marked by complex vocal techniques and unusual patterns. Accompanying the sopranos will be Helen Heaton-Hower on violin, Zoya Jenks on cello, Rande Schneider '96 on flute, and Elizabeth Ethers-Asmus on harp.

Tonight's final selection is *The Four Note Opera*. This work features traditional opera characters with non-traditional music. As its name suggests, the opera only uses four pitches; the singers use those notes to describe their characters and what they are singing. Performers in *The Four Note Opera* include Mehaffey, Laurora, Ryan Zollner '97, Susan Minsavage '97, and Megan Allen '97.

Mellish anticipates that the Bucknell Opera Company will enjoy success in the second half of its first decade, just as it has in the first half. "I'm looking forward to coming back and seeing how much the company continues to grow in the future," she said.

David Cover will accompany the ensemble on piano for tonight's performance, which is open to the public.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Shannon Beam '98 rehearses for the Opera Company birthday celebration.

Residency mixes dance and yoga

BY MELANIE SMITH

Sometimes words are not necessary in order to communicate. Andy Wang proved this to Bucknell students during his residency this week.

Born in China, Wang began dancing seriously at the age of 21. He graduated from the Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts where he majored in ballet. He has since joined the City Contemporary Dance Company where he has choreographed a number of works.

More recently, Wang was awarded a grant from the Hong Kong government so that he could tour in the United States. Director of Dance Dana Frangione, who had met Wang in East Asia, asked him to do a residency at Bucknell during his stay in the U.S.

Consequently, for the past five days, Bucknell students have had the opportunity to attend classes taught by Wang. In addition to the more traditional dance classes, Wang has also been teaching Yoga.

"Yoga is a way in which you challenge your mind and body," said Wang. "You can learn a lot about yourself." Wang learned Yoga while in the U.S. a few years ago. Since then he has practiced it conscientiously and he has found that it connects him to his spiritual life. He describes it as a communication technique.

Wang also uses modern dance as a way to express himself. He admits that he enjoys this type of dance more than ballet because it allows him to express his feelings.

Wang enjoys teaching others as well. "The teacher student relationship is two sided," Wang explained. "Each side can learn from the experience." Consequently, Wang feels as though he is continuously learning. "People want to move and learn. By knowing more about dance, they can translate whatever they do into another form."

Andy Wang will complete his residency at Bucknell tomorrow morning.

Before you simply pass by this little inhouse without a second thought, I think you should give it a second thought. Pick up the phone and call one of the Lifestyle's editors. We'll give you something interesting to write.

International Women's day sheds some light in Cave

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

What holiday is celebrated across the globe every year on March 8 and has yet to be capitalized on by Hallmark? It's International Women's Day, and this is the fourth year in a row that Bucknellians will be honoring the contributions of women all over the world with a celebration at noon in the Langone Center Cave.

The hour-long festivities are sponsored by the Office of International Education in conjunction with the Women's Resource Center and will include international cuisine, personal reflections on the multifaceted role of women in all cultures and their impact on our lives. In addition, the celebration will incorporate the talent of the women's a cappella singing group, the Silhouettes.

But it's not just for women. Everyone from professors to international students and students who have studied abroad is invited to participate and encouraged to donate artwork, clothing from other parts of the world and even from the U.S. for display.

"Bucknell is a very international com-

munity and I don't think a lot of people realize it," said Juliet Litterer '95, student intern in the Office of International Education and member of the planning committee on International Women's Day.

"We're hoping to give Bucknellians a chance to come together and to acknowledge that this is an international university, and that we're in an international environment in the United States," she explained.

According to Litterer, students can benefit immensely from this type of intercultural exchange, and even learn a little bit about one another. "Different cultures emphasize different things and we have a lot to learn from each other, and especially in a society like the U.S. that has traditionally been male-dominated and white Eurocentric," she said. International Women's Day allows for a different focus on international issues, a female point of view. Because we're so used to hearing everything from a male perspective, "to hear people focusing in on what women have done is a real revelation to me," Litterer said.

Marie Frum '95, who spent a semester during her junior year in Chile, agrees.

"It represents a different perspective; it combines women's issues with international issues. It's the celebration of a very important day," she said. It's also a day rich in history.

Proposed by Clara Zetkin, a German labor leader, International Women's Day commemorates the historic struggle to improve women's lives. Because March 8 marks the date of two major demonstrations by women protesting low wages, 12-hour workdays, and uncompensated workloads, it was chosen as the day of observance. Officially established in 1910, International Women's Day has been observed by socialist countries for more than 80 years.

As for the United States, by 1970 the holiday was observed in most major American cities, although it hasn't been as well recognized. "In Romania, women get the day off from work and receive gifts of candy," said Susan Zingale-Baird, international student and study abroad advisor.

Since 1981, however, Congress has annually passed a proclamation declaring the week of March 8 National Women's History Week.

This year, the nation's capital will commemorate the holiday with a small candlelight march. In addition, women and men everywhere are encouraged to replace their front porch light with a yellow bulb, or to place a candle in their window to acknowledge unity and in celebration of joined diversities and strengths.

Today International Women's Day has taken on a new meaning. It has come to be more of a cultural celebration, while still maintaining the same goal: to acknowledge the contributions made by women on a global scale.

Admission to the International Women's Day celebration is free. Anyone can come to listen. Those who wish to speak are required to sign up prior to the event. For more information, contact Susan Zingale-Baird at the Office of International Education (x3796).

Source: Stites, Richard. *The Women's Liberation Movement in Russia: Feminism, Nihilism, and Bolshevism, 1860-1930*. Princeton, N.J.: Princeton University Press, 1978.

Going behind the scenes: lecture reveals the making of an opera

BY SHARON SAUDER

Mention the word "opera" in any social or academic setting and one may automatically receive a wide variety of responses, ranging from hostile skepticism to passionate appreciation.

Regardless of where they fall on this scale, few people are aware of the intricate combination of artistic elements that actually comprise an opera. Addressing this issue, Dr. Percy Young, a British musicologist and author, will present the music department's annual Kushell Lecture entitled, "The Making of an Opera: Elgar's *Spanish Lady*," at 8 p.m. on Tuesday in Bucknell Hall. Young's presentation will be assisted by members of the Bucknell Opera Company.

Based on Ben Jonson's 17th

century play "The Devil is an Ass," Sir Edward Elgar began constructing his opera "The Spanish Lady" in 1932-33. Determined to create a magnificent production, he jotted down notes on everything from props, entrances and exits, and cast lists to character development and vocal ranges. Unfortunately, his death in 1934 halted the project, leaving behind about 180 manuscript fragments, including only a few bars of music that were fully scored.

To salvage this existing material, Dr. Young spent over eight years editing, rearranging, and sometimes even composing new music to link unconnected segments. Eventually he produced a workable libretto more closely related to the original play and finished orchestrating the score, thus

transforming Elgar's sketches into a complete opera. It was premiered at Cambridge University last November.

Dr. Young is no stranger to Bucknell, having held the first Kushell Lectureship during a six week residency in 1972. He earned degrees from Cambridge University and University College, Dublin and currently is an Honorary Fellow of the Institute for Advanced Research in the Humanities at the University of Birmingham. Particularly recognized for his work on composers such as Elgar and Handel, he draws frequent praise for his engaging and informative lectures.

Dr. Young's visit will extend through March 9, during which time he will attend several music classes.

String Quartet to perform at Weis



Photo courtesy of Office of Public Relations
Performing at the Weis Center at 8 p.m. tomorrow evening, the Shanghai String Quartet will perform such works as "Concerto in D for solo lute and strings" by Vivaldi and "Song of the Ch'lin" by Zhou Long. Tickets for the performance, which is part of the Weis Center's Reverberations series, are \$15. For more information, call the Box Office at x1000.

LIFESTYLES

Women at Bucknell share long and successful history



Left: These three women demonstrate the popular styles and social trends of the 1940s; Right: The members of Pi Beta Phi sorority pose for their L'Agenda picture. This picture was taken in 1913.



Above: The members of Phi Mu Sorority in 1935 socialize on their suite; Left: In 1968, these women formed the Women's Judicial Board, a female student government; Below: Members of a sorority no longer in existence at Bucknell, these members of Zeta Gamma Tau of 1925 helped shape the tradition of Bucknell's Greek system.



Above left: These women comprised the Female Institute in 1892. The female counterpart to The Academy, The Institute was located downhill and was dedicated to the appreciation of the arts; Left: Posing for a L'Agenda picture, these women made up the Mortar Board of 1952.

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Bucknell becomes co-educational

The University of Lewisburg was one of the few institutions where women were considered eligible and offered higher education. In 1852, the Female Institution opened on the University grounds to join The Academy, the male counterpart. The two schools were physically separated. The Academy, the "college" was built uphill and the Female Institute was built downhill. The Institute was dedicated to the appreciation of art, literature, and music.

In 1883, three female freshmen, Annie Hays, Lizzie Lansing, and Frances Ruch applied for admission to the Academy. In 1884, Chella Scott entered the Academy as a junior after already graduating from the Institute.

On June 24, 1885, Chella Scott was the first woman to graduate from Bucknell. She obtained a Bachelor of Science degree and graduated with honors at the head of her class of fourteen.

In 1885, the first woman faculty member, Edith V. Hedges began teaching at the University in the department of Elocution. In 1915, The Trustees accepted a motion to make the Academy "officially" a co-educational institution.

Source: The Women's Resource Center

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Hamer	5	3	1	4	17
Moya	2	1	0	6	5
Holden	4	0	0	1	8
Welch	1	0	6	6	8
Polie	0	0	2	0	2
Guthrie	0	0	2	0	2
Wells	1	0	0	0	2
Ebert	0	0	3	0	0
Hook	1	0	0	3	2

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
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McGowan	3	0	4	15	12
Vlah	0	0	3	2	3
Sockel	3	1	3	5	10
Coffey	4	1	0	3	9
Mathieson	3	0	0	4	6
Lloyd	1	0	1	1	3
Wagner	1	1	0	0	3
McCliff	1	0	0	1	2
Jones	0	0	0	0	0
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Bucknell	21	40	61	73		
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Steigerwald	1	1	2	3	5
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Hook	1	0	0	3	2

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 10-15 (7-6)

February 8, 1995 (home)

	B	H	C	F	G	T
Bucknell	21	28	49	52		
Fordham	25	27	52			

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Hallister	5	0	1	4	11
McGowan	3	0	4	15	12
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Societ	3	1	3	5	10
Colley	4	1	0	3	9
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Bucknell-22
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118 (V) wbf. J.Four, 4:58
126 (V) d. M.Mattmin, 7:0
134 S.Caruso d. (V), 4:0
142 (V) md. R.Renn, 17:7
150 R.Wellman md. (V), 20:7
158 (V) d. S.Class, 4:3
167 J.Prokopchak d. (V), 6:5sq
177 B.Ferraro wbf. (V), 1:55
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(weekend of 3-4)
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Sun.12	at Delaware	1:00p.m.

Men's Basketball

Sat.4	Quarterfinal of Patriot League Tournament vs. Army	1:00p.m.
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Women's Basketball

Fri.3	Patriot League Tournament vs. Colgate	8:00p.m.
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Men's Lacrosse

Sat.11	LACROSSE vs. Michigan State	1:00p.m.
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Sun.12	at Towson State	1:00p.m.
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Skiing

(weekend of 3-4)
The Collegiate National Championships at Brundage Mt., McCall Idaho

Men's Volleyball

Fri.3	KUTZTOWN STATE
Sat.4	GETTYSBURG

Wrestling

Fri.3	ECWA Championships at Rider
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Sports Trivia Quiz

- 1.What men's college basketball team finished atop the Atlantic 10 last year?
- 2.Can you name the American League Rookie of the Year who played with Baltimore in 1977?
3. Who is second of the all-time NFL single-season touchdown leaders with 23?
- 4.Who has held the World Champion title longest in Boxing during the 1980's?
- 5.Can you name the WWF star who finished his opponents with a reptilian pet?

Answers:

1.Mass. finished 14-2, 2. Eddie Murray, 3. O.J. Simpson, 4. Larry Holmes(80-85), 5. Jake "the snake" Roberts

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Clear and cold. Low zero to 5 above. North-west wind decreasing around 10 MPH.
Friday night—Partly sunny. High around 30.
Saturday—Fair with a warming trend. Lows in the 20s.
Sunday—Lows in the 30s, highs in the 50s.

—Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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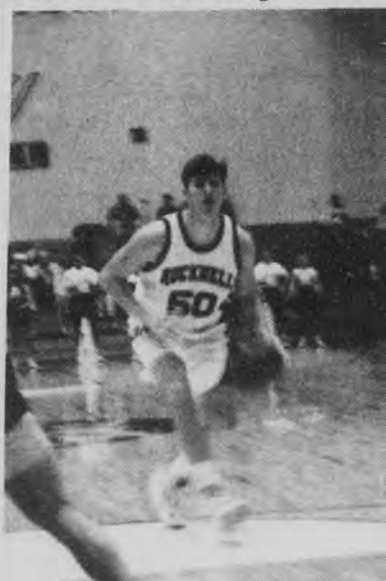
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Patriot league over for men and women's hoops

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

A simple flip of a coin. Just two outcomes—heads or tails. Something so random and so full of chance, was so instrumental in ending the Bison's season earlier than expected last Saturday. Instead of playing Lafayette in the first round of the Patriot League Tournament—Colgate was given that gift—Bucknell was forced to play host school Army.

What transpired in Christl Arena in West Point, New York, was something no one could have expected. The Cadets played their best game of the season, advancing to the semifinals of the tournament, as Mark Leuking tied Patriot League records for points with a career-high 43 and



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Brian Anderson '96 pulls up for a jump shot in the 94-78 defeat to Army.

three-pointers with six, as they polished off Bucknell, 94-78, the once favorites for winning the tournament and advancing to the NCAA Tournament.

"As a team we are very disappointed," Sekou Hamer '96 said. "After starting 0-8 and overcoming all types of adversities to tie for the regular season championship, it makes it especially disappointing."

"It was a great win for us," Leuking said. "I have to give my teammates most of the credit, because they got me the ball in good position to score."

The loss drops Bucknell to 13-14 overall, its second consecutive losing season, while it finishes as the league's co-regular season champions with a 11-3 record. Army improved to 12-15 overall, 4-10 in league play.

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Lady Bison upset Colgate, fall to top seed Holy Cross

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If one Bison basketball team was to advance to the semifinals of the league tournament, it was not supposed to be the women's team.

Unlikely as it was, the women's team pulled off only the third upset in women's tournament history, defeating a Colgate team that defeated the Orange and Blue twice already this season, 53-52, in the first round of the tournament



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Shannon McGowan '97 fights a Red Raider for a rebound in Friday's upset victory over Colgate.

before falling to the league's top seed Holy Cross in the semifinals, 62-39, last Sunday in Christl Arena.

"It was a great demonstration of team defense," Holy Cross coach Bill Gibbons said. "We got good rebounding and had few

fouls." "It's a learning situation for us," Bison coach Juliene Simpson said. "We felt like we had something to prove and we did that. We just didn't hit the shots we normally hit."

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Student opinion loses again Faculty keeps current calendar

BY COLLEEN RUSH
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President Sojka kept his promise to resolve the calendar issue before he left office at his last faculty meeting on Monday. Though some are still dissatisfied with the faculty vote to stay with the current calendar, the two-year debate over when to begin the Spring semester is officially over.

The faculty, in a clear majority vote, put an end to the calendar issue by voting against the University Council's last proposal to begin the spring semester one week earlier.

Judith Becker, associate professor of the academic administration and member of the University Council, said that the proposals from the last few years have covered almost every calendar change possible, and the University Council is not anticipating any new calendar proposals in the near future.

Ben Marsh, associate professor of geology and member of Committee on Instruction (COI), outlined the academic advantages of the current calendar in the meeting, saying that January provided "crucial instructional time" for the faculty to prepare for the Spring semester.

During the faculty meeting, Scott Charles '96, president of Bucknell Student Government (BSG), raised questions about the short reading period offered by both calendar options, saying that students were not given enough time to prepare for final exams.

In an interview, Charles said the faculty vote illustrated that student opinion on the calendar issue was, once again, disregarded.



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Scott Charles '96, president of BSG, said the faculty are close to striking out with students after the calendar vote.

"Their decision was almost completely based on self-interest," Charles said. "There was barely a mention of another constituency, besides the faculty, at this meeting."

Charles said the calendar vote was "strike two" against the faculty, after last week's vote against the reinstatement of the January Plan. According to a poll conducted by BSG, approximately 45% of the students responding were in favor of reinstituting the Jan Plan.

In an interview, Marsh said that COI is prepared to discuss the issue of the reading period, but was waiting until after a final vote on the calendar to address the possibility of lengthening the time before final exams begin.

"My concern extends beyond these issues," Charles said, "I am troubled by the lack of regard for

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Adams ready to assume presidency

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Moving to Lewisburg has been chaotic. But William Adams, president-elect, says he's thrilled to be here.

And, he says, he's eager to get to work.

"There's a tremendous sense here of the institution's momentum and promise. I want to attach myself to that and lend all my energies to strengthen it."

Acknowledging the many tasks ahead of him, Adams identified getting to know more about the University through talking with people and "trying to be very visible on campus" as his first presidential objective.

"I really want to get out and about and meet people. Institutions like this are strong and unique in ways that have to do with their particular history," Adams said. "I want to hear about people's hopes and grievances."

And as the successor to what he calls a "long and happy regime," Adams said that he understands that he will inevitably be measured against president Gary Sojka.

"I'm happy that Gary was so successful, but at the same time, I will do things differently. As I think about what to do I'll be certain not to move so abruptly that I leave people behind."

He wants to fill the slot for vice president for academic affairs as soon as possible. But before making any decision, he wants to better understand what the faculty thinks about the position. "I don't wish to make a mistake that would flow from my not understanding very well what people's hopes are for academic affairs," he said.

Other concerns on Adams' agenda include issues that he thinks Bucknell needs to concern

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Classical education makes a comeback

BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"I always think it's absolutely wonderful when people say to me and laugh, 'What's new in classics?'" says Barbara Shailor, vice president of student service. "There's a lot new in classics."

As a former professor of classics, Shailor is not alone in her opinion. An article in the Feb. 15 issue of the *New York Times* stated that, "the growing cadre of gung-ho classics students is evidence that Latin and Greek, of all things, seem to be making something of a comeback at colleges and high schools around the country."

The Trend

Bucknell, it seems, is following the trend. Mark Padilla, chair and professor of classics, says the number of majors has jumped from two to four a year to 11 this past year. And Janet Jones, assistant professor of classics, has divided the introductory Latin class into two sections to handle the in-



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian

Janet Jones, assistant professor of classics, splits a class into sections to handle the influx of students.

This is a far cry from when Shailor began teaching at Bucknell in 1975. Then the classics department stood on the brink of

extinction. The suggestion to incorporate the one tenured professor, James Heath, into another department and dissolve classics was, however, defeated. Since then the department has grown into three full-time professors and Shailor, who in addition to her administrative duties "teaches the odd tutorial."

The expansion of Bucknell's program falls in line with other similar institutions, like Swarthmore and William and Mary, which have also seen a renewed interest in classics.

Shailor, Jones, and Padilla all feel the trend towards a classics major has occurred mostly at smaller liberal arts colleges and high schools, and not at larger institutions. A recent survey by the National Classics Association reported that more positions in classics are being added at colleges like Bucknell, than at research-intensive universities.

One reason for the confinement of the trend to small colleges, Padilla says, is the interdisciplinary

nary nature of classics. At small, undergraduate-focused institutions like Bucknell, the encouragement given to departments to interact provides a breeding ground for classics.

Interdisciplinary Curriculum

The transfer between classics and other areas of study isn't a completely new development, however. Classics, which looks at all areas of ancient life, is by its very nature interdisciplinary.

"Classics has always been interdisciplinary," said Jones. "The only way to get a full understanding of the Romans, Greeks, Persians, or Etruscans is to look at all the evidence—so you have to be ready to deal with literary sources and material culture. You can't believe everything you read nor everything you see. Taking all the evidence together allows you to check one source against another and develop a more balanced

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Arts celebrate 18 years of achievement

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
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It provides funding for artists to conduct residencies on campus. It has supported projects from the recording of compact discs by music professors to ongoing exhibits at the Center Gallery. It has helped pay for student arts organizations to travel and it provides scholarship money to students involved in the arts. Finally, it recognizes the outstanding achievements of Bucknell alumni in the arts.

"It" is the Bucknell Association for the Arts, and the campus is celebrating 18 years of activity with a weekend of events and a banquet that will include the induction of four alumni into the Association's Academy of Artistic Achievement.

Betsy K. Powers, president of the Association for the Arts, the organization was established "to fulfill and encourage participation in the arts at Bucknell by alumni." Prior to the establishment of the Association for the Arts, Bucknell alumni involved in the arts were disappointed to find that there were very few ways in which they could participate in Bucknell's artistic life. Among other projects, the Association works to find ways to bring alumni with careers in the arts back to campus to share their knowledge and artistic insight with future members of the

art world.

Another pet project of the Association for the Arts is the focus semester. "Bucknell is unique in that it is the only university that I know of that provides any type of a focus semester," Powers said, adding that the Association has been instrumental this year in providing funding for events to broaden the university's focus semesters on Japan and China. "The main goal of the association is to enhance the academic programs that exist by bringing things to campus and paying for them," Powers said. "This helps to round out the understanding of the culture."

Concern for students whose participation in the arts may have been curtailed due to financial reasons led the Association to create scholarships for students with artistic inclinations. Powers stressed that these scholarships are not limited to students who are majoring in a fine arts area. The Association currently provides four scholarships a year to students with financial need. "This scholarship allows students to use about fifteen hours a week in their area of arts interest, whereas otherwise they might have to use that time to find a job to help finance their education," Powers said.

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Bucknellian File Photo
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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Wednesday, March 1

Public Safety Officers noticed a male, who was later identified as a student, urinating off of the downhill side steps of the Langone Center. Student was found to have been drinking beer and was under 21.

A student reported that her jacket had been stolen from the Chemistry building. The jacket contained keys to her room and vehicle along with several ID cards. Locks were changed and all IDs were cancelled. Investigation is continuing.

Friday, March 3

Officers responded to Kress hall for a fire alarm activation and found that unknown person(s) activated a pull station on the ground floor for no apparent reason.

Officers responded to Harris hall for a fire alarm activation and found that there was a fire in room 358. Harris caused by a candle which had fallen onto a foot locker. William Cameroun Engine Company was dispatched and responded to Harris. While searching the room for occupants, officers found what appeared to be a controlled substance. Lewisburg police were on the scene and charges are pending against the resident of the room.

Officers responded to Roberts hall for a fire alarm activation and found that residents on the fourth floor had broken a fire detector after it was set off by cigarette smoke. The residents were also hosting a party and were drinking numerous alcoholic beverages and were under 21.

Saturday, March 4

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Officers noticed an individual trying to uproot a small tree by the Botany building. Officers learned that the individual was drinking and was under 21. The accused, William Buck, was not a student and was turned over to Lewisburg police, who cited him for underage consumption.

A student reported that a window in the laundry room of Trax had been broken. Public Safety Officers responded and found that unknown person(s) smashed the window which was approx 3'X3'.

Sunday, March 5

A visitor of a student attempted to visit a friend at the Sigma Chi fraternity when he was stopped by four males on the front porch and denied access. While walking away from the house, victim was assaulted by two males that were on the porch. Victim was taken to Evangelical hospital to have injuries checked. External charges are pending at this time.

Monday, March 7

Residential Life Staff requested Public Safety to respond to Vedder Hall for a possible controlled substance violation. Samuel Cohen '98 was charged by Lewisburg Police for possession of drug paraphernalia and a related substance.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

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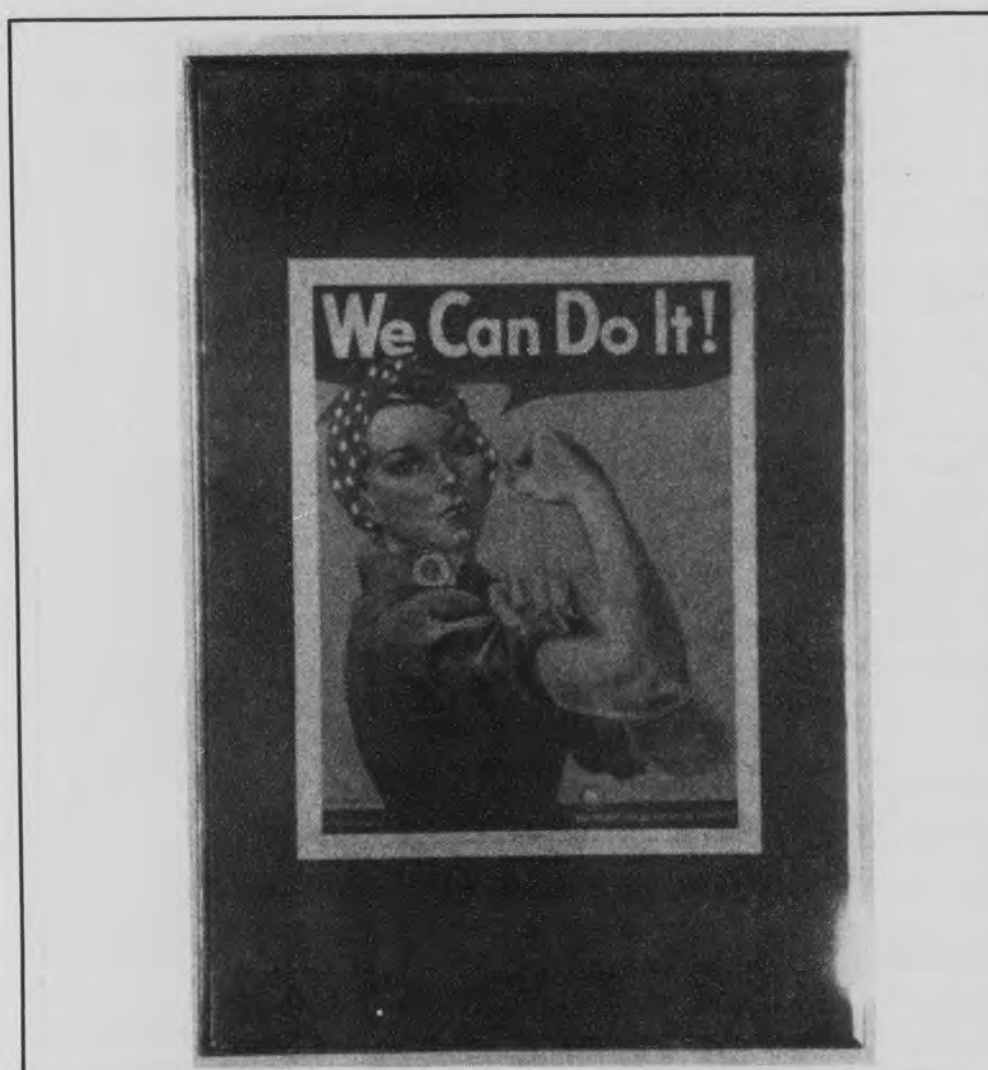
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Campus celebrates International Women's Day

International Women's Day was inspired by a New York City demonstration on March 8, 1857, in which women garment and textile workers protested low wages, 12 hour workdays, and increased workloads. Various women at Bucknell shared their international experiences, ranging from feminist issues to racial stereotypes.



Photos clockwise from left: (1,4) Posters, crafts, and photographs chronicling the international accomplishments of women adorned the walls in the Cave. (2) The Silhouettes, including Erin McCallister '97, Mary Anne Elma '96, and Jodie Eash '95 (pictured above) opened the hour-long discussion with a few tunes. (3) Marlene Brandon '95 and Dillonna Lewis '95 studied black sisterhood and the relationship between African-American and African-Caribbean women in Barbados last summer. The two discussed their research on the concept of global sisterhood. (5) Amanda Swarr '95 shared her abroad experiences from East Africa. Focusing on the feminist movement in rural Kenya, Swarr explained the significance of the kiondo, the woven basket, in fostering economic autonomy for Kenyan women.

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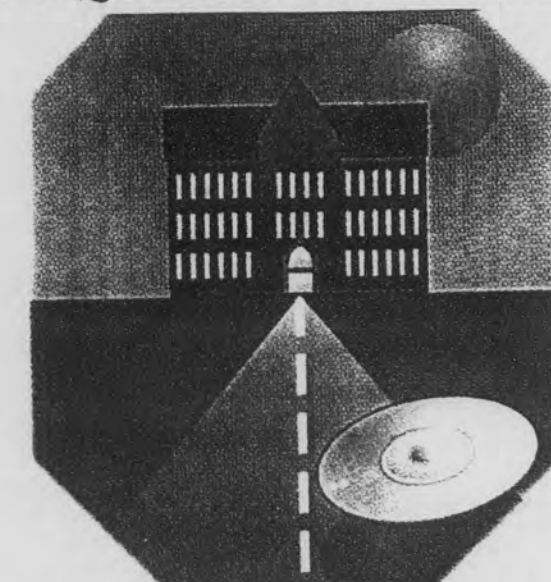
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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Wednesday, March 1

Public Safety Officers noticed a male, who was later identified as a student, urinating off of the downhill side steps of the Langone Center. Student was found to have been drinking beer and was under 21.

A student reported that her jacket had been stolen from the Chemistry building. The jacket contained keys to her room and vehicle along with several ID cards. Locks were changed and all IDs were cancelled. Investigation is continuing.

Friday, March 3

Officers responded to Kress hall for a fire alarm activation and found that unknown person(s) activated a pull station on the ground floor for no apparent reason.

Officers responded to Harris hall for a fire alarm activation and found that there was a fire in room 358 Harris caused by a candle which had fallen onto a foot locker. William Cameron Engine Company was dispatched and responded to Harris. While searching the room for occupants, officers found what appeared to be a controlled substance. Lewisburg police were on the scene and charges are pending against the resident of the room.

Officers responded to Roberts hall for a fire alarm activation and found that residents on the fourth floor had broken a fire detector after it was set off by cigarette smoke. The residents were also hosting a party and were drinking numerous alcoholic beverages and were under 21.

Saturday, March 4

An officer noticed person to the rear of SAM with an open container of beer in hand. Person was found to be a student who is under the age of 21.

An officer noticed another person to the rear of SAM with an open container of beer in hand. Person was found to be a student who is under the age of 21.

Officers responded to Kress hall on a report of glass breaking. Officers found that unknown person(s) had smashed a display case window and the window in the stairway of Kress hall on the first floor landing.

Officers noticed an individual trying to uproot a small tree by the Botany building. Officers learned that the individual was drinking and was under 21. The accused, William Buck, was not a student and was turned over to Lewisburg police, who cited him for underage consumption.

A student reported that a window in the laundry room of Trax had been broken. Public Safety Officers responded and found that unknown person(s) smashed the window which was approx 3'X3'.

Sunday, March 5

A visitor of a student attempted to visit a friend at the Sigma Chi fraternity when he was stopped by four males on the front porch and denied access. While walking away from the house, victim was assaulted by two males that were on the porch. Victim was taken to Evangelical hospital to have injuries checked. External charges are pending at this time.

Monday, March 7

Residential Life Staff requested Public Safety to respond to Vedder Hall for a possible controlled substance violation. Samuel Cohen '98 was charged by Lewisburg Police for possession of drug paraphernalia and a related substance.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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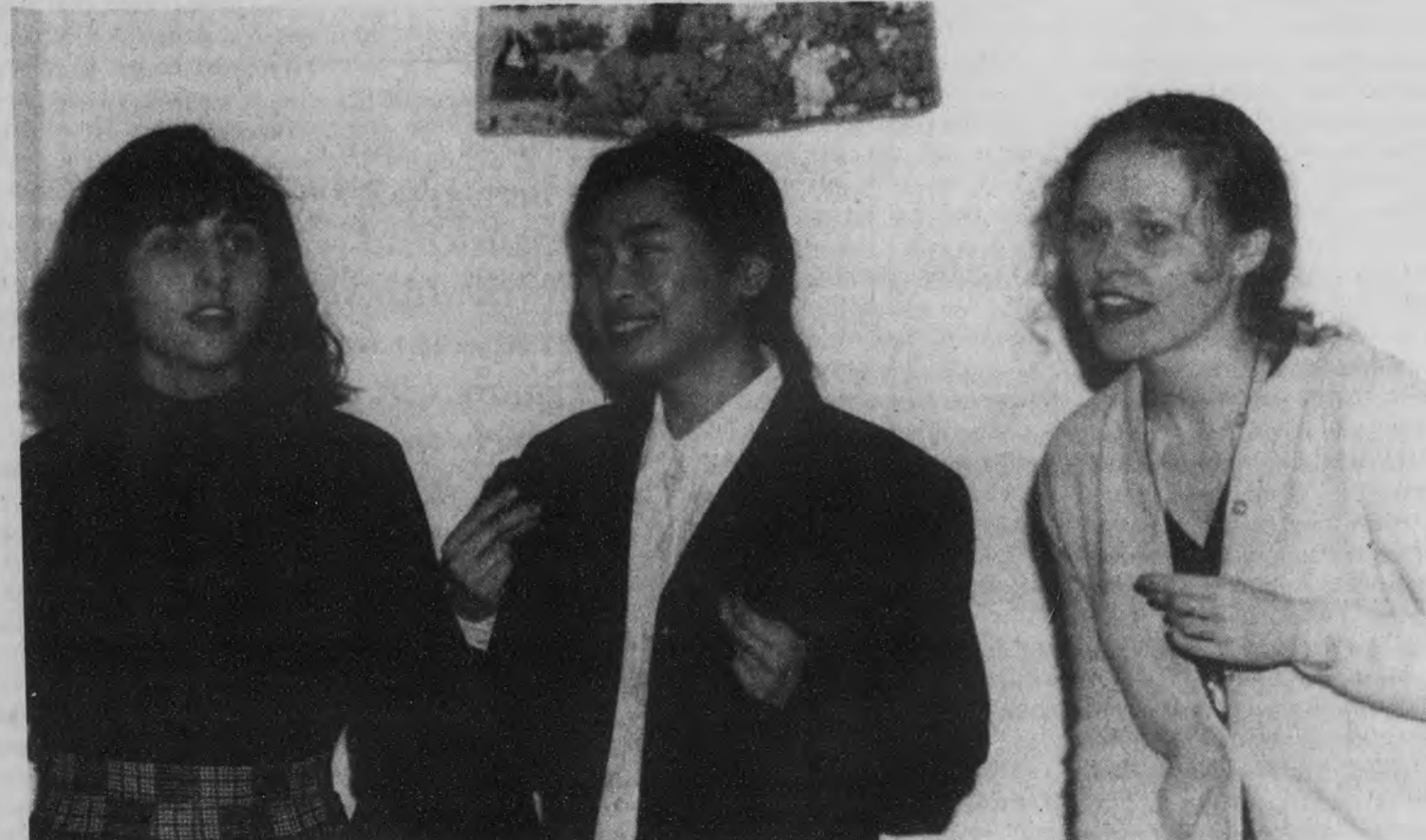
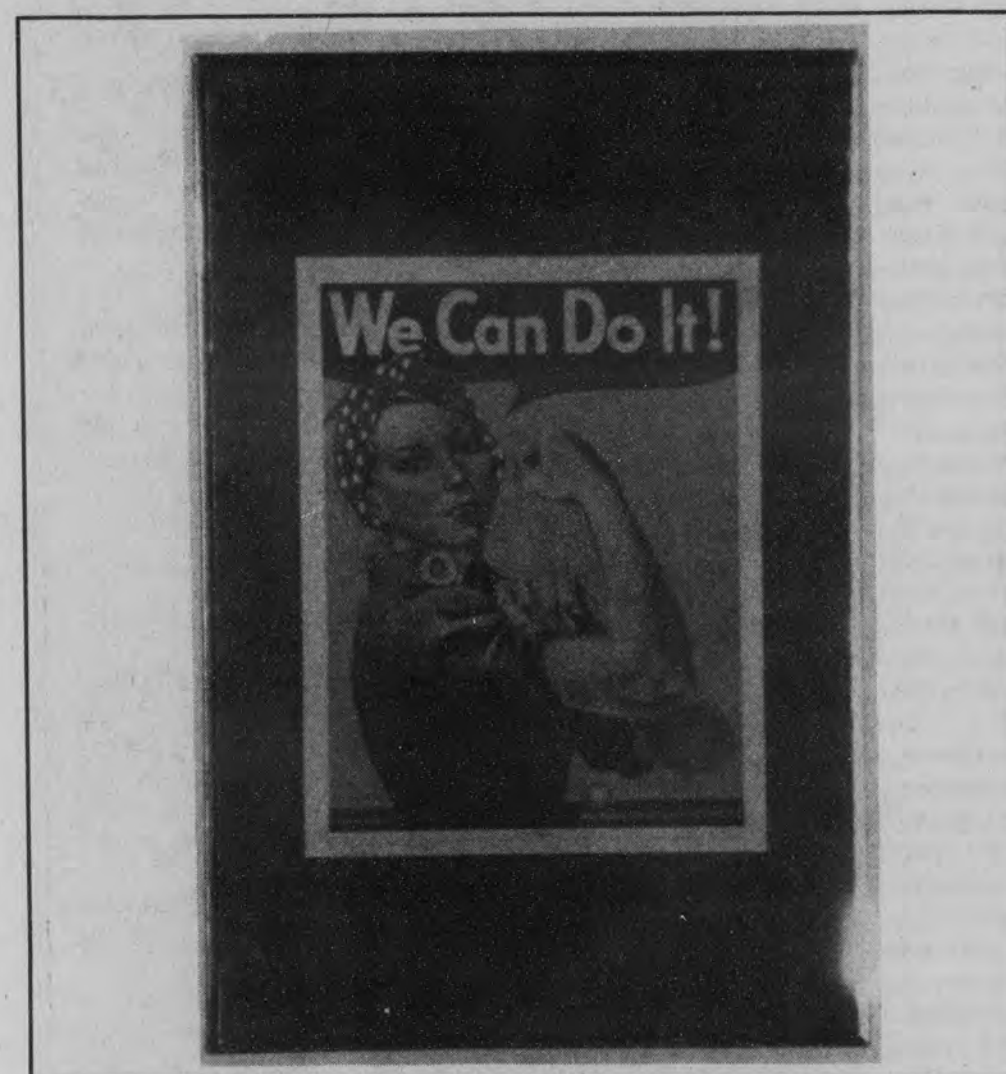
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Photos clockwise from left: (1,4) Posters, crafts, and photographs chronicling the international accomplishments of women adorned the walls in the Cave. (2) The Silhouettes, including Erin McCallister '97, Mary Anne Elma '96, and Jodie Eash '95 (pictured above) opened the hour-long discussion with a few tunes. (3) Marlene Brandon '95 and Dillonna Lewis '95 studied black sisterhood and the relationship between African-American and African-Caribbean women in Barbados last summer. The two discussed their research on the concept of global sisterhood. (5) Amanda Swarr '95 shared her abroad experiences from East Africa. Focusing on the feminist movement in rural Kenya, Swarr explained the significance of the kiondo, the woven basket, in fostering economic autonomy for Kenyan women.

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CLASSICS

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overall picture."

Shallor agreed, adding, "I think the breadth of classics is one of its strengths. Students often find it interesting because they can come at classics from a variety of different ways."

Expanding the Topics

The secret, then, in the recent surge of classics majors seems to lie not just in making the courses more interdisciplinary, but updating the material to cover issues that students can relate to. The discipline has expanded its scope broadly over the past two decades. Classics is no longer confined to the lives of aristocrats, emperors, and the occasional war.

"My professors tended to take a very narrow view of classical studies," said Jones. "We did a lot of vase painting, sculpture, and architecture. While those topics were interesting, I came out of the program wanting more. I wanted to know how everyday people did everyday things, how they got from place to place, and whether they brushed and flossed."

Jones now covers issues like the ancient environment, early technology, and the lives of the underprivileged citizens in her classes, topics previously ignored.

English translations of Latin and Greek texts have also helped expose classics to a wider range of students, Padilla said, and the emergence of female classicists

has "led to the uncovering and analysis of a large amount of data and sets of issues that were left dormant for a long time," like feminism, domestic life, and multiculturalism.

Exploring universal issues in a classical frame also helps students identify topics and situations relevant to today.

"The ancient world is a place where gender issues and multicultural issues can be explored in a relatively neutral context, because it's so remote," said Padilla. "I think that the ancient world, finite as it is as a Mediterranean region, allows us to imagine a world that's not divided between East and West... because the ancients didn't conceive of their world as being the West versus the East."

Expanding the field is what Padilla feels has helped Bucknell's classics department to thrive. "We've democratized our major so that students now can study Greek, Latin, and three other tracks: material culture, literature, and history," Padilla says. "And this has proved to be immediately popular."

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Students have also found that studying classics, along with ancient languages, gives them skills applicable in all disciplines. The emphasis on Latin or ancient Greek is on grammar and syntax because they are languages that are no longer spoken.

"I believe more than ever that the Classical languages provide individuals with a unique perspective on the English and other languages," said Padilla. "A year of Greek or Latin, with their encompassing grammar lessons and emphasis on the written word endows one with a lifelong appreciation of the complex nature of writing."

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—Mark Padilla
Professor of Classics

ing and language."

"There's a recognition that a major in classics really does prepare you to think critically and to write well," said Shallor. "We know that students who study classical languages perform better on standardized test. That is what makes classics still viable as a ma-

yor."

Continuing the Trend

Padilla is hopeful that the trend towards a classical education will continue. "I think because we've decided this year to break from traditional language-based study, that our success will continue," Padilla says. "We're very excited by the opportunities to teach courses not only in the languages, but in a variety of other topics."

For this purpose, Padilla has co-written a proposal with Slava Yastremski, professor of Russian, to "establish a major in the humanities of an interdisciplinary nature: 'Comparative Humanistic Studies.'" The program would allow students to look at humanistic traditions in an interdepartmental and cross-cultural way.

Jones, too, is reaching beyond her department, and has agreed to use her knowledge in how ancient people affected their environment to serve as a senior fellow for the Environmental College next year.

Using the methods taught to her in college, and expanding on them, Jones is broadening the classics curriculum to give her students the kinds of courses she missed as an undergraduate.

"While I still tour my students through the major monuments, I also try to bring in as much material to balance that as I can," Jones said. "I've developed the kinds of courses I would have liked to have taken."

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World News

FBI agents to investigate slayings

Four agents from an FBI anti-terrorism squad have been dispatched to Pakistan to investigate the assault rifle slayings of two American diplomatic workers.

President Clinton condemned the shooting as a "cowardly act." He has ordered government agencies to work with the government of Pakistan to find the killers.

The victims of the shooting in Karachi were on their way to work in a van when the gunmen got out of a taxi and opened fire with AK-47 rifles.

The White House said that Hillary Rodham Clinton is still planning to visit Pakistan later this month—the first scheduled stop on a trip to Asia.

—Associated Press

Terms eased for I.R.A. role in talks

Britain's chief official on Northern Ireland eased his Government's conditions for the political arm of the Irish Republican Army to enter into all-party peace talks on Ulster's future.

During a visit to Washington, the official, Sir Patrick Mayhew, suggested that Sinn Féin, the I.R.A.'s political wing, would be allowed to enter the talks if it showed "a willingness in principle to disarm progressively."

Sir Patrick said that he would be open to having the United States send officials to serve as a neutral third party for receiving arms from the I.R.A. and Protestant paramilitary groups. But a Clinton Administration official, under heavy criticism from Republicans in Congress for undertaking too many overseas commitments, said that they made no formal offer to send American officials to Ulster to oversee the disarming of Catholic and Protestant paramilitary groups.

—New York Times

Republicans support sanctions against Cuba

Leading congressional Republicans want the Clinton Administration to keep economic sanctions against Cuba.

Administration officials acknowledged that they are debating whether to revoke a pair of relatively mild sanctions imposed last summer during the massive boat exodus from Cuba.

Some aides are pushing to do away with a ban on sending U.S. dollars to Cubans and restrictions on travel by U.S. citizens to Cuba.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich (R-Ga.) said that sanctions should be eased only if Cuban President Fidel Castro commits to move from communism toward democracy.

—Associated Press

New Croat-Bosnian link worries U.N.

Three weeks before its threatened expulsion of United Nations peace-keepers is to begin, Croatia has forged a new military alliance with Bosnia, establishing what on paper is a common front between former adversaries to counter Serbian rebels in both their countries.

The move added to the concerns of United Nations officials and Western nations over the possibility of renewed war in Croatia and Bosnia if the Croatian President, Franjo Tudjman, goes through with his threat to expel the 12,000 United Nations peace-keepers in Croatia when their Security Council mandate expires on March 31.

—New York Times

National News

House approves change in legal system

The House of Representatives has passed legislation designed to curtail sharply the increasing number of lawsuits brought in federal courts.

The measure, the Attorney's Accountability Act, was swept along by a tide of anecdotes purporting to show that the American legal system is out of control, swamped with frivolous product-liability and personal-damage suits. The main effect of the bill, which was approved 232 to 193, would be to encourage parties to settle lawsuits before trial by exposing them to the risk of paying some of the opponent's legal costs.

With its 230-vote Republican majority, the House is expected to pass two additional measures, one to limit punitive damages and set Federal standards in product liability cases and the other to make it more difficult for shareholders to bring suits against public companies by contending that they were defrauded. But the package of bills faces a far less certain fate in the Senate.

—New York Times

Six communities compete for military center

With American forces scheduled to withdraw from Panama by 1999 under terms of the Panama Canal Treaty, the Pentagon is looking for a new home for its Southern Command, the headquarters responsible for Latin American military activities in Latin America.

The selection of a new headquarters site is particularly rare at a time when scores of American military bases are closing, and six communities are using political ties and financial incentives to compete for it. Beyond bragging rights to one of the military's five major regional commands, the prize, by one estimate, will mean 1,500 new jobs and \$100 million into the local economy. The Pentagon has narrowed the field to Miami, Tampa, New Orleans, Atlanta, Washington, and Puerto Rico, and is expected to announce its choice later this month.

—New York Times

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

OPINIONS

Professor responds to letter written by Luke Bragg regarding abortion

TO THE EDITOR:

First, let me apologize for the delay in responding to your recent rebuttal of the letter supporting abortion rights by Mr. Stith. I enjoyed reading both such rational treatises on this sensational, tragic event and in particular your analogy with the John Brown incident. The analogy with John Brown is an apt one as far as it goes. It proves the point that available evidence indicates that both Paul Hill and John Brown may have acted on their convictions. The problem with convictions, of course, is that we can never know the convictions of others, only guess at them. Could I not as easily argue that Hitler was sincere in his desire to remove all Communists, Gypsies, Jews, and mentally retarded people from the face of the earth in order to provide a better society for those who remained? The question is an age old one: do the ends justify the means? The ultimate issue then is whether the end, curtailing the right of abortion, is a noble one.

We may be able to decide, however, whether Hill's justification for his actions is as good as Brown's justification. Brown was responding to an unquestionably just cause, the injustice of people with skin of one color, owning people whose skin happens to be a different color. Blacks and native Americans before them had been subject to complete control by white settlers; while people even had the right to kill those with dark skins with impunity. Aside from the issue of whether ending enslavement and murder justifies murder itself, we can argue, effectively I think, that the enslavement and murder of human beings is evil.

The abortion issue, however, is different in that it crucially turns on a terminological issue: we disagree fundamentally on whether fetuses are human beings. This is not a political or legal issue but a conceptual one. First of all, there is the linguistic question. The anti-abortionist argument, which you mention at the end of your letter, assumes that fetuses are unborn babies, a claim which is not self-contradictory to those who raise it. If this is true, however, and the purpose of words is to express social and other concepts, it is interesting that no language seems to use the same word for the two. The fact that we use different words would seem to indicate that they are not the same.

A colleague of mine in New Zealand, Andrew Carstairs-McCarthy, recently published an article in the leading linguistic journal, *Language*, on what he calls the Avoid Synonymy Principle. Although we use the term 'synonymy,' the very nature of language is to avoid syn-

onyms. No one yet has found an uncontroversial set of synonyms in any language. If we have two words, it is because we have two concepts and there simply are no convincing exceptions. If it were possible for human beings to even conceive of fetuses as babies, some language somewhere would use a single term to refer to both. This indicates to me that, despite what any individual says about his or her religious beliefs, human beings as a species throughout the world consciously and subconsciously agree that fetuses and babies are fundamentally different things. If this is so, there is no basis to assume that rights extended to one have any natural, cultural, or social extension to the other. Such an extension would have to be purely political and legal.

Even if you are not persuaded by the conceptual argument, I think that there is a way for Paul Hill to ask his soul if his cause is just, if his act was designed to protect the lives of human babies. Close your eyes and imagine that someone offers you what you would call 'a baby' to hold. What is your reaction? I would be surprised if you were not willing to accept the baby, if you did not smile, even laugh, hold it close to you, even kiss it because of your extreme delight. Now imagine that this is happening in a slightly different world, a world which is identical to this one except for one minor difference: in this world, during gestation, female human beings can remove what you would call 'a fetus' from their womb for examination. Remember, everything else is the same: human desires and motivations, moral and ethical standards, emotions and reactions — everything else is identical. Now imagine that someone hands you a fetus to hold. In all honesty, what would be your reaction? If it were not revulsion, frowning and complaint, I would again be surprised. I like this experiment, because it does not test our religious values or our minds, it does not allow us to deceive ourselves by claiming to believe something that we do not; rather it tests what the self-claimed religious extremists think is at stake in this issue, our soul.

Let me extend your analogy with John Brown to a point of political strategy: Brown's means failed to accomplish his ends, just as Hill's apparently have. Brown did not bring about any change in attitudes; rather, his actions led to a hardening of support for slavery. This might have been the result of a fundamental difference in the law of the Old Testament and that of the New. The law of the Old Testament is "an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth." Jesus Christ introduced a stunning new legal concept which those who publicly

thump their Christianity cannot come to grips with to this day. If memory serves me well, a fair paraphrase of it would be: if someone smite thee on cheek, turn the other cheek, and it will be as though coals were heaped upon his neck. The problem with "eye-for-an-eye" law, assuming that it applies to everyone, is that as you and your enemy use the same rule responding to each other's violence, a chain of violence is created. If you use "turn-the-other-cheek", at worst you remain stuck with the original injustice. You can see the "eye-for-an-eye" justice operating at full steam in Bosnia, Georgia, Chechnya, Armenia and Azerbaijan today. Count Leo Tolstoy was the first to argue that "turn-the-other-cheek" would work as a political strategy to reform societies, but Gandhi was the first to try it. Guess what? Tolstoy was right. India is today a free nation. It has been tried two other times in the U. S. Martin Luther King led a movement which used it to gain at least de jure rights for blacks and the peace movement of the 70s applied it to stop an unjust war in Vietnam. Both movements fell apart precisely when members began using it as justification to return to "eye-for-an-eye" justice.

There is one problem with non-violent resistance: it only works if everyone agrees, in their souls, who is right and who is wrong. It is interesting that the quotation of Jesus Christ which I quoted above ends with the remark to the effect that "it will be as though coals were heaped upon their neck." When does the back of our necks burn? I think it is when our conscience tells us that we are doing something wrong and we are afraid of being caught (another soul test). If this is true, then non-violence places a check on misguided zeal and self-deception, for it will not work if the rebel is wrong. It is therefore an excellent strategy for causes led by self-righteous demagogues who believe the issues with politically charged terminology designed to obscure truth, terms like "unborn babies" and "pro-life."

John Brown failed. Martin Luther King succeeded. If our analogy holds, then Paul Hill will fail, too. Whether anyone in the anti-abortionist movement will succeed will depend on the non-violent movement and whether its cause is right, as we as a nation see right, or whether the women who fought for decades for the freedom to control their own bodies are in the right.

PROFESSOR ROBERT BEARD

RUSSIAN AND LINGUISTICS

MARCH 6, 1995

"Grade inflation" must be examined before discussed

TO THE EDITOR:

Before the rapidly developing discussion of "grade inflation" goes too far, I would like to suggest that we pause for a moment to collect our thoughts and to consider where we want to go with it. Having been at Bucknell for 25 years, I have been a party to whatever has been done to grade distribution and from my perspective a bit of inflation should not be the source of great consternation.

I taught Economics 103 for my first few years here. We had a class of over 400 and the classroom was Vaughan Literature Auditorium. Being concerned with the education of our students we broke them down into intimate discussion groups of 100, give or take a dozen. My old grade books show that about 50 per cent of my grades were A and B. Today Economics 103 is taught in classes of about 30 students. I am not in the least surprised that grades in that course have edged up, in fact I would wonder about the professional competence of my departmental colleagues if they could not get the material across to their 30 students better than I did to my 400, or 100. I also notice that the grades for senior level seminars today and then are about the same. From this anecdotal evidence I would argue that the reduction in class size which I believe (I do not have the data at hand) has been accomplished at Bucknell has been a significant contributory factor in what we see as grade inflation.

Perhaps departments that take pride in the harshness (or is it rigor?) of their grading are departments in which huge class sizes are still tolerated. What if all departments set 30 as the maximum class size? If their grades are as severe as they appear to be, how do any of their graduates gain admission to graduate programs? Or are the harsh grades given primarily to hapless first year students who do not particularly want to be in the class in the first place? How do grades differ among departments for senior level seminars for majors? Or for other obvious categories of courses?

There are many other factors that ought to be considered when we make inter-departmental grade comparisons. For example, how does one grade a student sitting in the middle of the second violins in an orchestra? Give all orchestra members the same grade? A or B or C? Or first chairs get A and it goes down from there? How does one grade with rigor and still have enough participants show up so we can have a choir or a dance company or a theater? Would Pass-fail do it?

Do I sense more than a little self-disdain in the comments of my colleagues who portray faculty members as cowed by the prospect of a less than enthusiastic course evaluation by their students?

As a faculty member I can only offer my own thoughts and anecdotal experiences—I have neither the time nor the authorization to share the Office of the Registrar for data regarding grades for senior seminars for majors by department, grades by class size, the change in the structure of our course offerings, and so forth. Unfortunately only if we have such data will we be able to discuss this issue with any intelligence. There are, however, several people working in Marts Hall who could take charge of this issue and do us all a great service by presenting the rest of us with that data.

Scholars are what they are because of their regard for methodology, for data, for getting the question right and, only then, coming to a reasoned conclusion. I do hope we can keep this in mind if and when we discuss the question of grade inflation and its significance. There may be an interesting light here, but for me it has not been brought to reality by the "concerned but confused" contributions we have heard thus far. Let's examine the various possible contributory factors and then have our discussion.

PROFESSOR PETER KRESL

ECONOMICS DEPT.

MARCH 7, 1995

Book banning in Bookstore at request of Women's Resource Center strikes response

TO THE EDITOR:

It is more than a little alarming to read that certain periodicals have been banned from the University's Bookstore, apparently at the request of the advisory board of the Women's Resource Center, which deems Playboy "and other similar publications" offensive in their "representation of women on campus."

My questions are: Isn't it a form of neopuritanism to target sexually explicit magazines as somehow offensive? Why does one group have the authority to control the display, regardless of the content, of certain periodicals? Isn't it condescending to forbid young adults (college students) to see pictures or read something that may or may not be offensive to someone else? Isn't that censorship?

Admittedly these magazines are available elsewhere, but shouldn't the University Bookstore be protected from the censorship demands of individuals or groups on or off campus? The Bookstore sells many books and magazines that are offensive or unrepresentative in one way or another. How many "undesirable" publications will come under attack in the future?

The title of that news article was "A center devoted to understanding." Although the WRC in the past has done some fine work to promote understanding of women's issues, in this instance it has become a center devoted to an unconstitutional version of the First Amendment.

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EDITORIAL

Greeting the new era of leadership for Bucknell

This year, the Ides of March brings good news, not bad.

On this day, William Adams assumes the University presidency, continuing, hopefully, the decade of expansion that characterized Gary Sojka's presidency.

Over the past ten years, President Sojka contributed greatly to the success of the University. Bucknell added residence halls—Smith Hall and the Gateway apartments, new buildings—the Rooke Chemistry Building and the Weis Center for the Performing Arts—and several renovated academic buildings.

Under his administration, Bucknell implemented the Agenda for Common Learning, the Bucknell plan for engineering education, and the recent capital campaign that finished with a whopping \$90.9 million. Bucknell captured the first President's Cup in 1991 and last year achieved rank 25 in *U.S. News and World Report's* Top 25 Colleges and Universities in the country.

Even problematic situations—the infamous "Halloween Riot" and the 1993 Liquor Control Enforcement Agency raid on off-campus student apartments were

unable to shake such a solid administration. But his notoriety extended beyond administrative duties.

When he crossed campus and saw students he knew, President Sojka greeted them by name, proving that he indeed was a president who was not only concerned with University business but with the students who comprised that University as well.

Following such a successful "regime," as Adams calls it, may seem to be a formidable task for the president-elect. Sojka wore big shoes. It may be some time before all members of the University community are ready to concede that Adams has big enough feet to fill them.

Yet to make comparisons between the two presidents, to view all Adams' decisions through a Sojka lens as people will invariably do, will be futile and unproductive for the new administration. Adams and the two vice presidents who soon will also take office need to be regarded on the basis of their own abilities, strengths, talents, and weaknesses. Not on how they do, or don't, measure up to the previous "regime."

Adams is lucky in the fact that he succeeds a president who commanded such high regard for his work.

Sojka enjoyed positive relations with students, faculty members, administrators, trustees, local residents and other University constituents. He helped continue to establish Bucknell's fine reputation across the country and in various parts of the world. He kept his promises, the recent calendar decision being one that he vowed to resolve before he left office.

Adams has a full plate in front of him with issues ranging from how to increase the size of our endowment to helping Bucknell continue to meet prospective students' needs in an increasingly competitive market for higher education.

It won't be an easy task, but one about which we feel confident that Adams is capable. We're sure that he will be able to lead our University into the 21st century with flying colors.

Thank you President Sojka. Welcome to Bucknell, President Adams.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letter to the Editor regarding Bucknell trip to Cuba sparks response

Professor of Economics feels intentions were misread TO THE EDITOR:

I write concerning Jonathan Meyers' response to the letter in *The Bucknellian*, March 2, that I, and fifteen others, wrote opposing the U.S. economic blockade against Cuba. We explained that we had traveled in Cuba for ten days in January to find out for ourselves what was happening there. Before going we studied material supplied by the trip organizers, Global Exchange, and many of us had read much additional information. While there, we talked to hundreds of Cubans, most of them ordinary people we met on the street, at schools, or in whose homes we visited.

By the time we returned to Bucknell, all of us had come to oppose the U.S. blockade on grounds that it was a remnant of a Cold War that had ended, and that, along with the collapse of Soviet economic aid, its main effect now was to punish severely Cubans by reducing by one-third the size of their economy, and the food available to them. We reminded our readers that the blockade, now 35 years old, had neither removed Fidel Castro from power nor socialism from Cuba, the avowed purpose of the politicians who have enforced it since 1960. We also reminded our readers that the blockade had been condemned by a great majority of states in the United Nations, and that because we had to establish our credentials as journalists, and to fly to a third country to enter Cuba, it violated our own Constitutional right to travel.

On Feb. 21, in the Forum, at a public meeting we showed slides from our trip, made a few short presentations and answered questions raised by the audience. Additionally, as individuals we have spoken to Bucknell classes, to churches and other community groups off campus, and where possible we are continuing to share our impressions about our trip.

Our purpose in these many presentations has not been foremost a political one, though we felt strongly enough about the economic blockade to write the letter to *The Bucknellian* urging its end. Rather, our main goal has been educational, and we have tried to present both sides of what we learned about Cuba from our study and from our trip there. In these presentations, we have described what appeared to us as the great spirit and dignity of most of the Cubans we met; but we also have discussed how starkly such dignity is juxtaposed to the forlorn looks in the faces of young beggars on the street and the sad smiles of prostitutes at the corners. We described how deeply moved we were by the commitment and talents of the doctors and teachers we met; yet, at the Forum presentation one of us focused separately on the serious human rights violations occurring in Cuba, and how they have intensified in the wake of the economic perils now facing the nation.

Given our belief that sharing our experiences might provoke a useful public discussion about Cuba, we were quite surprised by Meyers' letter. We are not surprised, of course, by his overall conclusion that Cuba is a defunct socialist dictatorship, because that is the view shared by many, perhaps most, people in the United States. Yet, it is particularly disturbing to us that Meyers' views about Cuba are more a litany of angry pronouncements, reflecting three decades of relentless anti-Cuban propaganda by the U.S. government, than facts and interpretations that might have countered those in our letter.

For instance, according to Meyers, Cuba has a "totalitarian regime," though he does not describe a single factual detail of that regime. Nor does he explain how in a "totalitarian" society, one under the siege of the world's mightiest nation, people have access to free education and a health care system the World Health Organization has called a model for developing countries, a burgeoning open circulation of books, music, and artistic works, free and easy contact with half a million tourists, and the ability to listen to radio stations from the United States.

Meyers writes that Cubans "have been forced into a life of ignorance and soulless slavery," subjugated by a mass-murdering petty-dictator who views human beings as little more than mere organisms, fodder to plug into the machinery of the party state and to enhance the glory of his own insane ego. Yet, there are no words or witnesses given from even one of these soulless slaves, not the detailed facts of cases of mass murder, nor evidence of the insanity of Fidel Castro. Mr. Meyers' passionate hatred for Castro makes it impossible for him to consider the likelihood that for most Cubans Castro is a revolutionary hero rather than the Incarnated Devil.

In describing Cuban economic life, Meyers writes that if one tries "to improve one's lot economically...frighteningly perilous—even torturous fates await." This is an astonishingly misleading statement since, as one way to survive the near collapse of the economy, every day more Cubans are engaged in private, and legal, entrepreneurial efforts to improve their lot. He also tells us that Fidel has "stolen" the basic "ideals" of the Cubans, "trading fundamental human rights for a cheap 'guarantee' of sub-standard goods and services that do not merit the productivity of the Cuban people." And, so, on.

Quite incredibly, in Meyers' accounting of Cuba's desperate economic situation, there is a brief reference to "U.S. and OAS sanctions" against Cuba but no mention of a punishing blockade. There is no hint of his recognition of how, since 1960, the United States has used its massive power to coerce most of the nations of the world not to sell its goods to Cuba nor buy Cuban exports, and has worked unceasingly to keep international agencies, and private banks, from lending Cuba much needed foreign exchange. Nor does Meyers seem to see the peculiar, cruel intensity of this blockade, for instance that, while U.S. firms can sell medical supplies to Iraq, a country against which the U.S. also has an economic blockade, it is illegal for them to sell medicines to Cuba. We heard of the sad consequences of this policy every time we talked to Cuban doctors, or discussed health care with Cubans on the street.

In contrast to Jonathan Meyers' vision of Cuba, when we were there we didn't see a single soulless slave, nor anyone whose ideals had been stolen, nor the littered grave of a mass who had been murdered by a mad dictator. Rather, we saw many, many individuals trying to construct a dignified life in the face of a very harsh set of limited circumstances. We had conversations, again and again, with people whose faces sparkled with intelligence and commitment in spite of their living in the unpainted, often deteriorating, infrastructure of a small country besieged by a neighbor, twenty five times its size, trying to starve it into submission.

We came to respect and hold deep affection for many of the Cubans we saw, most of them regular people with no connection to the government. And, we came back home with a solid promise to each other that we would tell our colleagues, friends, and neighbors that it is time to stop this genuinely cruel and crazy blockade against these Cuban friends we had made.

To see in our purpose the justification of tyranny and oppression is to misread our letter, our intentions, and, above all else, what is happening today in Cuba.

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OPINIONS

Private decision-making—
"Cost-benefit analysis"

BY JOHN STITH
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After three years of writing for *The Bucknellian*, this will be my last column on abortion. Some readers have thanked me for writing on this topic; others have written back with important criticisms. But I have no illusions. I know very well that the majority of Bucknell students couldn't care less.

"Abortion—that's something that will never be resolved." "That argument has been going on forever." "Why talk about it? It only gets people upset." These are typical responses to the subject.

I have enjoyed the dialogue with pro-choice activists at Bucknell because they are concerned with the same thing as I am: morality. The argument about the morality of abortion is something that activists on both sides do take seriously. While the pro-life movement emphasizes the immorality of killing a human being, the pro-choice movement argues that it would be immoral for the law to require a woman to finish a pregnancy. Those who care about these arguments know that what is right and wrong is at the very center of the discussion.

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Yet "morality" has become a dirty word in our culture, and many of our generation have become experts at distancing themselves from it. President Reagan said an interesting thing in a 1985 speech: "Perhaps the greatest triumph of modern conservatism has been to stop allowing the Left to put the average American on the moral defensive." As President Reagan knew, the last thing most people want is to be told they're oppressing someone. In the modern mentality, anyone who would dare to suggest that we are wrong about something should get out of our face.

People on both the political Left and Right who deal with moral issues know the frustration of their work. Activists on the Left are frustrated because so many people just don't want to know how their lifestyles affect the environment, or the Third World, or the equality of women. Activists on the Right are frustrated because people don't want to hear about unborn children or our country's moral standards. Religious activists are frustrated because people don't care about their beliefs, practices, or constitutional objections. When activists of all stripes take their messages to the Bucknell campus, our signs get torn down, our chalk talk changed, our events ignored, and we are otherwise ridiculed for daring to care about an issue.

The common line "Don't impose your beliefs on me" annoys me for more reasons than simply because I am pro-life. It represents a fear of anyone who is belief-driven. Most of our laws are all about imposing rules on one another for the common good. These rules are grounded in the beliefs of the majority of Americans in equality, environmental stewardship, and natural human rights.

In a nation where beliefs, whether progressive or conservative or religious, are pushed out of the political realm, "privacy" becomes the highest value. Soon nothing is right or wrong—you can pollute the land or abuse your spouse or train your own private army, as long as you do it on your own piece of land.

Consider the political issues we face: the major theme in many of them is how much privacy a person should have. Clearly there are some decisions that should remain private, and our rights to assemble, speak, and practice our religious faith are vital. But those acts that affect directly other people are up for debate, which includes a lot of things. Society has an interest in regulating drug use because we have to take care of the addicts. Society has an interest in protecting employees from discrimination. Society has an interest in protecting children, even from their own parents.

The great divide in American politics is not between Republicans and Democrats. It is between those who would allow Americans more privacy in making decisions, and those who recognize that lives around the world are being destroyed by the "private" decisions Americans make.

Let us not shrink from the moral questions of our day. Activists get involved because someone is hurting who needs our help. If you do not care to participate, we at least ask for your respect and interest.

BY ALLISON PRICE

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Matt Puccio, age 16, was a fan of New York sports teams. In the photo that ran along with the story in the *New York Times*, he is smiling warily from beneath the brow of a Giants cap. He was also wearing his Knicks team jacket when he was pulled from the Compo Yacht Basin in Westport, Conn., according to his father's spokesperson. On Feb. 26, Matthew and his father Thomas, a lawyer renowned for his role in winning the federal Abcam case, decided to go practice driving in a large parking lot adjacent to the yacht basin. Simple error turned tragic when the accelerator was chosen over the brake and the car containing the father and son careened over an embankment into the water. Thomas Puccio escaped. Matthew did not as he was trapped behind the steering wheel.

As if the story was not stunning and depressing enough, it worsted severely as I read on. At it seems to be the custom, the *Times* reporter went to Matt's high school for those wonderful comments we have all envisioned if we did not make it back to school after a fateful weekend. What the reporter set in ink



Morality of men should not restrict women's rights

When it comes to the abortion question, women should have the final say

BY CRISTINA TISA
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Okay. I know that this issue is like the poor dead horse and the glass of spilled milk and all of that. It's been beaten to death, but it appears to be one of those issues that will never really be laid to rest. The issues of abortion, choice, and life are hot, and with many Bucknellians observing Human Life Week this week it is an impossible issue to avoid. Students are walking around wearing little golden feet pins, buttons proclaiming their position, and t-shirts with quotations and statistics. We are all bombarded with chalk talk located around the campus walkways. I am really pleased that so many students are taking this opportunity to demonstrate for their cause. So, without further adieu, I'd like to add my two cents to the debate—again.

I was sitting in the LC today between noon and 1 p.m. gathering names for those interested in living in the special-interest houses next year (I was the one in uniform) when I noticed that our table was located next to the Human Life table. There was a plethora of materials and propaganda spread all around. There wasn't too much business going on, just a student here or there stopping by to gather information about the opposition, sign a petition, or chat with their friend sitting behind the table. I am not ashamed to admit that I felt my blood boiling as I heard some people discussing religious morality (Christian religious morality) and how it is immoral to even consider something as evil as an abortion. I had to remind myself, and was reminded by my various friends who stopped by to chat, that everyone has the right to demonstrate and petition for their pet causes. In this day and age I suppose I should be glad that someone is standing up for their morals and religious standards.

The gentleman I was sitting with involved me in a discussion about relevant categorical issues of the debate including the role of men in the decision. Here's where I upset every man and most women. I do not

believe that men have much right in this debate at all. I believe that men do have a right to discuss with their wives, girlfriends, or sometimes lovers what course of action should be taken. Their opinions necessarily cannot be excluded because they are directly involved in the problem. Their feelings and emotions figure in to the extent that a woman needs to have various emotions involved in her decisions—not the least of which is the father's. What I cannot believe, and what makes me so angry, is when men say that they can understand and feel the same feelings and emotions as the woman. How can they? How can they even dare say such an absurd thing? Men and women are different. We experience life and trouble much differently, luckily. A man may feel pain and anxiety about the pregnancy, but he will never experience the terror and turmoil that will flood the woman and her mind. When a woman goes through with her decision, either with an abortion or otherwise, the man may be by her side or off on vacation somewhere. It doesn't matter where he is because the point is that he has the choice of sticking around or running off. A woman cannot do that. This problem has the funny little quirk of following her wherever she goes.

Needless to say, the gentleman disagreed with me. Fine, he has the right to believe that he can feel the situation as actively as a woman can. At least he has the courage to face the situation head on with sincerity. Many men wouldn't. I hadn't really intended to focus my column around the issue of men and abortion. It just struck me that it was a man sitting behind the Human Life table. Am I the only one who sees the irony?

Well, the issue will continue and pick up more steam and momentum as the years go by and new aspects of the issue are brought to light. Regardless, I will do everything I can to make sure that the rights of women are not restricted by the morality of men. Until they can feel the pain and intrinsic attachment felt by women to the issue of abortion, I will continue to advocate the sovereignty of women over their bodies and decisions. As for religion, I pity your merciless god.

is an indictment of the absolute worst we can be as human beings and of the sad little stories that do not even make the Metro Section.

Of course everyone was shocked by the death of a classmate, a teenager "whom they had described as a quiet student who had taken more than his share of teasing from classmates." One teacher, in describing the "genuine sadness," explained "He didn't have a big group of friends, but he had kids who stood up for him. The kids who picked on him feel very guilty today." And a classmate added how "frightening" it all was. No kidding. Is this any way to live?

A lesson to all current and future high school teachers—DO NOT EVER LET THIS HAPPEN. Had he not drowned, Matt Puccio would have been stuck in the life that we all feel sorry about now and can do nothing to alter because it is part of his living past. I once read how perhaps the greatest long-term damage coming of age in a society riddled with often violent uncertainties that carry life and death implications is the destruction time and experience inflicts upon a youth's "inner-self." You may never be randomly shot as you sit watching TV, walking to and from school or by a disgruntled boyfriend. You may never die in a tragic car accident. Nevertheless, the

possibility is always there bearing down on you and instilling in you a sense that is beyond that of just human mortality. The images and fears are trapped in your consciousness—the sight of someone your own age in a casket at a viewing, the dress you would probably be buried in, and what exactly they might say about you and you might say about others. It is possible that in light of the increasingly random nature of life that we might capture this inevitable truth and make efforts in our daily lives to maybe just be a little damn nicer.

What is life but a string of human interactions on varying scales? If we cannot be nice to the people we know, the people we can see turn away and suffer through our careless comments, how can we care about each other on the massive scale of humanity? It is as if we detach, almost out of necessary defense, because if we begin to think of our own often unexpected actions being that important is frightening.

Words hurt. They diminish other people as well as ourselves as human beings, entities with lives and feelings. After spending each school day teased and dismissed as a person, Matt Puccio had to lay in bed awake before he fell asleep. We all can relate to how it feels to be on that end of the game. We all know

the slogan, "Life is short. Play hard." Yes, if you are lucky enough to own the right sneakers.

As a society, we have begun to define ourselves as who we are not rather than the far more accurate who we are, hence the new duality of existences—the haves and the have-nots. In the end, we all lose more than a bit of ourselves to this illusion of cosmic difference between human beings. Bucknell's Father Jack Kelley summed up Christian Lent in his Ash Wednesday sermon by dismissing the idea that Lent is about mere sacrifice and rather that it is through sacrifice and temptation that we are truly human and therefore the closest to God. We are closest to whatever we perceive that higher power as being when we do are best to understand others and simply be nice, or at the least civil humans.

The day after the story ran, the day of Matthew Puccio's funeral at age 16, an item was placed on the *Times* obituary page in memory of Matt from his high school class expressing all their sadness and loss. It most likely would have meant a lot to him, especially if he had been around to decipher it over the racket of the "more than his fair share" of teasing. This is in elegy for Matt Puccio.

Abortion, "Contract with America", the demise of the balanced budget amendment, prayer in schools, the calendar debate, international trade embargos, the 1996 presidential campaign, capital punishment, health care, socialist governments, the radical Christian right, homophobia, women's issues, the great job hunt, and the seemingly never-ending O.J. Simpson case! Become a Bucknellian Staff Columnist and see your name in print! It's not too late! Call Carolyn X4405, or The Bucknellian office X1520.

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Center captivates campus craftsmen...



Left: Jim Seitzer, instructor of the Jewelry Casting workshop, will teach participants how to design their own jewelry by constructing wax models.

Right: Emily Schreiber '98 and Lucy Brozekat learn the basic knitting skills in the Knitting workshop. Each student will knit an Icelandic or Irish Fishermen sweater as a final project.



Right: Molly Ross, director of the Craft Center, works with Karen Pica '98, a student in the Beaded Jewelry workshop. Using fancy glass or seed beads and step-by-step directions, students create a variety of jewelry, such as single or beaded chokers, French beaded flower necklaces, lacing weaves and beadstringing closures.

Below: A student in the Stained Glass workshop, Elizabeth Perrone '98 experiments with the different aspects of copper foil techniques. Each student in this workshop will create an individual project, which can range from colorful small ornaments or suncatchers to small window panels.



Right: An herbalist, Julie Cooper uses her expertise instructing the Cooking With Herbs workshop. Students in this workshop learn how to use herbs instead of artificial flavorings in order to create health-conscious dishes.

Below: These pieces of jewelry are the creations of the participants in the Beaded Jewelry Workshop.



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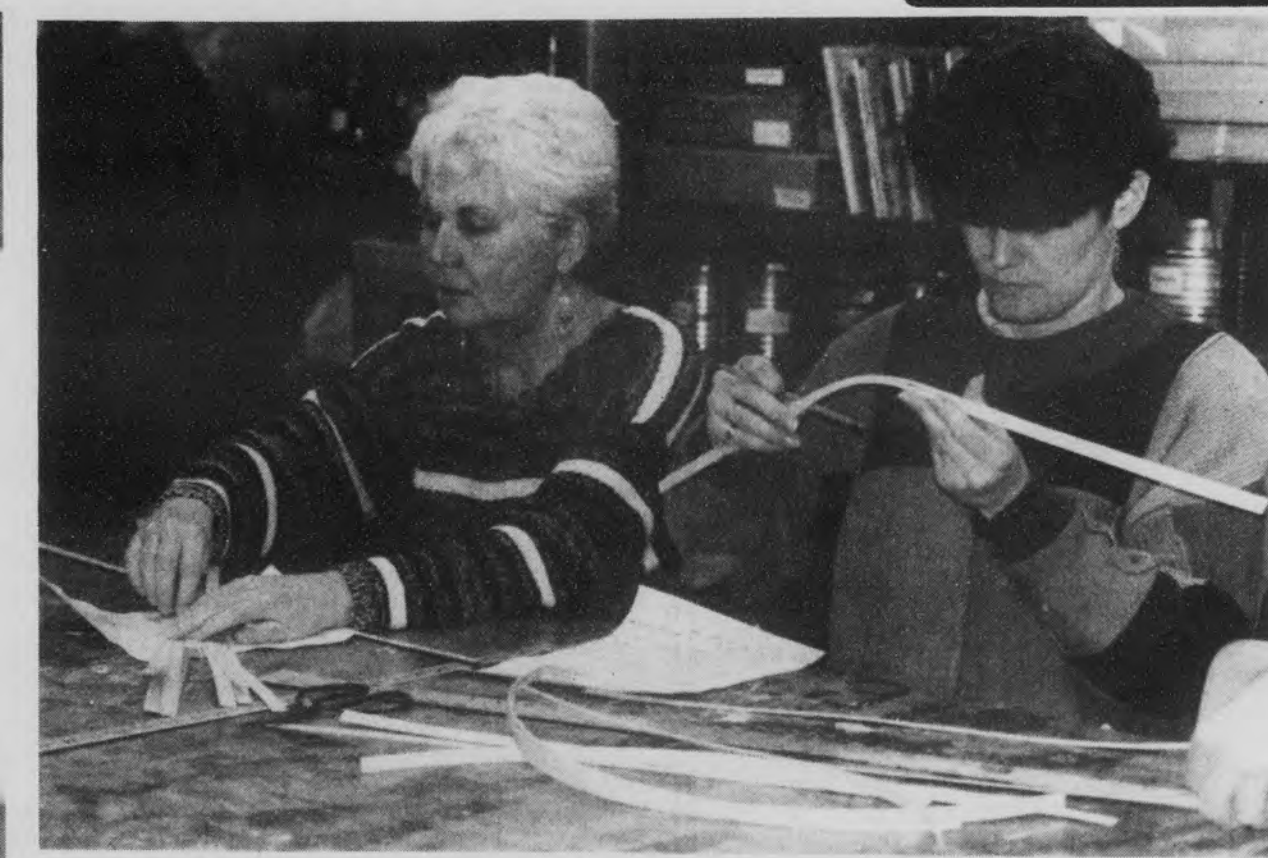
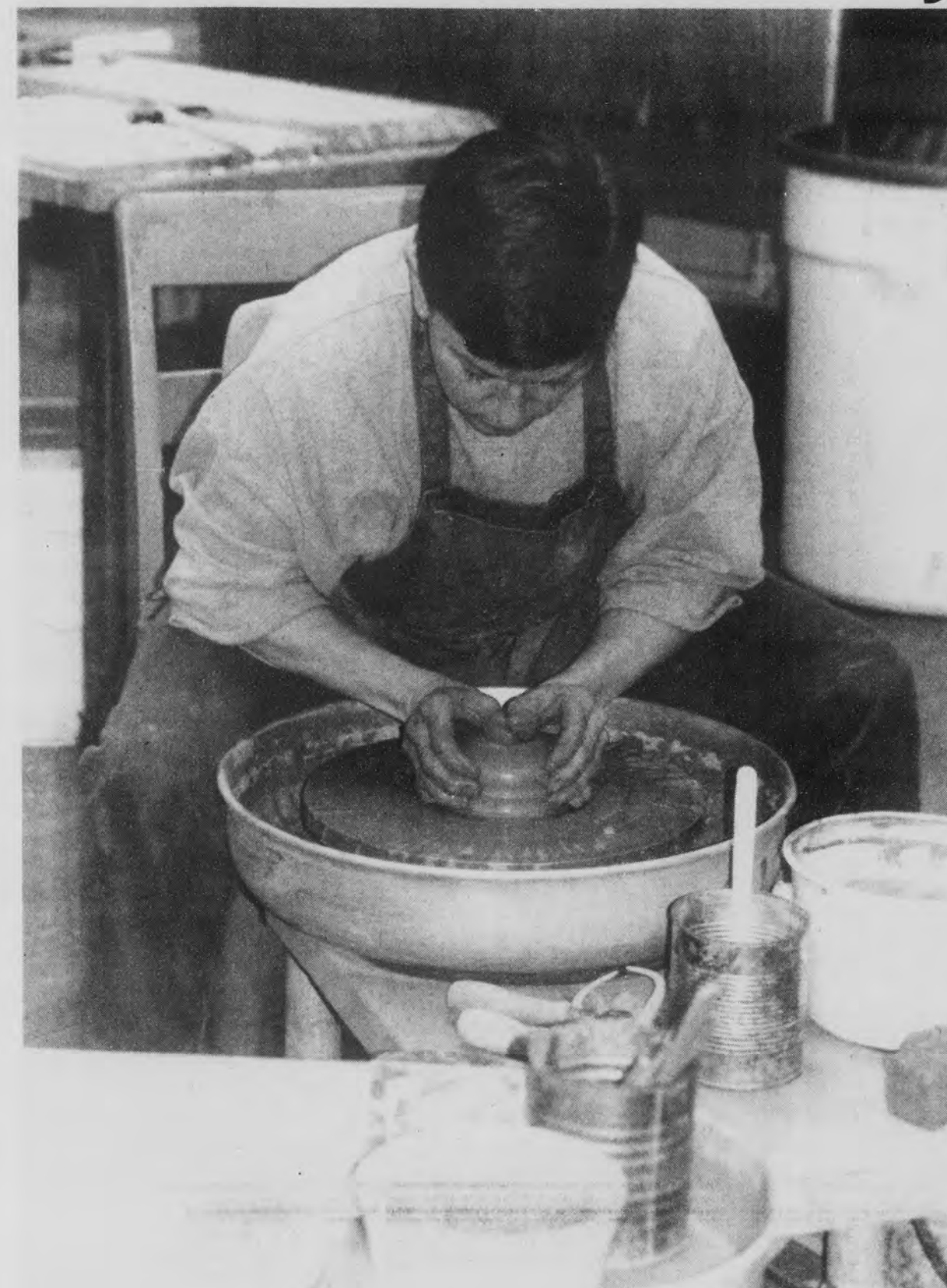
All craft photos by Susan Naughton

The facts about crafts

- A recent national survey revealed that at least one crafter can be found in 90 percent of US households.
- Last year, the craft industry was estimated at nearly \$10 billion.
- Over 100 publications devote their pages solely to crafts, with several new titles launched each year.
- Several cable television shows deal exclusively with crafts. An all-crafts cable network is scheduled to begin airing in June 1995.
- First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton designated 1993 as the Year of the American Craft.
- An estimated 20 percent of crafters in all age categories earn money with their craft.

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...celebrates creativity in craft classes



Above: Joan Mitchell and Nancy Ptacek begin the process of basket-making. Left: The instructor of the ceramics class, Kathy Turner teaches a six week workshop that introduces students to the basic steps involved on the pottery wheel. Right: Kristie Robson '95 participates in the drawing workshop.



Creating a unique craft to "dye" for

One doesn't need a barrel of money to make his or her surroundings special. Tie-dyeing is an easy craft that can add a personal touch to curtains, bedspreads, sheets, and t-shirts. For a weekend crafter or a first-timer, it might be intimidating to create designs and decorate fabrics on one's own, but experience is not necessary.

In no area of arts and crafts will the satisfaction of quick results be experienced more readily than in the areas of fabric decoration, such as tie-dyeing. Here are some quick and easy steps for various techniques to personalize fabric so it's different and unique. One-of-a-kind items such as curtains, pillows, bedspreads, or wall hangings can be created. Tie-dyeing is a resist-dyeing process that consists of knotting, binding, folding or sewing certain parts of the cloth in such a way that when it is dyed, the dye cannot penetrate into these areas. After dyeing, the ties are removed disclosing non-dyed areas in the form of patterns resulting from the ties.

In most cases, the materials and equipment are already at hand. The Craft Center also has tools and materials available for student use.

Materials: fabric dye (a common dye is RIT which is available at any drugstore), fabric to be dyed, and string, twine, rubber bands, clothespins or tape.

1. Gather materials. Beginners should practice dyeing techniques first on soft cotton, such as old, frequently washed sheets. Before using new fabric, the sizing must be removed by washing the material in hot, soapy water. The fabric is then rinsed and dried.

2. Mark out the pattern on the cloth in pencil.

3. Prepare the cloth by knotting, binding (string, twine, rubber bands, clothespins or tape), folding, sewing, or a combination of these, always keeping one side (the right side), on the outside of the bundle. There are certain standard methods of tying that will

created by rolling the fabric and tying bands tightly in those areas which are to resist the dye.

Fine Repeat: This is developed by tying small, pointed bunches of the fabric wherever the pattern is desired.

Stripe: This pattern is accomplished by folding the fabric in half and rolling it up from side to side and securing ties or bands around the roll.

Swirl: This pattern can be obtained by placing the ties of a fork in the center of the fabric. Twist the fork clockwise to create circular folds in the fabric. After the fabric is completely twisted, start at one end and roll into a cylinder shape. Secure with string at four evenly placed points.

4. Prepare dyes according to the instructions on the box. The use of hot fabric dyes greatly reduces the dyeing time. Fabric dyes will soak into and color all the fibers. After the first dyeing, rinse the fabric thoroughly. The first set of ties should then be removed or left on, depending on the design, and new ties should be applied. Then dye the fabric for the second time. Repeat the whole process, including rinsing, for each dyeing. After the final dyeing and rinsing, untie the fabric.

5. Hang the fabric to dry or put it in a warm clothes dryer. Most fabric dyes become more permanent when "set" by the heat of an iron. The fabric can also be washed in warm water with a mild soap and pressed while damp.

Information provided by Molly Ross, director of the Craft Center.

Starburst or Rosette: This pattern is created by tying two or more bands around a circularly gathered portion of cloth.

Broad stripe: This pattern is



Above: Rose Smierciah, from administrative services, and Lillian Vance experiment with calligraphy, a workshop that focuses on developing penmanship. Handwriting can take on a fresh look by learning the basic elements of calligraphy. The script can spice up addressed envelopes. Left: Concentrating on the beginning steps to creating a candle, Gretchen Benton '98 and Amy Farina '98 can make a variety of unique candles through the candlemaking workshop at the University craft center. There are many varieties of candles that aspiring crafters can make including molded, layered, chunk, and potpourri varieties.



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Japan and America join through art, music, and dance

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Through art, music, and dance, Japan and America will come together this Saturday at the Weis Center for the Performing Arts in Ping Chong's far-reaching performance piece *Deshima*. As a part of the Association for the Arts weekend, this visually dazzling meditation on cultural boundaries will take place at 8 p.m.

Deshima is a dance and theater work that spans four centuries of troubled East-West relations using dance, music, media, art, and allegory. It takes the audience on a trip through Japanese history from the arrival of Dutch ships on the island of Deshima during the 16th century, to present day on the mainland. Combining Van Gogh's "Sunflowers," Japanese court dance, the World War II internment of Japanese-Americans, litterbug, and the economic revitalization of Japan, *Deshima* is "not really a dance or a play, it's a musing—a meditation," said Bill Boswell, director of cultural events. "It's almost like moving art," he said.

In this collage of scenes, Chong illustrates that colonialism can go beyond political takeover. Art, religion, fashion, technology, tourism, and even dancing are just a few of its mediums, according to Chong. He visually portrays a world in which cultural boundaries are being profoundly changed. Through both music and language, he punctuates this idea—a statement that lies close to his heart.

Ping Chong was raised in the Chinatown section of New York City. He studied film-making and graphic design at the School of Visual Arts and the Pratt Institute. As a member of Meredith Monk's

"The House Foundation," he began his theatrical career by collaborating with her on several works including "The Travelogue Series" and "The Games." He has received numerous awards, including five National Endowment for the Arts Fellowships, two McKnight Playwrights Fellowships, and an Obie Award.

Today, Ping Chong & Company, founded in 1975, creates modern and innovative works for theater and art that appeal to audiences all over the world. Chong has expanded his range of materials to include video and the visual arts. Last fall, in tribute to the semester focus on China, he held a short residency with the department of theater and dance. Chong's innovative ideas will once again benefit students this semester, in accordance with the focus semester on Japan.

Deshima not only fits into this semester's focus on Japan, but also into last semester's focus on China because Chong is a Chinese-American," Boswell said.

Originally produced by the Mickey Workshop in Holland, *Deshima* was first performed at the Spring dance festival in Utrecht in 1990. Later that year, as a part of the Glasgow City of Culture Festival, the production was performed at the Tramway Theatre. La MaMa's Annex Theater housed the American premiere of *Deshima* in 1993, a production of Ping Chong & Co. in association with La MaMa E.T.C.

Deshima has been praised by numerous theater critics. Mel Gussow from the *New York Times* called Chong's production "a venturesome cross cultural exploration" in his review on Jan. 18, 1994. Bill Boswell calls Ping Chong "an uncommon artist with a unique approach to the arts



Photo courtesy of Weis Center for the Performing Arts
Raised in the Chinatown section of New York City, Ping Chong and his company will perform *Deshima*, a theatrical, artistic, and musical piece, at 8 p.m. Saturday evening in the Weis Center.

and performance pieces." This is the reason, he said, why students should "take advantage of this opportunity to see one of Chong's pieces in action."

Tickets may be purchased at the Weis Center Box office for \$5 with a student ID. *Deshima* is open to the public for \$15 per ticket.



Photo courtesy of Weis Center for the Performing Arts

Founded in 1975, Ping Chong & Company creates theatrical and artistic pieces that appeal to cultures across the globe. Chong is the recipient of many awards, including five National Endowment for the Arts Fellowships.

'77 grad to come back to Bucknell fighting

BY SHANNON BEAM

Have you ever had the urge to slap someone directly across the face? If you answered 'yes' to that question, then the "Variety of Hand-to-Hand Stage Combat" workshop could be exactly what you're looking for.

This Saturday afternoon, actor and fight choreographer Michael Kamtmann '77, will present a two-part series on the theatrical techniques of fighting. During the workshop Kamtmann will disclose the tricks of stage slaps, punches, kicks, falls, sound effects, and other stunts that look realistic once you get them rehearsed and on the stage.

The Cap & Dagger Alumni guest workshop series is made possible through the generosity of the Bucknell University Association for the Arts.

There's a lot of stuff going on between now and spring break. Check out the A&E Calendar on page 11.

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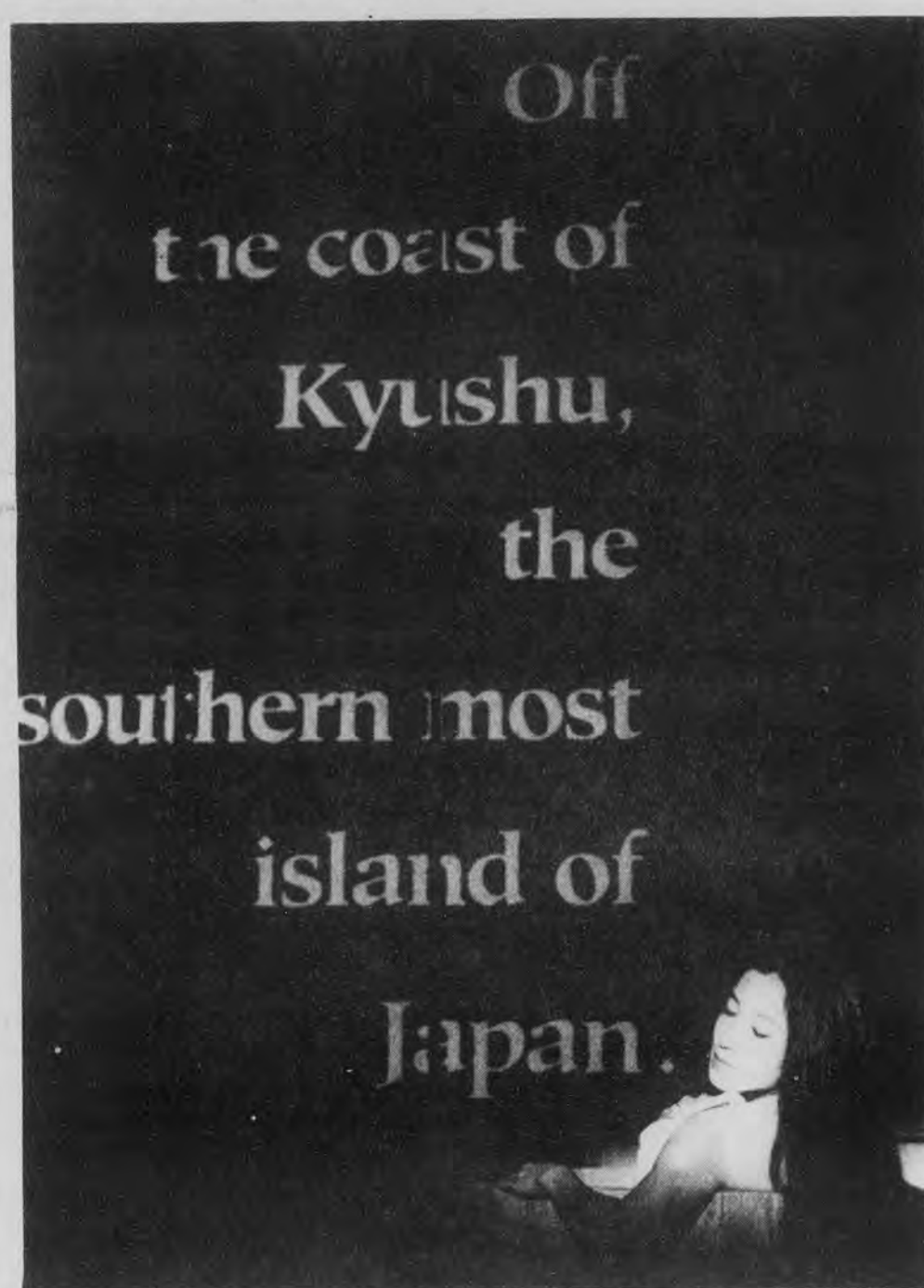


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Spanning four centuries of East-West relations, *Deshima* promises to bring America and Japan together. By using artistic works and historical events from the eastern and the western parts of the globe, *Deshima* displays the changing cultural boundaries between the two worlds.



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LIFESTYLES

Students to sing with honors

Two students to perform in Honor Choir this weekend

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When the American Choral Directors Association Men's Honor Choir (ACDA) performs this weekend, Bucknell will be doubly represented. Ken Laurora '95 and Matt Mehaffey '97 are currently in Washington, D.C., preparing to perform with a choir that features approximately 150 of the best young male voices in the country.

According to Laurora and Mehaffey, the Men's Honor Choir was formed to perform at the National Convention of the ACDA. Choral directors from across the nation attend this convention, which is held every two years. The two Bucknell singers, who are both vocal students of assistant professor of music Dr. Catherine F. Payn and members of the Bucknell Opera Company, Rooke Chapel Choir, and Concert Chorus, auditioned for the choir via tape in September. They were notified of their acceptance in early November.

Both Laurora and Mehaffey are looking forward to their three performances with the choir. "It's an honor to be selected," Laurora said. A biochemistry major who will be going to medical school in the fall, Laurora has been extremely active in the music department during his years at Bucknell.

Laurora's next musical endeavor here involves his participation in an opera company outreach program. Along with other company members, he will be traveling to local elementary schools in an effort to encourage children's interests in opera. Laurora will play the role of "Sid, the serpent who likes to sing" in this program.

Mehaffey, a music education major, described the busy schedule that he and Laurora will have while in Washington, D.C. After three days of rehearsals with conductor Allen Crowell of Westminster Choir College in Princeton, NJ, the convention will close with three concerts.

"We'll be performing on Friday evening at Constitution Hall and Friday night at the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts," Mehaffey stated, adding that the choir will perform the world premiere of Daniel Pinkham's *Alleluia for the Waters*, which was composed specifically for this choir. In Saturday night's concert at Constitution Hall, the United States Military Choir and Marine Band will join the Men's Honor Choir in its performance.

Mehaffey anticipates that working with a new conductor, especially one as recognized as Crowell, will be an exciting experience. However, that's not all he anticipates. "In a men's choir this size, the sound is going to be incredible!"

Residency marks first U.S. visit for dancer-in-residence Gao Du

JENNIFER DECAP
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Considering the success of Gao Du, Bucknell's latest dancer-in-residence, you might wonder how he has the fortune of his instruction on campus. Some friends, and a little luck, is the answer, since this is Du's first trip to the United States.

Age-old friend and fellow student of Du's, Er-Dong Hu, assistant professor of dance, encouraged him to come to America and share his knowledge. Here for only a semester, Du is busy as a visiting professor at Connecticut College. He will receive a little help from his friend Hu, who will need to translate all of Du's instructions. The two hope to have the opportunity to work together and to perform several joint demonstrations as well.

These demonstrations are open to dancers and the entire Bucknell community. As Hu explained, "This is a good opportunity for students to learn more about a different culture. If you are interested in Asian culture or art, you are welcome to attend any of

the master classes."

Master classes will be held for Dance Conditioning on Monday from 10 to 10:50 a.m. and 11 to 11:50 a.m. in the Tustin dance studio. The classes for Jazz, Modern I and Acting are on Tuesday from 1 to 2:20 p.m. and 2:30 to 4 p.m. in the fieldhouse.

As one of the foremost instructors on Chinese Folk Dance, Du

"This is like a gift to us. He [Gao Du] is really quite an amazing dancer and choreographer." —Danna Frangione, associate professor of dance

began teaching at the Beijing Dance Academy in 1985. The largest dance academy in China, it is the same school where Du began his formal training at age 12.

Association diversifies campus through arts

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At Saturday night's dinner, the Association will recognize the achievements of four alumni by inducting them into the Academy of Artistic Achievement. This year's inductees include Philip Roth '54, Leslie Moonves '71, Blanchard Gummo, and Rudolph Palmer '73.

Roth, who is a renowned contemporary American author, has published twenty books and has a new novel in the works. The Bucknell Poetry Center has established the Philip Roth Residency in Cre-

ative Writing for other Bucknellians who are interested in pursuing a career in creative writing.

Moonves pursued an acting career in New York following his graduation from Bucknell. A resident of Encino, California, Moonves is President of Warner Brothers Television. He last visited Bucknell four years ago to participate in a weekend celebration called *Lights, Action, Bucknell*.

According to Powers, the late Gummo was the art department at Bucknell when the department

was instituted. "Gummo was the only teacher in the art department until 1953," Powers said. "From him, the department has grown into what it is today."

The fourth inductee, Palmer is also the only inductee who will be present at Saturday's banquet. A faculty member at Mannes College of Music in New York, Palmer is recognized as being one of today's foremost conductors of baroque music. He was last seen at Bucknell in December when he conducted the concert choral in

a baroque performance of Handel's *Messiah*.

Powers is proud of the Association's ability to bring such a variety of arts events to Bucknell in an age when the arts are often the first areas to face economic cutbacks. "With funding being cut in arts at the state and federal levels, the Association is one of the only organizations with funds available to help bring things to campus," Powers stated, adding, "We're here to help the students enrich their stay at Bucknell."

Arts and Entertainment Calander

Thursday, March 9

Performance: Cap and Dagger and the Bucknell Dance Company, 5 p.m., Tustin Dance Studio
Interfraternity Council Lecture: "Generation Sex," author Michael Kaufman, 7 p.m., Forum, Langone Center

Friday, March 10

Hilltop Film Series: A Special Day, director Ettore Scola, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
SAMS Dance Marathon: Bison

Film: *Pulp Fiction*, 10:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Saturday, March 11

SAMS Dance Marathon: Bison

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Stage Combat Workshop: 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 to 3 p.m., Tustin Studio Theatre

Celebration of the Arts Artistic Awards Banquet: 5:30 p.m., Terrace Room, Langone Center

Celebration of the Arts: Weis Center Special Effects Series, *Deshima*, Ping Chong & Company, 8:30 p.m., Weis Center. \$5 admission

Film: *Pulp Fiction*, 10:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Tuesday, March 14

Evangelical Community Hospital Benefit Concert: Bucknell University Symphonic Band, Donald Stanley, conductor, 7 p.m., Weis Center

Ralph Spielman Memorial Lecture: Laura Nader, professor of anthropology, University of California, Berkeley, 7:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center

Wednesday, March 15

Coffeehouse: 9 to 11 p.m., Bison

Tuesday, March 28

Focus Semester on Japan Lecture: "Multiculturalism: The Asian American Experience," Ronald Takaki, professor of ethnic studies, University of California, Berkeley, 7:30 p.m., Forum, Langone Center
LaFayette Butler Lecture: "Lady Into Woman? Virginia Woolf as Essayist and Novelist," Andrew

McNellie, editor, 8 p.m., Traditional Reading Room, Bertrand Library

Wednesday, March 29

Students for Asian Awareness at Bucknell Lecture: Ronald Takaki, professor of ethnic studies, University of California, Berkeley, 10 a.m., Walls Lounge, Langone Center
Coffeehouse: 9-11 p.m., Bison

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Patriot League Tournament

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Army	41	53	94

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Golden	8	0	4	13	20
Anderson	2	0	6	11	10
Wenk	2	0	3	2	7
Hamer	6	2	0	2	14
Moya	1	0	5	2	7
Holden	1	1	0	0	3
Welch	2	0	0	2	4
Guthrie	0	0	0	0	0
Eisert	0	0	0	0	0
Hook	0	0	0	0	0
Anders	0	0	0	0	0

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
10-17 (7-7)

March 3, 1995 (away)
Patriot League Tournament

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Bucknell	27	26	53
Colgate	24	28	52

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Hollister	1	0	2	4	4
McGowan	7	0	4	18	18
Vlah	2	1	2	4	7
Sockel	1	0	2	4	4
McCoy	1	0	0	2	2
Wagner	1	0	0	0	0
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CYCLING

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together to force the pace during several of the sprint laps, but did not accumulate enough points to get a placing.

The women's team fared well, as they were thrown with the men, who typically ride a much higher intensities than an all woman field.

This year, the team is setting the lofty goal of qualifying a team to the National Championships. Five teams qualify from the East, and Bucknell must compete with schools that draw from much larger talent pools such as Penn State, Mass. and MIT.

The team is hosting a race here on Bucknell's campus on April 1, and riders from schools from as far away as Vermont will be on campus to compete.

Upcoming Spring Schedule

Tues. 14 VS. LOCK HAVEN*
Sat. 18 vs. Wright State in Fort Myers
Sun. 19 vs. Vermont in Fort Myers
Mon. 20 vs. Vermont in Fort Myers
Wed. 22 vs. NE Illinois in Florida
Thurs. 23 vs. Northwestern in Florida

*home team in CAPS

SPORTS

BASEBALL

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Blue tried to rally with three runs.

Even though Pete Gorski '96 went three for five with a solo homer, Dave Apollon '98 displayed power with his own homer, Gerald Saltarelli '97 hit a three run blast, and Pete Cann '97 drove in two with a round-tripper, it was not enough as Bucknell lost 13-8. The Orange and Blue showed strong signs of power, but it was a case of too little, too late.

The Bison challenge Gettysburg to a 3 p.m. home game today. Van Dalen (0-2) is the scheduled starting pitcher for the Bison.

Bucknell plays a double-header this weekend at Mt. St. Mary's and at home this Tuesday versus Lock Haven, but the pitching rotation has not been announced.

"I knew they were fastball hitters from the game before and didn't want to give them anything to hit."
—Dave Scranton '95

Flannery named "Coach-of-the-Year"



Pat Flannery was honored as the "Coach-of-the-Year" when post-season awards were announced last Friday. Executive Director of the Patriot League Connie Harbut congratulates him. Brian Anderson '96 was named to the league's First-Team for the second consecutive season while Sekou Hamer '96 earned Second-Team honors. Holy Cross's Rob Feaster was named the league's "Player-of-the-Year" and Colgate's Adonal Foyle was honored as "Rookie-of-the-Year."

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MADE BUSH RUGGED

CRANE

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This year Bucknell's women's soccer team had its most successful season in its short five year history, finishing 12-6-1. Crane was definitely a major contributor to the Bison's first winning season. She said that she trained during the summer to prepare for her final season.

All the hard work paid off for her, Lovechick said, adding that Crane was the best conditioned player on the team.

Crane finished third on Bucknell's all-time scoring list. She closed her career with 10 goals and 14 assists.

Surely Crane's experiences have differed from many at Bucknell.

Being an athlete has afforded her the opportunity to travel to different areas of the country, and to really get to know her teammates, she said. The large time commitment, she said, "wasn't a problem."

What does the future hold for this standout Bucknellian? Crane is looking into different graduate schools right now.

She decided to bypass the traditional route, opting instead to go directly to working on her Ph.D. in biochemistry.

Does soccer play a role in her future? She will probably play on her own, and maybe help coach somewhere, but for the moment it doesn't look like much more than that.

When Crane graduates this spring she will do so as one of the first players to be recruited to play women's soccer. But more importantly, she will graduate a highly accomplished Bucknellian.

"She will continue to be very successful and she will make her mark quickly in the field that she decides to pursue," Lovechick said.

Upcoming:

Golf, Track and Field scholar athletes

BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"You learn to get things organized. I used to take books on the bus with me to try to get some extra studying in."
—Joanne Crane '95 on maintaining a 3.9 GPA

Flash in the Pan



Pasta a la philanthropia: The Fiji fraternity will host "Luigi Fiji" this Friday and Saturday nights (5-8 p.m.) to benefit the Lewisburg Little League. Salad, spaghetti, bread, and stromboli will be among others on the menu during this festive occasion.

Great Balls of Fire: The spring schedule for the 1995 men's golf team has been announced. Captain Paul Gregory '95 and sharp-shooting Jeff Graf '96 will lead the Orange and Blue to their first match at the Mid Pines Collegiate Invitational at Pinehurst, North Carolina.

Troubled Watters?: Ricky Watters is still looking to sail away from Super Bowl champion the San Francisco 49ers. The Philadelphia Eagles are said to be his choice at this point in navigation.

It's all a matter of time: Lead-off man Richie Asburn and Negro league star Leon Day were finally inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame by the Veterans Committee. Asburn collected 2574 hits and a .308 lifetime average during his 15 year career. National League founder William Hulbert and Vic Willis also were chosen to enter the Hall.

Hunting Hike?: The Pennsylvania Game Commission has proposed to double the price of a resident adult hunting license and institute a new license for turkey hunting.

Baseball for Sale: New England Patriot coach Bill Parcells and Indiana's head basketball coach Bobby Knight are trying to buy the Birmingham Barons, a Double-A minor league baseball team. If you don't know, Michael Jordan plays outfield for the Barons, which might be a reason for the purchase. Current minor-league owner Larry Schmittow coached with Parcells at Vanderbilt during the 1970's. Bobby Knight met Parcells when they both coached at Army years earlier.

Flyin' Flyers: The Philadelphia Flyers are on a hot streak of late, pulling to within four points of the New York Rangers for first place in the Atlantic Division. The Flyers knocked off the Tampa Bay Lightning Tuesday night. Ron Hextall received his fifth win of the season, John LeClair stuffed in two goals, and Eric Lindros had a goal and an assist in Philadelphia's 4-3 win.

No Christmas Carroll: Former Duquesne head coach John Carroll was fired Tuesday. The Dukes' leader posted a 73-98 record in his six years as head coach. Duquesne finished their 1995 season in Philadelphia with a 79-53 loss to Massachusetts on Sunday, in an Atlantic 10 Conference Tournament game.

College Basketball—Men's Top 20

1. UCLA (23-2)
2. Kansas (22-4)
3. North Carolina (22-4)
4. Kentucky (22-4)
5. Connecticut (23-5)
6. Arkansas (25-5)
7. Massachusetts (25-4)
8. Wake Forest (21-5)
9. Michigan State (21-4)
10. Maryland (23-6)
11. Arizona (23-6)
12. Virginia (21-7)
13. Purdue (22-6)
14. Villanova (22-7)
15. Mississippi State (20-6)
16. Arizona State (21-8)
17. Oklahoma State (21-9)
18. Oklahoma (21-7)
19. Missouri (19-7)
20. Syracuse (19-8)

ALSO

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Joanne Crane '95
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- Cycling**
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The men's basketball team huddles around Coach Pat Flannery during a timeout.

Bison ride to victory at West Virginia show

Squad sets sites on National Championship in Colorado later this season

BY COLEEN ZOELLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Equestrian Team commenced their spring season with a victory at the University of West Virginia on Feb. 26.

Coached by Jan Phillips, owner of the Summer Breeze Stables in Milton, the Bison had point riders in seven of the eight divisions. The most difficult fence jumping division, Open Fences, saw Alex Petrillo '98 take third place in her class en route to a narrow Blue and Orange defeat of arch-rival Penn State.

Petrillo sheds light onto Collegiate Equestrian life. "Intercollegiate Riding is so much different than riding in horse shows at home. You don't have your own horse or your own equipment," she says.

Petrillo refers to the fact that at away shows riders must use a randomly selected horse from the home stable leads her to the following comment, "All we get is a board with the horse's name and description on it. There is no warm-up. You just get on and go." This nine year rider continues, "What makes it really challenging is that you have to do the best you can and hope you have a good horse to do it on."

The Bison must have had plenty of "good horses to do it on" as they out-showed a multitude of schools, including Pittsburgh, Bloomsburg, Scranton, Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP), University of California at Pennsylvania, Seton Hall, Westminster, Penn State, and the host team, University of West Virginia.

Captain Jackie Williams '98 gave the team a solid performance as she placed second as the point rider in Novice Fences. Meanwhile, Kaitlin Sheppard '97 and Amy Brent '95 were second and sixth in their respective classes of the Novice Fence division.

Petrillo also rode in the Open Flat division as the point rider

Bucknell's Equestrian Team...



The Team celebrates after winning the show at the University of West Virginia, its first show of the season. The triumph included a win over arch-rival Penn State.

where she was second. Melissa Burman '95 captured the win in the Advanced Walk, Trot, Canter Division while Kristen Coffey '98 took third place as point rider. Holly Lynch '95 scored fourth in her class of the Intermediate Flat Division as the point rider.

Also in the event, Brent took fourth in her class. In Beginner Walk, Trot, Canter, Gwen Foster '98, point rider, and Beth Acly '98, Team President, scored fourth and second, respectively. Shepherd was second as the point rider in the Novice Flat.

show again on March 19 at Westminster before they travel to Pitt on March 26 and IUP on April 1.

Also in that event, Williams had her final ride of the day when she took sixth place. Finally, the Blue and Orange swept top honors in the Walk and Trot Division as Lisa Marino '97, point rider, won her class, and teammates Galen Knudson '98 captured second place and Katie Thomson '97 was third.

The Bison will ride against the usual schools which they soundly defeated in the first

The overall attitude of the club is optimism which should spell success at the National Championship in Fort Collins, Colorado on May 12-14. Consistent victories such as those that will help the Bison prepare for the National Show should aid them in their goal of acquiring varsity status.

These shows are especially significant to the riders as they prepare for the Regionals which will take them to Wilson on April 8 and for the Zones in Philadelphia on April 23.

Team members have good feelings about the season ahead. Petrillo adds that the Equestrian team is a young one. Thirty girls is sufficiently large for a strong team, but small enough to encourage new members to join even without prior experience.

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Men open against Big Ten ...

Lacrosse face off against Michigan State

BY MICHAEL ALTSCHULER
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

After a two week visit to Japan this summer where they visited Tokyo, Osaka, and Kyoto, and competed against top teams from each area, the Bucknell men's lacrosse team looks forward to their first game against Michigan State at 1 p.m. on Saturday.

This year's team features a very experienced defense in Hugh Donovan '96 and Ted Thoma '96, both starters since their freshman year at defensive midfield and close defense respectively. Chris Nippes '96 will step in as the third defenseman to form an impressive unit. "Donovan," says coach Jamieson, "is one of the most athletic players we've had here." Last year he was a Second-Team-All-Patriot League selection. He was named captain this year. Thoma brings experience to the defense after two impressive years as a starter. Nippes has excellent stick-work for a long stick player, and will be a welcome addition to the unit.

The defense needs to have a strong year to protect a young goalie. Eric Nordhoff '98 and Mark Sturpe '98, will both fight for the position. They have both played pre-season scrimmages, and looked very impressive.

To the defensive midfield unit returns Brad Seyffer '95 and Mike Altschuler '96 at short stick, while

Crane bring a very potent shot to the offense that will cause problems for opposing goalies. Officer, after being sidelined by a shoulder injury, will bring speed to the offense. Rosolen and Kelley both have great game sense, and will be heavily counted on to lead the offense. With Hamblin and David, coach Jamieson will be able to run two midfield lines equally.

The attack will look to Jon Methven '96 to lead this year. He is the best finisher as well as a great ground ball man. Allan Don-



Steve Lewis '95, the Orange and Blue's best assist man, looks to pass upfield.

nally '96, rejoins the team with high expectations as a scorer and feeder. Steve Lewis '95 is probably the best assist man on the team, and is a constant threat to opponents.

Coach Jamieson, now in his 28th year as head coach, works with returning assistant coach Gabe Portuondo to lead the Bison. A fresh perspective is welcomed in new assistant coach Trent Carter from Hobart College. They hope to improve on last year's record for the Patriot League title.



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From left: Matt Keranko '98, Kihlon Golden '96, Eric Polite '97, Brian Anderson '96, Tom Welch '97, Sekou Hamer '96, Gordon Mboya '97, Dave Steigerwald '96, and assistant coach Terry Conrad watch their season end in the quarterfinal round of the league tournament against Army.

MEN'S BASKETBALL

From Page 1

The Black Knights shot a blistering 56% from the floor and 85% from the line and only committed a seven turnovers as their two starting guards combined for 67 points.

Colgate coach Jack Bruen even admitted to the Bison's unlucky turn of luck with the coin flip after the Red Raiders' relatively easy victory over Lafayette, 87-67. "The way we played today, we would have gotten killed by Army. No question about it," Bruen said.

"I told the team that we don't want to force things on offense," Army coach Dino Gaudio said. "We got [Leuking] a lot of good looks, and he took advantage. I also think he made a lot of other people better. I was really proud of his effort."

Dave Steigerwald '96 hit a baseline three-pointer with five minutes left to bring the Bison back to 70-64, the closest they had been to the Cadets in seven minutes.

However, Army's Alex Morris hit six free throws in the next two minutes and Leuking made a left wing trey after a Morris blocked shot to push the lead back up to 13. The Cadets then held off the Bison the rest of the way by making 10 of 13 from the charity stripe in the last two minutes.

"My hat goes off to [Army]," coach Pat Flannery said. "It was not only Leuking but also Morris who hurt us. This is what tournaments are all about. Their whole season comes down to this tournament."

Moris, who had been listed be-

fore the game as questionable because of tendinitis in his knees, complemented Leuking's 43 points with 24 of his own. He also dished out nine assists while not committing a single turnover.

"I felt good out there, and the more I played the better I felt," Morris said. "I had a lot of adrenaline in me."

Despite early treys from Morris and Leuking, the Bison led most of the opening half behind Kihlon Golden's '96 best effort of the season. Golden dominated Army's small frontcourt, making three short buckets to help Bucknell to a 19-14 lead.

Golden scored 20 points and hauled in a game-high 13 rebounds.

After a Steigerwald tip in off a Brian Anderson '96 miss, a Hamer long range jumper and two more Golden free throws, the Bison led 27-20, and it looked like they were finally pulling away from the team they had twice beat earlier in the season.

Anderson finished with a double-double of 10 points and 11 boards while Steigerwald and Hamer added 13 and 14 points, respectively. Hamer also had six assists.

In the previous two games against Army, the Bison used big runs to stretch small leads and take command of the games. That didn't happen in this game. Army forged its way back to take a four point half-time lead with not only three more jumpers from Morris and Leuking, but also the inside play of Jason Wands, who had been quiet for most of the season.

"[Wands] got some key baskets

Captain Crane brings leadership, intelligence to women's soccer

BY JEAN TANINMOTO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The common definition of a scholar athlete is one who excels both on the playing field and in the classroom. If you ask Bucknell's women's soccer coach Toby Lovocchio what the definition is he'll tell you that it's Joanne Crane.

Crane, a senior tri-captain, was recognized for her academic and athletic excellence by being named the Patriot League Scholar Athlete for women's soccer.

The Patriot League wasn't the only one to spot this outstanding scholar athlete. Crane was also the recipient of the prestigious Adidas Scholar Athlete Soccer All-American honorable mention award. She is also the three-time recipient of Bucknell's President's Award for Distinguished Academic Achievement.

Noted for her outstanding work ethic, she is known to be one of the most consistent players on the team with incredible drive and determination. Her contributions go deeper than the numbers suggest though. A four year starter, Crane was named as a captain her junior and senior years. The leadership she brought to the team was invaluable. Jody Ravetz '98 commented about Crane as, "sort of the mom of the team. Joanne kept us together and organized. I always expected the best from her."

Amy Riviere '98 added that "she was a great leader, definitely a good role model."

"If I were ever privileged to have a daughter I would want her to grow up to be like Joanne. She



Photo courtesy of Sports Information

Joanne Crane '95 is a three time honoree of Bucknell's President's Award for Distinguished Academic Achievement.

is one of the most responsible, mature, organized people I know," Coach Lovocchio said.

How does this outstanding contributor on the soccer field manage to maintain a 3.9 GPA in bio/chemistry? "You learn to get things organized. I used to take

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Photo Courtesy of Sports Information

Joanne Crane '95, with eyes on the ball, helped the Bison to their best finish in years.

SPORTS

Bucknell splits double-header, drops third game to Towson State last Sunday

BY KEITH NIGRO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

TOWSON, MD.—The Orange and Blue dropped the first game of a double-header against Towson State on Saturday. Scott Van Dalen '96 (0-2) received his second loss

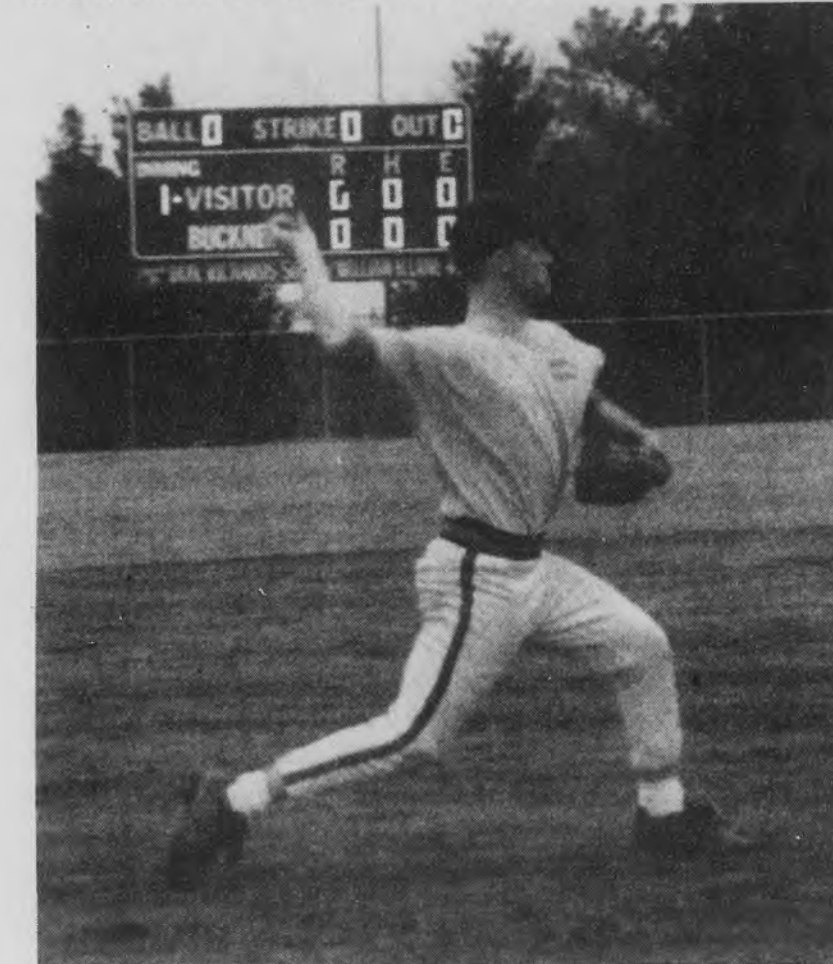
Baseball

of the year as Towson beat Bucknell 5-3. Van Dalen pitched five innings, gave up four runs on seven hits, and struck out three bat-

ters.

Bucknell took an early 2-0 in the first three innings, but Towson rallied for four in the fifth inning and never looked back. Van Dalen served up back to back home runs and managed to finish the damaging inning. The Bison only managed to scatter five hits throughout nine innings and dropped to a 0-5 overall record.

In the second half of the pair, the Orange and Blue picked up their first win of the season, 1-0.



Mark Carollo—The Bucknellian

Third baseman Benj Walter '98 makes a throw during practice.

Dave Scranton '95 (1-1) pitched a six-hit shutout victory over Towson. "It was freezing out there and I didn't think I had my best stuff," said Scranton. He also said he feels more comfortable with the team as a whole compared to his first loss against VMI that provided him with mental concentration to last the entire game.

Scranton added, "I knew they were fastball hitters from the game before and didn't want to give them anything to hit." The senior pitcher finished the contest striking out only one batter compared to his opponent's seven.

The Bison turned four double-plays behind Scranton's, and only committed two errors. "We finally came together defensively," shortstop Brian Kubicki '96 said.

Bucknell scored the lone run of the game when third baseman Kevin Silverman '96 doubled in the top of the third and Kubicki sent him home with a two-out two-bagger to right center. "It was a fastball right down the middle. I guess I hit it pretty well," Kubicki commented.

On Sunday, Towson jumped off Matt Gorski '97 (0-2) to an early 11-0 lead which the Bison never recovered. Gorski pitched 1.3 innings, gave up five earned runs, on only two hits. "I don't think I was mentally prepared on that day. overall the pitching staff is more confident compared to last year," Gorski said. Steve Rutkowski '97 did not fare much better giving up another five runs on five hits.

In the fourth Orange and

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Bison race to strong finishes in first meet
Team will host other East Coast schools later this spring

BY CHRIS NEUMANN
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The cycling team traveled to Allentown, Pa for the first race of the season last Sunday. There the team got a chance to feel out the competition and

test out some new tactics they've been working on. This year's team is very strong, having lost no riders to graduation, and gaining six new first year students.

In the B and A races, the men's A squad got a chance to

flex their new muscles, and used some team tactics to gain an advantage in the race. The tactics involve sending one rider in front of the main group, forcing the group to work hard to catch up. This process is repeated several times, and the team as a whole does well. These tactics paid off with a first, third and fourth by Chris Neumann '95, George Bickling '95 and Eric Fredericks '96.

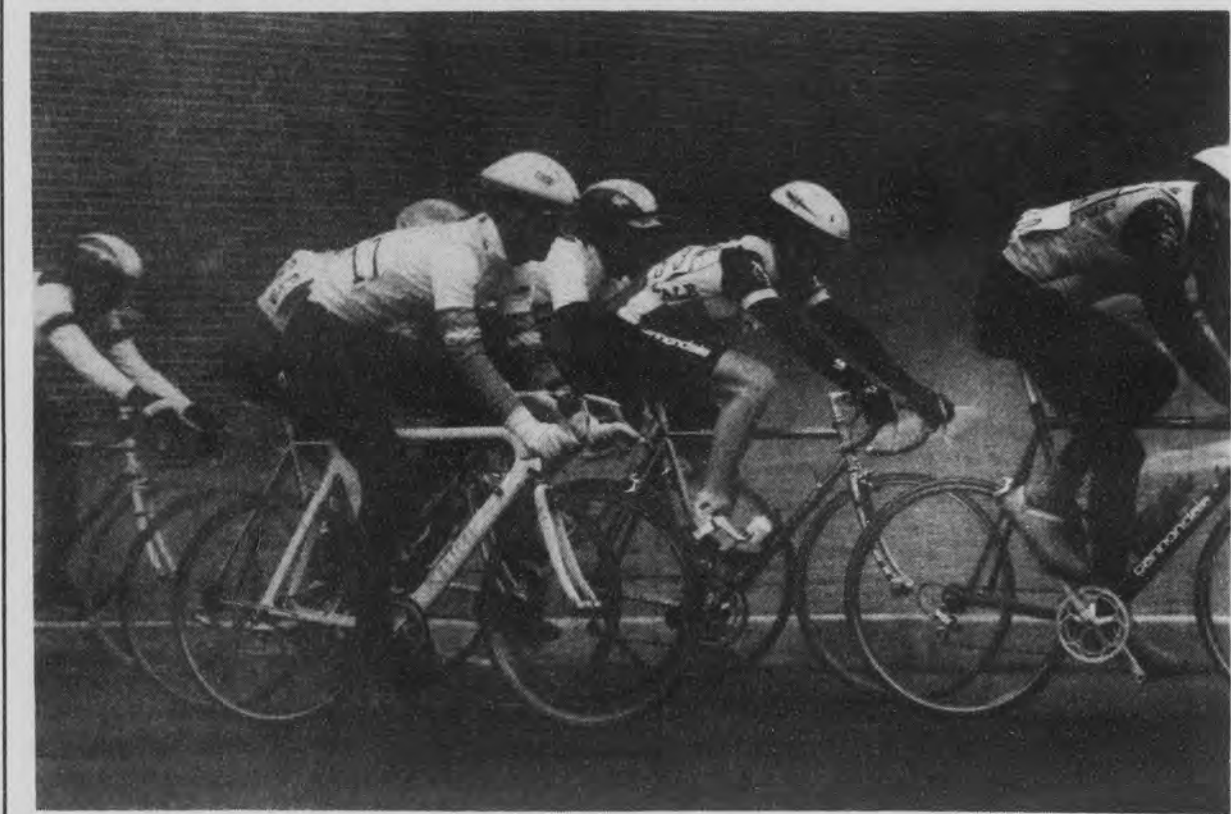
In the A race, the tactics did not work as well, as several riders, including Neumann, rode away from the pack at the beginning of the race. The remainder of the Bucknell riders then attempted to

slow the chasing riders, gambling on Neumann's ability to win the race. But, Neumann was not able to overcome a powerful rider from Penn State, settling for second.

Following the race, Adam Wright '96 commented "I am really psyched for the collegiate season. The team worked so well together today that I think we have a definite shot at making it to Nationals."

In the beginner and women's race, Marc Ducharme '98 and Dorian Ayande '98 worked

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Bucknellian File Photo

Chris Neumann '95 races along in the peloton in a meet earlier this season. Neumann finished first in the race at Allentown last weekend, while George Bickling '95 finished third.

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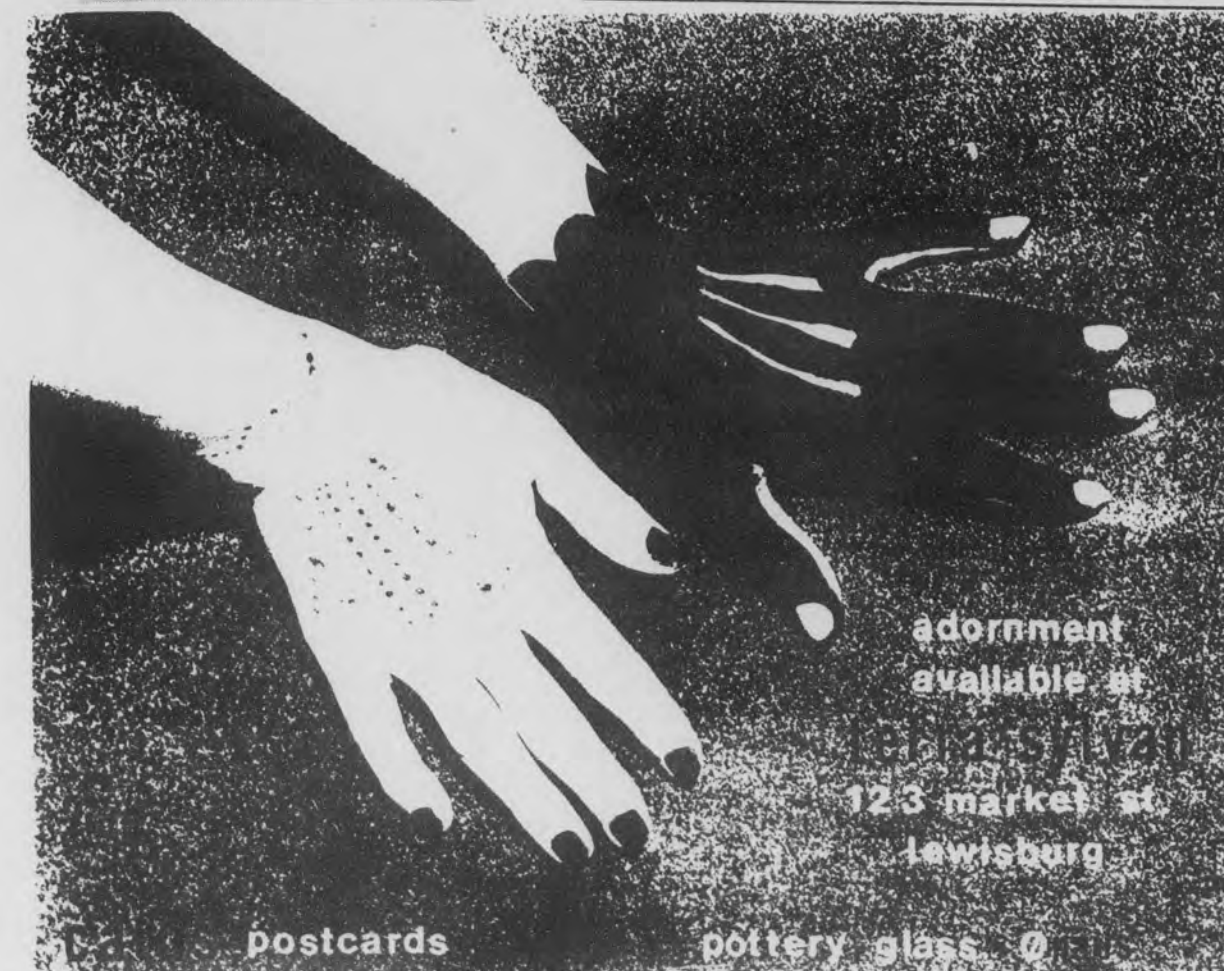
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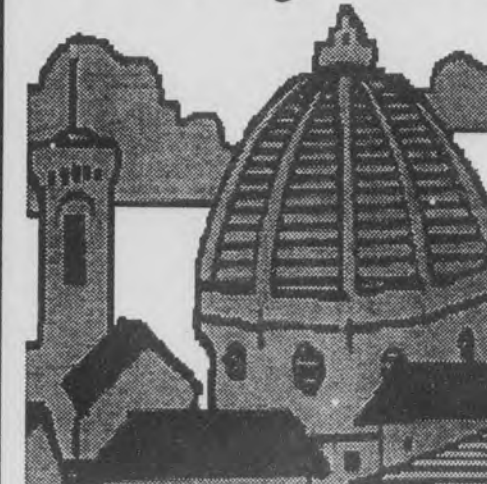
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Commentary

Men's basketball has bright future with returning players, coach

Despite suffering a disappointing first round loss to Army and finishing with a sub-.500 record, the men's basketball team's 1994-5 campaign under first year head coach Pat Flannery can hardly be considered a failure.

This past season must be viewed as a transition from one style of basketball, a fast-paced, run-and-gun style of play, that existed under longtime coach Charlie Woolum to another more deliberate, defensively-oriented style under Flannery. And losing a longtime, successful coach definitely showed over the first half of the season as the Bison failed to win a game until almost the new year, dropping their first eight decisions, including one to Columbia, who has won all of four games this season and resides at the bottom of the Ivy League.

However, that period of adjustment seemed to end during the first Lafayette game in the Albertson's Classic, which the Bison won 90-56. The Bison would go on to win 13 of their next 17 games and share the Patriot League title with Colgate, even though the Bison were picked fifth in the pre-season Coaches' Poll.

There are also other aspects of this season that make thoughts of the 1995-6 season bring excitement. While Flannery followed up his "Coach-of-the-Year" award from Division III Lebanon Valley last year with league honors this year, Brian Anderson '96 was also named to the league's First-Team for the second consecutive season, while Sekou Hamer '96 was honored on the Second-Team. Dave Steigerwald '96 also emerged as one of the league's most proficient long-range bombers.

Next season will be void of the period of adjustment that plagued the first eight games this season as the Bison return all five starters as their three top players off the bench.

The Bison will begin next season with a Northern California swing over Thanksgiving weekend with contests against West Coast Conference schools St. Mary's and San Francisco.

Bucknell also has an improved chance to gain a stranglehold on Patriot League competition with departing two-time First-Team All-League Colgate player Tucker Neale. Navy also loses three starters, including Wes Cooper and T.J. Hall, while Holy Cross says good-bye to 1994-5 "Player-of-the-Year" Rob Feaster.

All in all, the Patriot League will probably be the same next season when Bucknell and Adonal Foyle will lead Colgate for the league title once again. Holy Cross might see its first losing record in six years with the departure of Feaster and Gordon Hamilton.

With the top eight players returning and a system that has already captured one league title, the Bison might be able to return to the 20-win plateau that they have graced in the recent past.

Eric Shortz

Eric Shortz, Sports Editor

Bison take ECWA title

Nine wrestlers win medals to bring the Orange and Blue from third to victory

BY FRANK THOMPSON
Sports Information Assistant

The Bucknell Bison posted nine overall medal winners, including three champions, as they took home their first ECWA title in eight years.

The Bison, who stood in third place entering Saturday's action, finished with 89.5 points to edge defending champion Rider, which totaled 81.5. Drexel, the first day leader, finished third with 74.9 points.

Bucknell's Bob Ferraro won the 177-pound championship and became just the second four-time champion in ECWA history.

He recorded a 4-3 victory over Rider's Mike Jensen in a rematch of last year's ECWA final. Ferraro also posted a pair of earlier pins en route to joining Tim Kennedy of Rider (1987-90) as the ECWA's only four-time champions.

Seniors Steve Caruso, 134-pounds, and Jason Prokopchak, 167-pounds, also won titles for Bucknell, earning each their first trip to the NCAA Championships. Caruso, the No. 2 seed, upset Rider's top-seeded Jason Nase, 8-5, in the finals. Prokopchak, also a No. 2 seed, defeated Drexel's top seed Scott Morgan by a 4-2 count.

Mike Rush, 190-pounds, and heavyweight Matt DiGiacomo both lost to the No. 1 seeds in their respective weight classes. Rush fell to Drexel's Rich Evans, the nation's 11th ranked wrestler, 3-2, in a rematch of last year's finals,

which Evans also won. DiGiacomo, wrestling in his first finals, dropped a tough 6-4 overtime decision to Drexel's Jamie Huntington.

In addition to the five finalists, the Bison posted four third-place finishers. Matt Mittman '98, 126-pounds, won in the consolation round by an injury default over Brian McKelvey of Central Connecticut.

Junior Bob Renn bounced back from his 142 pound loss to Rider's Francis Dunn, the eventual champion, posting a 5-4 decision in the first round of consolations and a first period pin in the medal round.

Second-seeded Ron Wellman, after losing a 14-12 overtime thriller to last year's champ, Evan Dolan, came back with a pair of first period pins to claim a third-place medal. Unseeded sophomore Steve Klass, after losing in the first round, won his second straight third-place medal with a fall in 1:47 and a 22-7 match termination win in the consolation finals.

The championship is Bucknell's first ECWA crown since 1987, and broke Rider's two-year reign at the top of the ECWA.

Caruso, Prokopchak, and Ferraro earn automatic bids to the NCAA Championships, held in Iowa City, Iowa, on March 16-18. Ferraro will vie to become Bucknell's first two-time All-American, as he won an eighth-place medal at last year's championships.

BASKETBALL

From Page 1

Casey Hollister '96 hit 2 early lay-ups and then a jumper a couple minutes later to keep the Bison within a bucket. The Bison had the opportunity to knot the game and take the lead at 16-14 after a Kristen Lloyd '98 lay-up, but failed to score on nine consecutive trips down the floor.

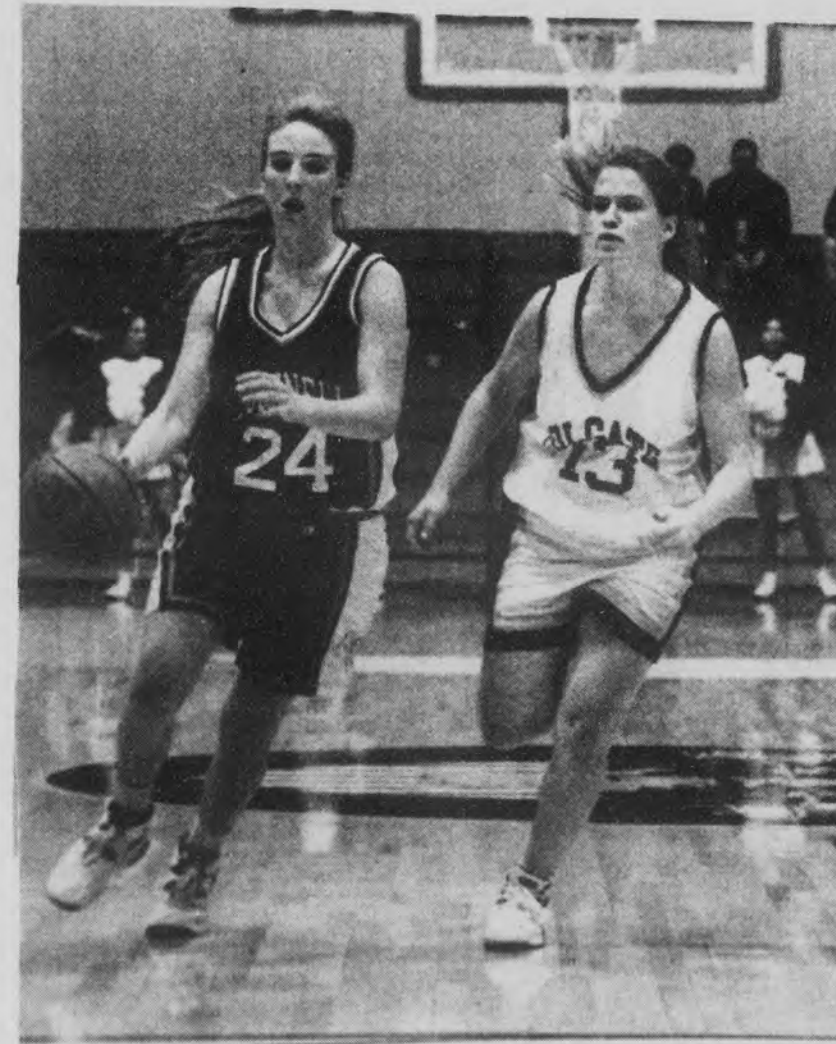
The Crusaders seized the opportunity to open up a considerable lead and went on an 8-0 run to put the Bison down 24-14. Bucknell would never again get closer than seven points.

The closing half played out much like the first as the Bison were able to stay with the Crusaders early behind a Hollister jumper and three-pointer from Chiara Sockel '98, but Holy Cross was once again able to pull away, utilizing the quickness and shooting abilities of league's "Player-of-the-Year" Lauren Maney. Maney scored nine points in the first ten minutes of the second half on her way to a game-high 20 points and four assists. Hollister finished with a team-high 16 points on seven of 14 shooting.

Holy Cross faced departing rival Fordham in the finals of the league tournament with the winner receiving an automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament, but results from that game were not available at press time.

"This is the perfect script with us having won twice and them having won two," Gibbons said in reference to playing Fordham. "It is the ultimate tie breaker."

Shannon McGowan '97 pulled



Eric Shortz—The Bucknellian
Chiara Sockel '97 drives around a Colgate player in the Bison's 53-52 triumph over the Red Raiders last Friday.

down 10 rebounds and K.C. Vlah '96 and Chiara Sockel '97 each added seven points.

The Bison finished the season 11-17 overall, 7-7 in league.

In the team's quarterfinal match-up against Colgate, the Bison upset the Red Raiders, 53-52, despite 32 points from Colgate's leading scorer Jen Smith.

Vlah and McGowan each hit two clutch free throws in the last

30 seconds to seal the victory.

The Bison led by as many as 15 at the mid-point of the second half before Smith brought the Red Raiders back to as close as a point. Smith scored 11 of the team's last 17 points in trying to bring Colgate back. McGowan led Bucknell with a double-double of 18 points and 18 rebounds while Sockel added 16 points.

"We came in picked eighth this season but knew we were better and set our goals higher," Hollister said. "We have all five of our starters coming back next season. We now see ourselves at the top of the pack and we want to continue to set our expectations higher next year so we reach the finals."

The Bison, who again should find their strongest competition coming from Holy Cross next season, will take a holiday road trip to Southern California next year.



Eric Shortz—The Bucknellian
K.C. Vlah '96 looks to pass the ball off to another Bison in the upset victory over Colgate. Vlah led the Patriot League in steals this season, averaging more than three per game.



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Bison Calendar

March 8-17

Baseball

Thurs. 9	v. GETTYSBURG	3:00p.m.
Sun. 12	at Mount St. Mary's	1:00p.m.
Tues. 14	v. LOCK HAVEN	3:00p.m.
Sat. 18	v. Wright State at Fort Myers, FL	

Softball

Thurs. 9	at Towson State	3:00p.m.
Sun 12.	at Delaware	1:00p.m.
Thur. 16	v. ST. FRANCIS, PA	3:30p.m.

Men's Lacrosse

Sat. 11.	MICHIGAN STATE	1:00p.m.
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Women's Lacrosse

Sun. 12	at Towson State	1:00p.m.
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3. Can you name the U.S. men's Amateur Golf champion in 1994?
4. What female U.S. Olympic figure skater collected her fifth gold at the 1994 Winter Games?
5. Can you name the last triple crown winner in horse racing?

Answers:

1. Jeff Torreau beat the Phils on Sept. 6, 1912 (Leon Ames lost a no hitter three years earlier); 2. Dan Wilkinson of Ohio State was drafted by Cincinnati; 3. Tiger Woods; 4. Bonnie Blair; 5. Affirmed

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Partly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of a snow shower. Low around 30. Winds west, 10 m.p.h.
 Friday—Partly cloudy. High 40 to 45.
 Saturday—Fair. Lows in the mid 20s to upper 30s. Highs in the mid 30s to mid 40s.
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Adams settles into the presidential driver's seat

BY NICOLE COBBAN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

This spring break President William Adams did something that few Bucknellians even attempted—homework.

Adams, who assumed office on March 12, spent his vacation "reading important documents, studying some issues, and meeting with senior administrative colleagues to figure out both long-term and short-term matters."

But the first task the president addressed when stepping into the office two weeks ago was "figuring out how to use the computer." He also conducted routine house cleaning tasks. "I opened up all the doors and the cabinets to figure out what was there, I cleaned off some of the shelves, and I read the mail," Adams said.

The transition from Wesleyan University to Bucknell has been "wonderful," Adams claims. Most of his time has been spent "getting brought up to speed on a lot of com-

plexities and practices of the institution."

There are also just as many matters that Adams has plunged into without the luxury of time, like administrative computing, commencement, the Board of Trustees, and preparing the 1995-96 budget, issues which, Adams says, "wait for no president."

The long anticipated search for vice presidents is partly underway. Adams said that the search for a vice president for University Relations is "fairly far down the road" and that he hopes to have the position filled by mid-summer.

The second position of vice president for academic affairs still remains to be tackled. Adams says that he is delaying the search process until "I have had all the conversations I need to have to understand perfectly how I want to fill the position."

For Adams, the president demands more of his time and decision-making skills than his position as secretary at Wesleyan ever



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
 William D. Adams stepped into Bucknell's presidential office on March 15.

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Activists protest the "Contract on America"

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Some wandered by in confusion. Others claimed a square of grass and joined the spectacle in the academic quad yesterday. More than 100 members of the campus community gathered in the quad to participate in the "National Day of Massive Action to Defeat the Contract on America."

Students and faculty, equipped with petitions and a microphone, gathered in the academic quad to voice their concerns over the fiscal agenda in the "Contract with America" proposed by the Republican-dominated Congress. If the agenda is implemented, federal aid for education would be cut by over \$1 billion, including \$400 million in grant reductions for higher education. Federal aid for education in Pennsylvania would be cut by approximately \$48 million in the fiscal year 1996.

The rally was just one of many that took place on over 100 college campuses. Cornell, Berkley, Brown, NYU, and the Univ. of Michigan are just a few of the schools that participated in the "National Day of Action" against the Contract with America.

Joel Wainwright, one of the many organizers for the "Contract on America" rally at Bucknell, said a consensus of the organizers considered the teach-in a "great success."

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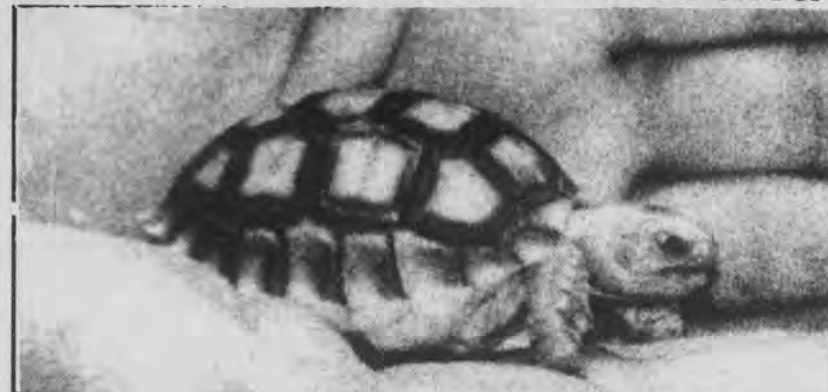
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Adams, who assumed office on March 12, spent his vacation "reading important documents, studying some issues, and meeting with senior administrative colleagues to figure out both long-term and short-term matters."

But the first task the president addressed when stepping into the office two weeks ago was "figuring out how to use the computer." He also conducted routine house cleaning tasks. "I opened up all the doors and the cabinets to figure out what was there, I cleaned off some of the shelves, and I read the mail," Adams said.

The transition from Wesleyan University to Bucknell has been "wonderful" Adams claims. Most of his time has been spent "getting brought up to speed on a lot of com-

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There are also just as many matters that Adams has plunged into without the luxury of time, like administrative computing, commencement, the Board of Trustees, and preparing the 1995-96 budget, issues which, Adams says, "wait for no president."

The long anticipated search for vice presidents is partly underway. Adams said that the search for a vice president for University Relations is "fairly far down the road" and that he hopes to have the position filled by mid-summer.

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Activists protest the "Contract on America"

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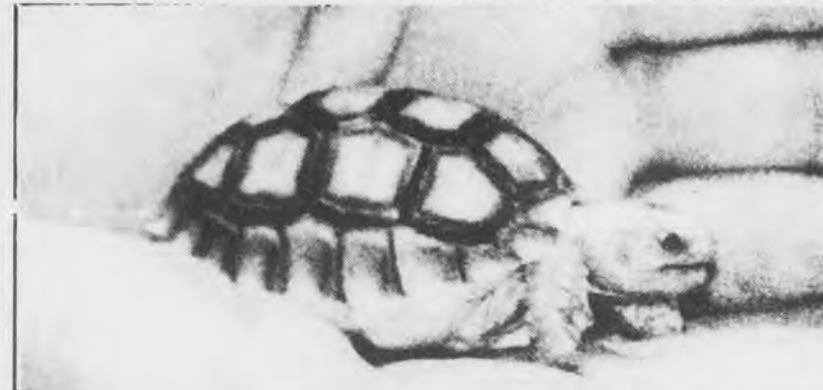
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Kachmarik knocked and entered the apartment, and asked the one resident of the apartment present if he had been burning incense or smoking marijuana. Kachmarik then states that the resident "showed me a stick of incense, and stated that he believed that one or two of his roommates had been there earlier smoking." Nanavati's roommate maintains, however, that he specified that Nanavati had been smoking cigarettes. Nanavati feels that leaving this information out of the report was misleading.

Kachmarik then asked permission to do a plain view search, which yielded nothing. Kachmarik then left the apartment.

Five minutes later Nanavati returned to his gateway, heard of the incident, and went to Kachmarik's apartment in the neighboring gateway.

Kachmarik asked to conduct another search of Nanavati's apartment, which Nanavati declined. Kachmarik's statement then states that, "It was at this

point that he [Nanavati] admitted to me that he had smoked marijuana earlier and that there was still some in the apartment."

Nanavati states this assertion has no reasoning to support it. "Why would I possibly say that?" Nanavati asked. "I hope this statement is judged on the absurd audacity of Scott Kachmarik's claim."

Kachmarik then called Public Safety, he returned to find Nanavati "sprinting across the quad and enter Malesardi hall." Kachmarik followed Nanavati into the Gateway and knocked on his door, stating, "Shaun, I'm coming in." Although Nanavati does not dispute that Kachmarik announced his entrance, Nanavati claims he never heard Kachmarik.

According to Kachmarik, he then asked to conduct a search of Nanavati's room. "At this point," Kachmarik claims, "he consented to a search of his room." Nanavati asks, however, that, "If I did possess marijuana, which I evidently did, why would I consent to a search?"

The search yielded a cardboard tube which contained a bong and a globe, which Kachmarik claims Nanavati indicated was where he "normally keeps his stuff." While inspecting the globe, Kachmarik claims that he "observed a plastic baggy" in the corner of Nanavati's closet and asked Nanavati to hand it to him, which he did.

Kachmarik states that Nanavati handed him three plastic baggies that "appeared to contain a green, leafy substance, which I believed to be marijuana."

At that point, Public Safety arrived and the Lewisburg Police were called. Kachmarik gave the evidence to Officer Jones of the Lewisburg Police department.

Nanavati then handed over another bag of marijuana he had in the influence of alcohol.

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Judge dismisses charges against Hartzell

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On Mar. 15 District Justice P.J. Bromfield dismissed the amended complaint filed against Rick Hartzell, director of athletics and physical education, on Mar. 15.

Carl Shingara, a former employee of the University, filed the complaint against Hartzell and the University, alleging that he had been wrongfully dismissed.

The complaint alleged that Hartzell intentionally interfered with Shingara's employment contract with Bucknell, that the actions constituted "outrageous conduct," that Hartzell, "in his individual capacity" fired Shingara because he refused to engage in illegal activities, and that his rights as an employee at Bucknell, as set forth in the Support Staff Handbook, were violated.

In his decision to dismiss the case, Bromfield said "inasmuch as Hartzell is nowhere alleged to have been acting in anything other

than his representative capacity, any separate claim against him will be dismissed."

Hartzell said he was "thankful that the truth prevailed" with the dismissal.

"I just want to thank those on campus who backed me during a really tough time," Hartzell said.

The original complaint was dismissed in November, and Shingara refiled an amended version of the complaint in December. The judge for the original complaint said the allegations made by Shingara "approached abuse of process if unsubstantiated and irrelevant to the current case."

Out of the five counts outlined in the complaint, one charge remains against the University. The charge alleges that the University dismissed Shingara because he refused to engage in illegal activity, including workers' compensation fraud, as he claims the University directed him to do. The University is required to file an answer to the charge by April 4.

Out of town vandals overstay their welcome

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Two visitors to Bucknell will be facing a number of charges related to a series of vandalism incidents before Spring Break.

On the morning of March 12, Public Safety responded to a report of two males smashing windows in the freshman quad area. The individuals then tried to get into Harris Hall by breaking the back windows. Both individuals were apprehended by Public Safety and were determined to be under the influence of alcohol.

The individuals were identified as Matthew Strohl of Aston, Pennsylvania and James Farley of Wilmington, Delaware.

An eye-witness claims the two were breaking the windows of a number of automobiles parked on St. George Street. The damage is estimated at \$3,500.

Both Strohl and Farley will be charged with underage drinking, public drunkenness, disorderly conduct, criminal mischief, institutional vandalism, tampering with fire equipment, and conspiracy to commit institutional vandalism by the Lewisburg Police.

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Friday, March 10

Officers responded to Gateway Malesardi to assist Scott Kachmarik, assistant director of residential life, with an Act 64 violation. Kachmarik presented several drug paraphernalia items to officers. Lewisburg Police responded to Malesardi and charges are pending at this time.

While assisting Public Safety officers investigate the cause of a fire in Hunt Hall, Scott Kachmarik found a water bong in the room where the fire began. Lewisburg Police were on the scene and charges are pending at this time.

Saturday, March 11

Officers dispatched to Gateway Kalman Posner for a disturbance. A visitor, acting in disorderly fashion, attempted to enter into an apartment, then urinated in the door area. Summary citations relevant to this incident issued. Lewisburg Police reported to the scene and warned the visitor that any other contact would result in misdemeanor charges and a county jail stay.

Officers responded to Vedder Hall for fire alarm. Upon arrival they found unknown person(s) had discharged a fire extinguisher. Investigation continuing.

Unknown person(s) had broken three panes of glass on the exit door on the basement floor of the east side of Vedder. Investigation continuing.

Sunday, March 12

Public Safety was called to Harris Hall for the report of two males attempting to enter the building by smashing windows. Witnesses reported the males allegedly committed acts of vandalism, institutional vandalism and tampering with fire equipment. The males were visiting Bucknell. Lewisburg Police reported to the scene and attempted to question the males, who refused to cooperate.

Public Safety Officers responded to the report of a broken window in a vehicle on Lit Road. Additional damage included radio antenna, gear shift lever, windshield wipers, dashboard air vents, sunvisors, and glove box.

Officers investigated damage to a vehicle on Walker Street. The front windshield was broken and the heater switch was broken.

While patrolling the Lower Harris lot, a Public Safety officer observed the passenger side rear window to be smashed on a vehicle parked in the lot.

An individual reported damage to his vehicle which was parked beside Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Damage included scratched paint on the trunk, below the driver's side mirror, (which was loose) and on the passenger door.

Public Safety assisted the State Police in an attempt to locate a Bucknell student sought for questioning in reference to several traffic violations. The student was not in the residence hall at the time of the attempt to contact.

Tuesday, March 14

An unidentified Bucknell student reported that there were individuals tampering with a soda machine in Trax Hall. A Public Safety officer arrived and found that a student and Bucknell alumnus had tampered with the Pepsi machine, causing it to dispense sodas without paying. University and possible external charges are being filed.

Wednesday, March 15

A student reported that the headlight wipers had been torn off her car some time Saturday night or Sunday morning. Information forwarded to the Lewisburg Police department. Investigation continuing.

Friday, March 17

A Bucknell student reported that a window was broken in the Art Barn. Officer responded and found the window appeared to be broken from the outside. There were no signs of forced entry.

Employee of a contractor working on campus reported to a Public Safety officer that an individual was in his vehicle exposing himself in the Rooke Chapel area. A suspect was later apprehended driving in the Dana/Olin parking lot and turned over to East Buffalo Township Police. Investigation is continuing.

Tuesday, March 21

Custodians called and reported that the door to room 224 Dana had been pried. A Public Safety officer responded and found that the door jamb had been pried on the door but no access was made. The officer also found the door jambs on rooms 221, 222, and 223 had also been pried. Custodians were contacted to repair the damage.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

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Clockwise from top left: Pres. Adams and Joel Walmsworth '95 chat briefly before Adams addresses the crowd gathered in the academic quad for yesterday's rally.

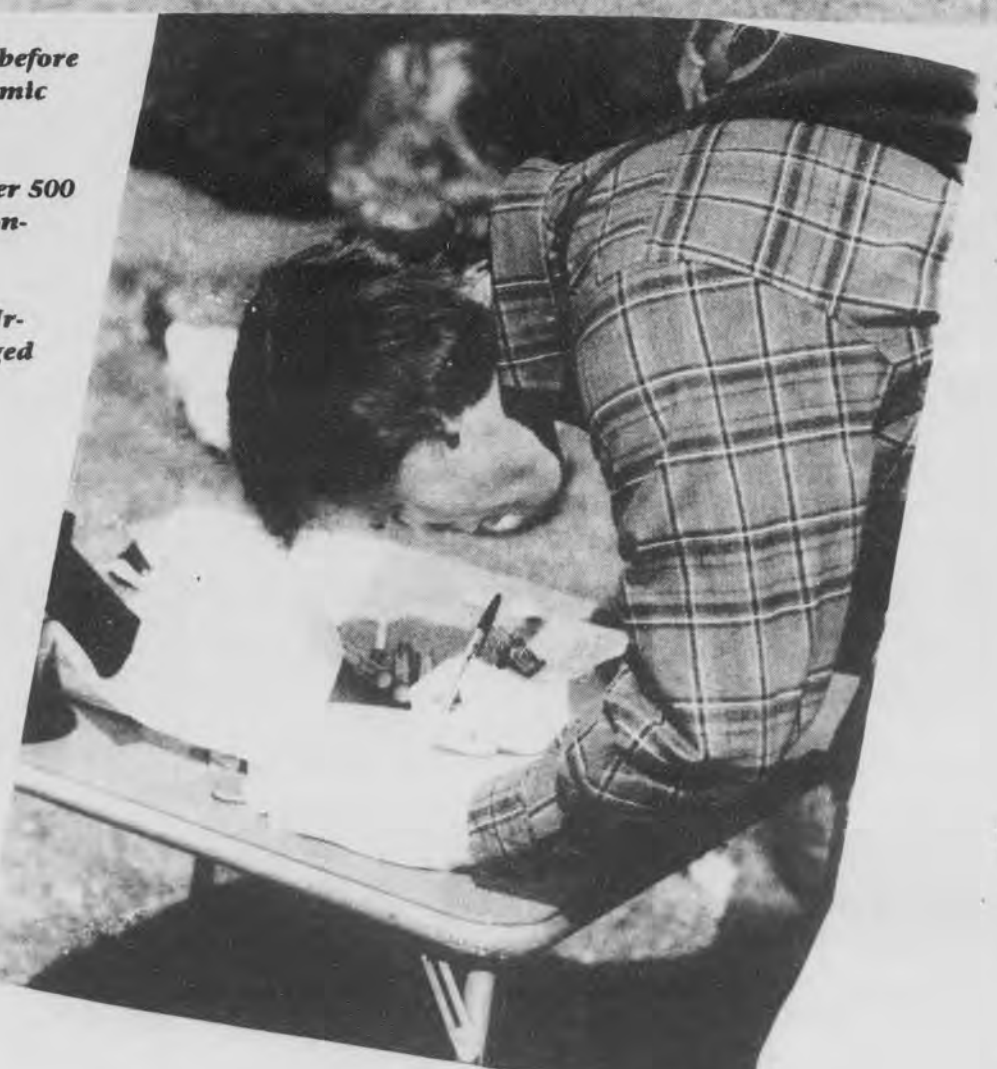
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Kevin Sours '98 signs the petition, adding his name to the thousands of college students across America who joined in the nation-wide protest.

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Students peruse information distributed at the rally which listed the "13 Myths Promoted by the Far Right to Support the 'Contract on America.'"



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Shaun Nanavati '95 faces the University's judicial committee today with possible external criminal charges for possession of marijuana. Nanavati is contesting the search methods used to gain evidence against him, as well as the personal statement given by Scott Kachmarik, assistant director of residential life, as being inaccurate and unethical.

According to Kachmarik's statement, an RA called him at 5:40 p.m. on March 10 to inform him of the "strong odor of marijuana" in Malesardi, and to request Kachmarik's assistance. After meeting the RA and Karen Dihosh, assistant director of residential life, the three agreed that the smell was coming from Nanavati's room.

Kachmarik knocked and entered the apartment, and asked the one resident of the apartment present if he had been burning incense or smoking marijuana. Kachmarik then states that the resident "showed me a stick of incense, and stated that he believed that one or two of his roommates had been there earlier smoking." Nanavati's roommate maintains, however, that he specified that Nanavati had been smoking cigarettes. Nanavati feels that leaving this information out of the report was misleading.

Kachmarik then asked permission to do a plain view search, which yielded nothing. Kachmarik then left the apartment.

Five minutes later Nanavati returned to his gateway, heard of the incident, and went to Kachmarik's apartment in the neighboring gateway.

Kachmarik asked to conduct another search of Nanavati's apartment, which Nanavati declined. Kachmarik's statement then states that, "It was at this

point that he [Nanavati] admitted to me that he had smoked marijuana earlier and that there was still some in the apartment."

Nanavati states this assertion has no reasoning to support it. "Why would I possibly say that?" Nanavati asked. "I hope this statement is judged on the absurd audacity of Scott Kachmarik's claim."

Kachmarik then called Public Safety, he returned to find Nanavati "sprinting across the quad and enter Malesardi hall." Kachmarik followed Nanavati into the Gateway and knocked on his door, stating, "Shaun, I'm coming in." Although Nanavati does not dispute that Kachmarik announced his entrance, Nanavati claims he never heard Kachmarik.

According to Kachmarik, he then asked to conduct a search of Nanavati's room. "At this point," Kachmarik claims, "he consented to a search of his room." Nanavati asks, however, that, "If I did possess marijuana, which I evidently did, why would I consent to a search?"

The search yielded a cardboard tube which contained a bong and a globe, which Kachmarik claims Nanavati indicated was where he "normally keeps his stuff." While inspecting the globe, Kachmarik claims that he "observed a plastic baggy" in the corner of Nanavati's closet and asked Nanavati to hand it to him, which he did.

Kachmarik states that Nanavati handed him three plastic baggies that "appeared to contain a green, leafy substance, which I believed to be marijuana."

At that point, Public Safety arrived and the Lewisburg Police were called. Kachmarik gave the evidence to Officer Jones of the Lewisburg Police department.

Nanavati then handed over another bag of marijuana he had in his possession.

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Judge dismisses charges against Hartzell

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

On Mar. 15 District Justice P.J. Bromfield dismissed the amended complaint filed against Rick Hartzell, director of athletics and physical education, on Mar. 15.

Carl Shingara, a former employee of the University, filed the complaint against Hartzell and the University, alleging that he had been wrongfully dismissed.

The complaint alleged that Hartzell intentionally interfered with Shingara's employment contract with Bucknell, that the actions constituted "outrageous conduct," that Hartzell, "in his individual capacity" fired Shingara because he refused to engage in illegal activities, and that his rights as an employee at Bucknell, as set forth in the Support Staff Handbook, were violated.

In his decision to dismiss the case, Bromfield said "inasmuch as Hartzell is nowhere alleged to have been acting in any other

than his representative capacity, any separate claim against him will be dismissed."

Hartzell said he was "thankful that the truth prevailed" with the dismissal.

"I just want to thank those on campus who backed me during a really tough time," Hartzell said.

The original complaint was dismissed in November, and Shingara refiled an amended version of the complaint in December. The judge for the original complaint said the allegations made by Shingara "approached abuse of process if unsubstantiated and irrelevant to the current case."

Out of the five counts outlined in the complaint, one charge remains against the University. The charge alleges that the University dismissed Shingara because he refused to engage in illegal activity, including workers' compensation fraud, as he claims the University directed him to do. The University is required to file an answer to the charge by April 4.

Out of town vandals overstay their welcome

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Two visitors to Bucknell will be facing a number of charges related to a series of vandalism incidents before Spring Break.

On the morning of March 12, Public Safety responded to a report of two males smashing windows in the freshman quad area.

The individuals then tried to get into Harris Hall by breaking the back windows. Both individuals were apprehended by Public Safety and were determined to be under the influence of alcohol.

The individuals were identified as Matthew Strohl of Aston, Pennsylvania and James Farley of Wilmington, Delaware.

An eye-witness claims the two were breaking the windows of a number of automobiles parked on St. George Street. The damage is estimated at \$3,500.

Both Strohl and Farley will be charged with underage drinking, public drunkenness, disorderly conduct, criminal mischief, institutional vandalism, tampering with fire equipment, and conspiracy to commit institutional vandalism by the Lewisburg Police.

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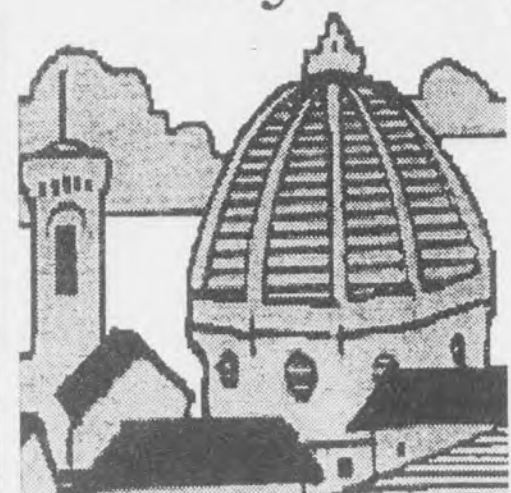
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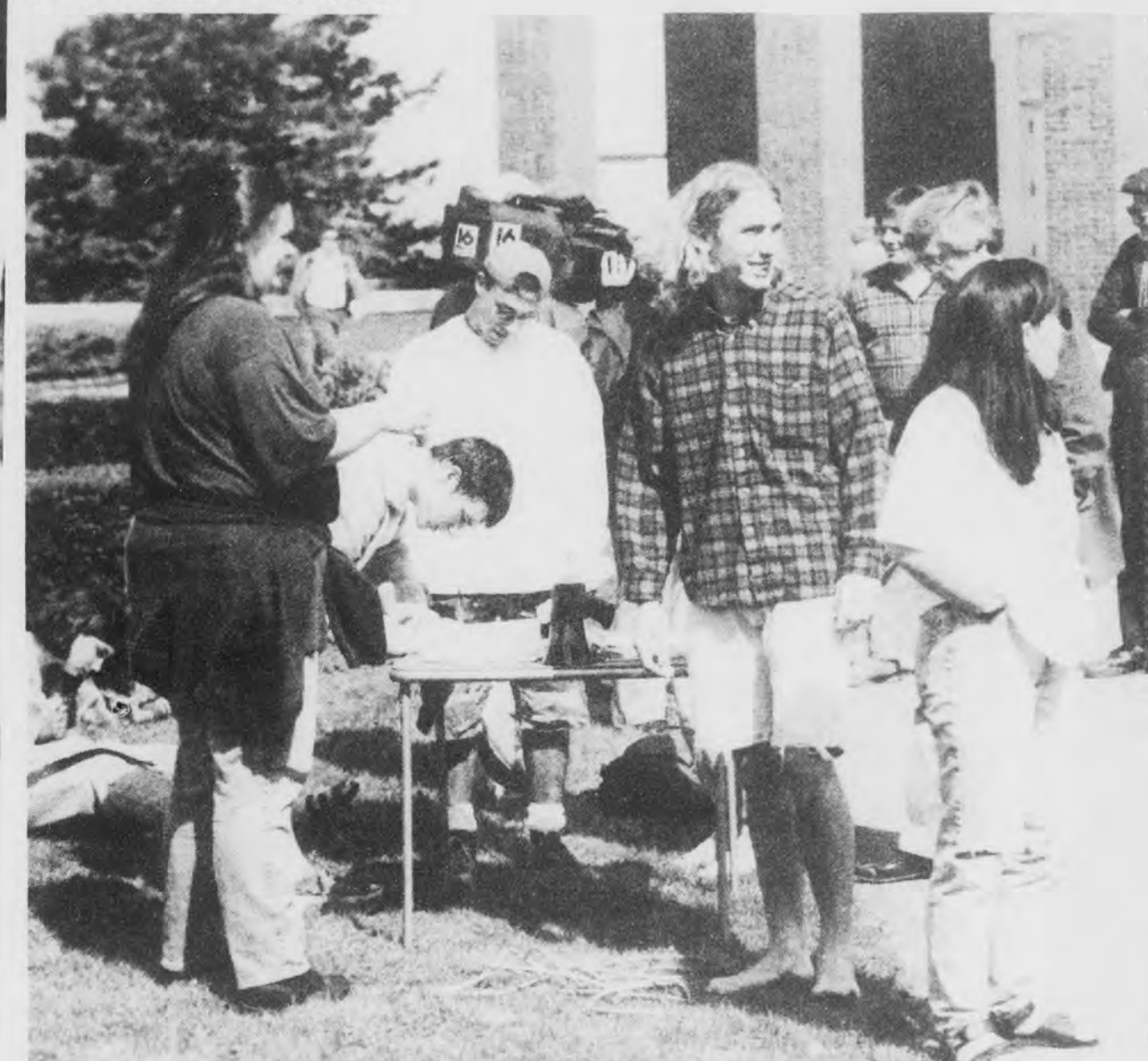
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Campus rally negotiates "Contract" with Congress



Members of the campus community rallied in the academic quad yesterday afternoon to protest the Republican "Contract with America." Speakers at the event included Pres. William Adams, Professor of economics Charles Sackrey, Janice Butler, director of the Women's Resource Center, as well as several students. The rally at Bucknell attracted over 100 students, faculty, and administrators locally, but was also part of a national collegiate protest against the Congressional proposal to cut federal aid for education by over a billion dollars.



All photos by Colleen Rush '95



Clockwise from top left: Pres. Adams and Joel Walcott '95 chat briefly before Adams addresses the crowd gathered in the academic quad for yesterday's rally.

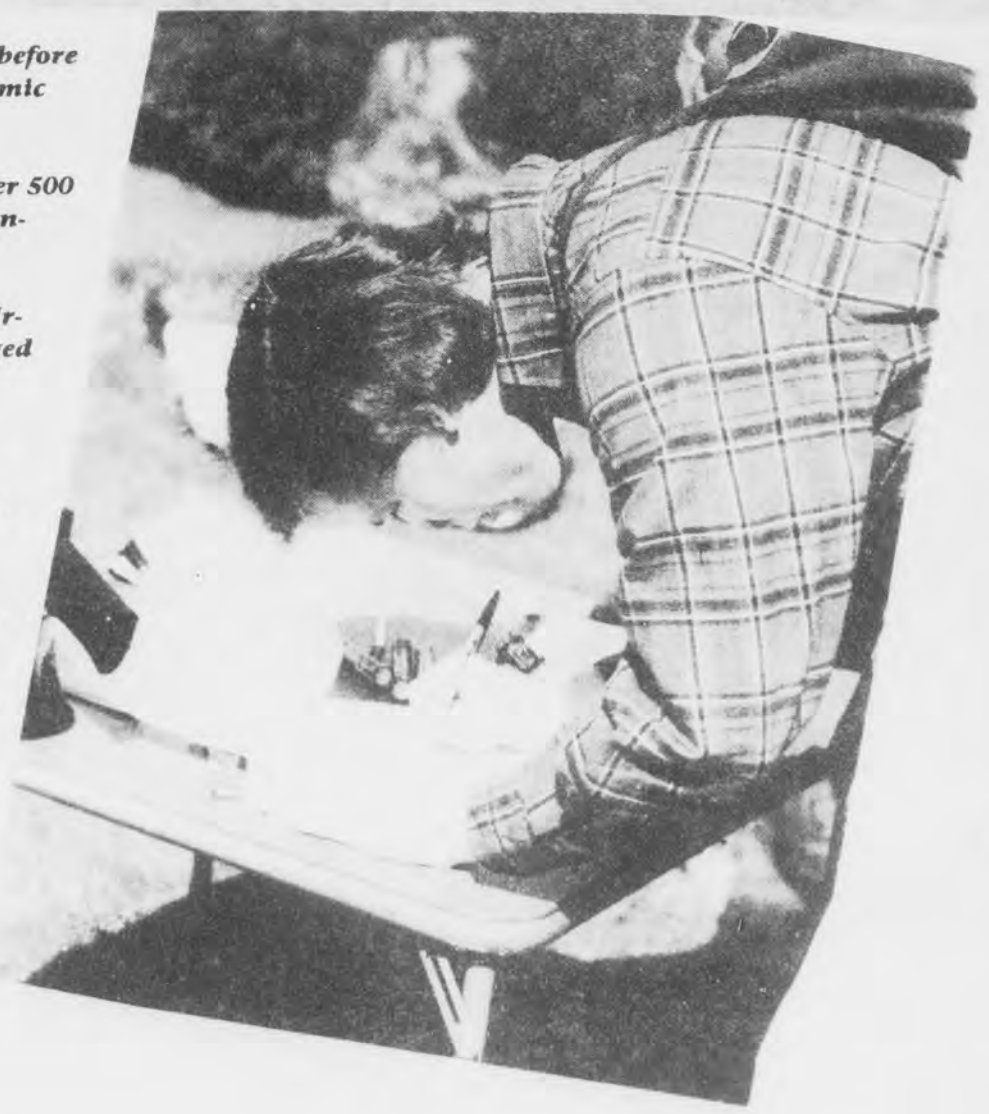
Students mill around the petition table where over 500 signatures were collected to protest Congress' "Contract with America."

(L to R) Mike Broderick '95, Jolie Lyon '96, Ken Urbane '96, Jeff Stern '95 and Jen Gulbin '95 snagged ring-side seats to listen to speakers.

Kevin Sours '98 signs the petition, adding his name to the thousands of college students across America who joined in the nation-wide protest.

G. C. Delzell '97 dispels the myths supporting the proposed Congressional cutbacks.

Students peruse information distributed at the rally which listed the "13 Myths Promoted by the Far Right to Support the 'Contract on America.'"



PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Friday, March 10

Officers responded to Gateway Malesardi to assist Scott Kachmarik, assistant director of residential life, with an Act 64 violation. Kachmarik presented several drug paraphernalia items to officers. Lewisburg Police responded to Malesardi and charges are pending at this time.

While assisting Public Safety officers investigate the cause of a fire in Hunt Hall, Scott Kachmarik found a water bong in the room where the fire began. Lewisburg Police were on the scene and charges are pending at this time.

Saturday, March 11

Officers dispatched to Gateway Kalman Posner for a disturbance. A visitor, acting in disorderly fashion, attempted to enter into an apartment, then urinated in the door area. Summary citations relevant to this incident issued. Lewisburg Police reported to the scene and warned the visitor that any other contact would result in misdemeanor charges and a county jail stay.

Officers responded to Veder Hall for fire alarm. Upon arrival they found unknown person(s) had discharged a fire extinguisher. Investigation continuing.

Unknown person(s) had broken three panes of glass on the exit door on the basement floor of the east side of Veder. Investigation continuing.

Sunday, March 12

Public Safety was called to Harris Hall for the report of two males attempting to enter the building by smashing windows. Witnesses reported the males allegedly committed acts of vandalism, institutional vandalism and tampering with fire equipment. The males were visiting Bucknell. Lewisburg Police reported to the scene and attempted to question the males, who refused to cooperate.

Public Safety Officers responded to the report of a broken window in a vehicle on Lit Road. Additional damage included radio antenna, gear shift lever, windshield wipers, dashboard air vents, sunvisors, and glove box.

Officers investigated damage to a vehicle on Walker Street. The front windshield was broken and the heater switch was broken.

While patrolling the Lower Harris lot, a Public Safety officer observed the passenger side rear window to be smashed on a vehicle parked in the lot.

An individual reported damage to his vehicle which was parked beside Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Damage included scratched paint on the trunk, below the driver's side mirror, (which was loose) and on the passenger door.

Public Safety assisted the State Police in an attempt to locate a Bucknell student sought for questioning in reference to several traffic violations. The student was not in the residence hall at the time of the attempt to contact.

Tuesday, March 14

An unidentified Bucknell student reported that there were individuals tampering with a soda machine in Trax Hall. A Public Safety officer arrived and found that a student and Bucknell alumnus had tampered with the Pepsi machine, causing it to dispense sodas without paying. University and possible external charges are being filed.

Wednesday, March 15

A student reported that the headlight wipers had been torn off her car some time Saturday night or Sunday morning. Information forwarded to the Lewisburg Police department. Investigation continuing.

Friday, March 17

A Bucknell student reported that a window was broken in the Art Barn. Officer responded and found the window appeared to be broken from the outside. There were no signs of forced entry.

Employee of a contractor working on campus reported to a Public Safety officer that an individual was in his vehicle exposing himself in the Rooker Chapel area. A suspect was later apprehended driving in the Dana/Olin parking lot and turned over to East Buffalo Township Police. Investigation is continuing.

Tuesday, March 21

Custodians called and reported that the door to room 224 Dana had been pried. A Public Safety officer responded and found that the door jamb had been pried on the door but no access was made. The officer also found the door jams on rooms 221, 222, and 223 had also been pried. Custodians were contacted to repair the damage.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted. It is University policy not to release the names of students involved in campus crimes.

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TURTLE

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valued at \$229, in the home of Nathan J. Stover of Milton on Feb. 7.

Despite store manager Jo Reitz's accusations when the tortoise disappeared on Sept. 6, that Bucknell students had done it, Lewisburg police, on March 10, charged Stover with the theft.

Reitz had accused Bucknell students of stealing Yordi because a group of about 15 to 20 students had been in the store at about the time the tortoise disappeared.

Apologizing for her false accusation, Reitz added that she felt that it was "natural instinct" to think students had stolen Yordi. "Eighty percent of the students are wonderful," she said.

But although Reitz is happy to see Yordi again, she worries about her health. "From what the police tell me, Stover was feeding it clover. I don't know where in this area clover grows from September to February," she said.

Reitz said that she would again put the turtle up for sale only when sure that Yordi is "medically fine."

Due to her illness, Yordi was unavailable for comment.

ADAMS

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did. The pace since students and faculty have returned from spring break has given Adams more of a workout than any of his jogs around campus. Adams is optimistic however. "One way or another I'll keep the pace up," he said.

Even while still at Wesleyan, Adams had begun preparations for the move. In addition to reading about Bucknell, Adams accompanied President Sojka to several alumni and Board of Trustees meetings. "It was helpful to go to some of those meetings because it let me understand better some of the things that are going on," Adams said.

One of the inevitable problems with inheriting a time-consuming job such as a college presidency is striking a balance between professional responsibilities and private life. Adams says this is an issue which he has considered.

"I'm trying to make things work in such a way that I get to the house at least twice a week for dinner so I can have dinner with them [his family] and so we have at least part of one of the weekend days together," Adams said. "But it's easy to let go of those intentions when people press you."

So far, Adams, his wife Cathy Bruce, and her son Sean have adjusted to Lewisburg without much

ado. Adams says they are "enjoying" being in the President's House, and that Sean, in addition to being enrolled in Lewisburg's elementary school, has definitively staked out his territory in the presidential yard.

"We've created a small amusement park in the backyard with the trampoline and the swing set/tree fort which is now sort of buried in the trees there, and we put up some ropes on a tree. So he's out there swinging around like one of the snow monkeys over at the animal behavioral facility."

Juggling a new job and his family has worked so far. But Adams is quick to admit that, "I don't think I've seen the full picture yet."

For now, Adams has his hands full getting his feet wet. He is also looking forward to addressing issues of diversity and multiculturalism, topics which he feels are a priority and which he wants to "walk into in a deliberate, thoughtful way."

Already, Adams has begun introducing himself to the campus. In addition to meeting with several faculty members to discuss Bucknell's academic environment, Adams has spoken with the executive committee of Bucknell Student Government and a handful of students who have stepped into his office. "But," Adams says with a smile, "I know there will be more."

SEARCH

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his back hip pocket, and an additional lamp containing "some kind of seed" was confiscated. Jones attempted to question Nanavati, but Nanavati refused to cooperate.

Nanavati now faces possible criminal charges for possession of a controlled substance and paraphernalia. Nanavati will appear before a judicial committee this afternoon to face internal charges for the same offenses.

Nanavati hopes that the judicial board will consider the discrepancies in the hearing.

"I feel that there should be an extensive review of not only Bucknell's search and seizure policy, but Scott Kachmarik's position as Resident Director as well," Nanavati said.

Scott Kachmarik was unable to comment on the situation due to an ongoing investigation.

ARREST

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As Snyder, said that he was waiting to pick up somebody. At that point both Lewisburg and East Buffalo police arrived on the scene.

After the witness identified Snyder as the individual he saw exposing himself, Snyder was taken into custody by East Buffalo Township police.

Snyder was arraigned by District Justice Leo Armbruster and was released on his own recognizance.

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World News

Nuclear club debates blasts

Four of the world's main nuclear countries are locked in a dispute as they negotiate a comprehensive ban of nuclear testing. They all want to retain the right to conduct tiny blasts but disagree over the size that should be permitted.

The treaty, currently under negotiation in Geneva, is intended to increase international stability by ending the evolution of the world's most deadly munitions and heading off new arms races. The starting point for such talks might seem to be allowing no blasts whatsoever. After all, the ban by definition is to be comprehensive.

Yet Russia, France, Britain, and the United States all want to retain the right to conduct the small blasts.

The Clinton Administration has taken the most restrictive stance in the negotiations—that blasts should have a force no greater than four pounds of TNT. The others want more powerful blasts, ranging up to 200 tons of TNT or higher.

—New York Times

Merger to create new Japan bank

Two of Japan's most powerful financial institutions, the Bank of Tokyo and the Mitsubishi Bank, announced that they have planned a merger creating the world's largest bank. With about \$819 billion in assets, the new bank would be about a third larger than the Sumitomo Bank, now the biggest with \$604 billion, and more than three times the size of Citicorp, the largest in the United States.

If the deal goes through, the new behemoth, tentatively called the Tokyo Mitsubishi Bank, would combine two of the strongest banks in Japan, where the banking industry has been shaken in recent years by the collapse of the country's stock and real estate markets. Some experts see this deal as possibly the forerunner of other large combination of Japanese banks, many of which are either looking for fresh capital or a strategic alliance to help them compete.

—New York Times

National News

GOP won't quit on term limits

Anticipating defeat of a key element in their Contract With America, House Republicans hope to reap credit for holding a vote on term limits while blaming Democrats for the measure's demise.

"If we get half the Democrats, we will pass the term-limits constitutional amendment," House Speaker Newt Gingrich declared Tuesday as debate opened. He said that more than 85 percent of GOP lawmakers would vote for the measure and "it ought to be possible to get half the Democrats to side with the country that elects them."

Efforts to build public support for a specific version, however, have been hampered by squabbling among interest groups, and GOP energy has been diverted into struggles over welfare, tax cuts and other legislative issues. In addition, Gingrich noted earlier this month that constitutional amendments often took years to amass the support needed.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

'Big Boy' hacked in college prank

Eight men, most of them college students, admitted to police that they and two younger friends stole the cheery, 300-pound restaurant icon on March 17th, dismembered him with a hacksaw and dumped his remains at other Big Boy restaurants in the area with notes that declared: "Big Boy is Dead."

The eight, who said that boredom was their motive, will probably be charged with criminal mischief, a misdemeanor that could land them in jail for 60 days and cost them more than \$3,000 to pay for the statue, Detective Ron Scanlon said.

The group took the fiberglass, hamburger-toting statue to an apartment and debated what to do with it when one suggested that they "chop him up." They just wanted to take the Big Boy. But then one thing led to another and the kids started dismembering him. They took the head and cut it off. Somebody else took an arm, a leg," Scanlon said.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

Disaster status extended to California

A disaster declaration making California flood victims eligible for federal aid has been extended to all but one of the state's 58 counties.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency said that it had added eight counties to the disaster declaration issued by President Clinton after storms brought damage and severe floods to many parts of California earlier this month.

The agency was acting at the request of the California Office of Emergency Services. The action means that all counties but Del Norte County, near the Oregon border, are covered by the disaster declaration. Del Norte did not seek inclusion in the declaration.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

New service keeps track of travelers

A small long-distance telephone company in California is selling an intriguing service for the hard-to-reach business traveler: a personalized, toll-free number that follows travelers wherever they wander and makes them accessible 24 hours a day.

Subscriber to My Line, offered by Call America Business Communication of San Luis Obispo, Calif., receive their own "800" number, which they can use to get messages, forward phone calls, or receive faxes. By calling the number, they also gain access to My Line's long distance credit card service, which the company says offers saving over some rates.

—New York Times

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LIFESTYLES

Beauty and beast to perform through musical Glass



Photo courtesy Janus Films

Above: Based on Jean Cocteau's French cinematic classic, *La Belle et la Bête* (Beauty and the Beast) will be performed at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts tomorrow evening.

Below: A new vocal and instrumental score for the opera written by Philip Glass will be performed by the Philip Glass Ensemble. Glass has written for opera, orchestra, film, theatre, dance, chorus as well as for his own group. He was named *Musical America's* 1985 Musician of the Year.



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Costanzo performs words of poetry

Successful poet to share his works at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall this Sunday

By REBECCA KLINGLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With a low chuckle, Gerald Costanzo tried to explain exactly what a poetry reading is. "It's a kind of preaching, I suppose," he joked. Becoming more serious, he said, "When you read your poems to an audience, it's a much different thing than just words on a page. The performance of words is what a poem really is."

Performing his own words at 8 p.m. this Sunday in Bucknell Hall, Gerald Costanzo is excited about the reading. "It's something I enjoy doing very much," he

said.

The art of writing poetry is the drive behind Costanzo's excitement. From writing to editing, he is involved in every aspect of producing a poem. "It [poetry] is very important to me," he said.

The proof that Costanzo enjoys his work lies in the numerous poetic projects he undertakes. Interested in discovering what the poets of his generation were doing, he founded and operated the *Three Rivers Poetry Journal* in 1972. After twenty years, the last publication came out in 1992. "You kind of fall in and out of love with the magazine. I did that several times," he said. "I just decided to publish more poetry books. I needed to direct my energy there."

Devoting his energy to the Carnegie Mellon University Press, Costanzo is carrying forth another creation of his. Ever since he founded it in 1972, Costanzo has become personally involved with each work that it publishes. Among the books of poetry from the Carnegie Mellon Press is Rita Dove's *Thomas and Beulah*, winner of the 1987 Pulitzer Prize.

Costanzo has also contributed to the poetic efforts of high school students by founding the Creative Writing Program of the Pennsylvania Governor's School for the Arts. Through this program, which used to be held at Bucknell over the summer, Costanzo has previously read here. "I read in the theater," he chuckled. "I wanted to read in the Chapel, but they wouldn't let me." This will be his first time reading in Bucknell Hall.

Not only does Costanzo like his work, but he has also proved successful at it. When his first book *In the Aviary* was published, he received the Devins Award for Poetry in 1974. Since then he has also received two Pushcart Prizes for "Dinosaurs of the Hollywood Delta" and "The Rise of the Sunday School Movement, two National Endowment for the Arts Creative Writing Fellowships, an Editors Fellowship, and a Pennsylvania Council on the Arts Individual Writer's Grant. "I really feel lucky," he said. "I've gotten my fair share."

In addition to the recognition and the honor of receiving the awards and grants, the benefits that they provide have allowed Costanzo to focus on his own writing. "The grants did help me in a lot of ways. The [Carnegie Mellon] Press is like a business. You spend all your time on it," he explained. "The grant money gave me an opportunity to go away from Pittsburgh and not work on the press, to work on my own writing."

Besides *In the Aviary*, Costanzo has

also written two other collections of poetry, *The Laps of the Bridesmaids* and *Nobody Lives on Arthur Godfrey Boulevard*.

Costanzo's poetic career began about 1960 while taking creative writing classes in high school. He discovered that poetry was something he wanted to do. "I was an athlete in high school," Costanzo said, "and somehow it was better to be an athlete than a writer. But I wanted to write."

And so he writes. With more than 300 poems released for public reading, Costanzo has been working hard. However, his work is never done. "Writing is not something I don't think you ever finish learning to do, he said. "I'll leave that poem alone. In six weeks or six months I'll come back to it. Somehow I'm a different person then."

Inspiration is out in the everyday world for Costanzo. "I write about things that happen everyday. Living in America is an inspiration," he said. "There are really two Americas, one that we go out into our everyday lives and the other one that is inside of us, the one we ought to believe in. Sometimes the two Americas are at odds, and there's a tension there."

While most of his writing has been free verse, Costanzo is now working on a new book, using rhyme in his poetry. According to Costanzo, a lot of people are attempting rhyming due to its revival.

"I write about things that happen everyday. Living in America is an inspiration."

—Gerald Costanzo

But, he said, "They're not as interesting as it was 50 years ago. The challenge is to make something interesting. It's a personal kind of thing."

Form is something that Costanzo is very familiar with through his 25 years of teaching poetry at Carnegie Mellon University. "I teach formal poetry," he explained. "I try to teach my students the traditional poetry so that whatever they do, they'll have a sense of where they came from."

A long way from his birth place in Oregon, Costanzo first arrived on the East Coast at Harvard as an undergraduate. "As much as I love Oregon, I never really fit in there," he said. "I liked to read books, and while you could do that there, I decided to try it in Boston."

Now, people are reading Costanzo's books, and his love for poetry keeps him writing. "I like what I do a lot," Costanzo said simply, "and that's very important to me."

Two students draw crowds practicing for first piano recital in Bucknell Hall

Heather Schweiger '97, Lansing Madry '96 prepare for recital over break

By KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

While most Bucknellians spent spring break lounging on a beach or relaxing at home, Heather Schweiger '97 and Lansing Madry '96 were preparing for their upcoming piano recital. While that may not sound unusual, the conditions under which Schweiger had to practice were.

A coxswain for the crew team, Schweiger traveled to Georgia with the team during the recent break, yet her travels didn't stand in the way of her music. "I practiced on the piano in the restaurant at the hotel where we stayed," said Schweiger, whose playing attracted quite a crowd. "I couldn't let the people who were watching bother me; I had to get things done!"

Both piano students of Professor of Music Barry Hannigan, Schweiger and Madry are no strangers to the grand piano in Bucknell Hall. Both have performed often in music department student recitals as soloists and as accompanists.

Tuesday night's performance at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall will mark the first solo recital for both musicians, who anticipate that the audience will enjoy the program of diverse music.

Both musicians will present works

"I practiced on the piano in the restaurant at the hotel where we stayed. I couldn't let the people who were watching bother me; I had to get things done."

—Heather Schweiger '97

that were composed in different time periods, which leads to differences in performance style and technique. Schweiger commented that J.S. Bach's *Italian Concerto* and Sergei Prokofiev's *Third Sonata*, Opus 28 are two very contrasting works in the piano repertoire. "The Prokofiev sonata is very dissonant with a lot of different moods," Schweiger stated. "It starts rhythmically but gradually becomes more fluid and melodic." The pianist added that the difficult piece is a lot of fun to play.

Madry's solo portion of Tuesday night's recital includes Debussy's *Ballade* and Beethoven's *Piano Sonata in D Major*, Opus 28. Madry explained that the recital was composed of four movements. The recital will conclude with the four-hand *Sonata* by the French composer Francis Poulenc. Both pianists are enthusiastic about this work, which marks their first Bucknell four-hand performance. Schweiger said, "Lansing has a lot of playing concentrated in the center of the piano, while I tend to play at the piano's extremes." Madry said that the piece, which has a surprise ending, is as fun to watch as it is to listen to. He added, "A lot of choreography went into doing this piece!"

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TURTLE

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valued at \$229, in the home of Nathan J. Stover of Milton on Feb. 7.

Despite store manager Jo Reitz's accusations when the tortoise disappeared on Sept. 6, that Bucknell students had done it, Lewisburg police, on March 10, charged Stover with the theft.

Reitz had accused Bucknell students of stealing Yordi because a group of about 15 to 20 students had been in the store at about the time the tortoise disappeared.

Apologizing for her false accusation, Reitz added that she felt that it was "natural instinct" to think students had stolen Yordi. "Eighty percent of the students are wonderful," she said.

But although Reitz is happy to see Yordi again, she worries about her health. "From what the police tell me, Stover was feeding it clover. I don't know where in this area clover grows from September to February," she said.

Reitz said that she would again put the turtle up for sale only when sure that Yordi is "medically fine."

Due to her illness, Yordi was unavailable for comment.

ADAMS

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did. The pace since students and faculty have returned from spring break has given Adams more of a workout than any of his jogs around campus. Adams is optimistic however. "One way or another I'll keep the pace up," he said.

Even while still at Wesleyan, Adams had begun preparations for the move. In addition to reading about Bucknell, Adams accompanied President Sojka to several alumni and Board of Trustees meetings. "It was helpful to go to some of those meetings because it let me understand better some of the things that are going on," Adams said.

One of the inevitable problems with inheriting a time-consuming job such as a college presidency is striking a balance between professional responsibilities and private life. Adams says this is an issue which he has considered.

"I'm trying to make things work in such a way that I get to the house at least twice a week for dinner so I can have dinner with them [his family] and so we have at least part of one of the weekend days together," Adams said. "But it's easy to let go of those intentions when people press you."

So far, Adams, his wife Cathy Bruce, and her son Sean have adjusted to Lewisburg without much

ado. Adams says they are "enjoying" being in the President's House, and that Sean, in addition to being enrolled in Lewisburg's elementary school, has definitively staked out his territory in the residential yard.

"We've created a small amusement park in the backyard with the trampoline and the swing set/ tree fort which is now sort of buried in the trees there, and we put up some ropes on a tree. So he's out there swinging around like one of the snow monkeys over at the animal behavioral facility."

Juggling a new job and his family has worked so far. But Adams is quick to admit that, "I don't think I've seen the full picture yet."

For now, Adams has his hands full getting his feet wet. He is also looking forward to addressing issues of diversity and multiculturalism, topics which he feels are a priority and which he wants to "walk into in a deliberate, thoughtful way."

Adams has begun introducing himself to the campus. In addition to meeting with several faculty members to discuss Bucknell's academic environment, Adams has spoken with the executive committee of Bucknell Student Government and a handful of students who have stopped into his office. "But," Adams says with a smile, "I know there will be more."

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SEARCH

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his back hip pocket, and an additional lamp containing "some kind of seed" was confiscated. Jones attempted to question Nanavati, but Nanavati refused to cooperate.

Nanavati now faces possible criminal charges for possession of a controlled substance and paraphernalia. Nanavati will appear before a judicial committee this afternoon to face internal charges for the same offenses.

Nanavati hopes that the judicial board will consider the discrepancies in the hearing.

"I feel that there should be an extensive review of not only Bucknell's search and seizure policy, but Scott Kachmarik's position as Resident Director as well," Nanavati said.

Scott Kachmarik was unable to comment on the situation due to an ongoing investigation.

ARREST

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as Snyder, said that he was waiting to pick up somebody. At that point both Lewisburg and East Buffalo police arrived on the scene.

After the witness identified Snyder as the individual he saw exposing himself, Snyder was taken into custody by East Buffalo Township police.

Snyder was arraigned by District Justice Leo Armbruster and was released on his own recognizance.

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News Briefs

World News

Nuclear club debates blasts

Four of the world's main nuclear countries are locked in a dispute as they negotiate a comprehensive ban of nuclear testing. They all want to retain the right to conduct tiny blasts but disagree over the size that should be permitted.

The treaty, currently under negotiation in Geneva, is intended to increase international stability by ending the evolution of the world's most deadly munitions and heading off new arms races. The starting point for such talks might seem to be allowing no blasts whatsoever. After all, the ban by definition is to be comprehensive.

Yet Russia, France, Britain, and the United States all want to retain the right to conduct the small blasts.

The Clinton Administration has taken the most restrictive stance in the negotiations—that blasts should have a force no greater than four pounds of TNT. The others want more powerful blasts, ranging up to 200 tons of TNT or higher.

—New York Times

Merger to create new Japan bank

Two of Japan's most powerful financial institutions, the Bank of Tokyo and the Mitsubishi Bank, announced that they have planned a merger creating the world's largest bank. With about \$819 billion in assets, the new bank would be about a third larger than the Sumitomo Bank, now the biggest with \$604 billion, and more than three times the size of Citicorp, the largest in the United States.

If the deal goes through, the new behemoth, tentatively called the Tokyo Mitsubishi Bank, would combine two of the strongest banks in Japan, where the banking industry has been shaken in recent years by the collapse of the country's stock and real estate markets. Some experts see this deal as possibly the forerunner of other large combination of Japanese banks, many of which are either looking for fresh capital or a strategic alliance to help them compete.

—New York Times

National News

GOP won't quit on term limits

Anticipating defeat of a key element in their Contract With America, House Republicans hope to reap credit for holding a vote on term limits while blaming Democrats for the measure's demise.

"If we get half the Democrats, we will pass the term-limits constitutional amendment," House Speaker Newt Gingrich declared Tuesday as debate opened. He said that more than 85 percent of GOP lawmakers would vote for the measure and "it ought to be possible to get half the Democrats to side with the country that elects them."

Efforts to build public support for a specific version, however, have been hampered by squabbling among interest groups, and GOP energy has been diverted into struggles over welfare, tax cuts and other legislative issues. In addition, Gingrich noted earlier this month that constitutional amendments often took years to amass the support needed.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

'Big Boy' hacked in college prank

Eight men, most of them college students, admitted to police that they and two younger friends stole the cheery, 300-pound restaurant icon on March 17th, dismembered him with a hacksaw and dumped his remains at other Big Boy restaurants in the area with notes that declared: "Big Boy Is Dead."

The eight, who said that boredom was their motive, will probably be charged with criminal mischief, a misdemeanor that could land them in jail for 60 days and cost them more than \$3,000 to pay for the statue, Detective Ron Scanlon said.

The group took the fiberglass, hamburger-toting statue to an apartment and debated what to do with it when one suggested that they "chop him up." "They just wanted to take the Big Boy. But then one thing led to another and the kids started dismembering him. They took the head and cut it off. Somebody else took an arm, a leg," Scanlon said.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

Disaster status extended to California

A disaster declaration making California flood victims eligible for federal aid has been extended to all but one of the state's 58 counties.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency said that it had added eight counties to the disaster declaration issued by President Clinton after storms brought damage and severe floods to many parts of California earlier this month.

The agency was acting at the request of the California Office of Emergency Services. The action means that all counties but Del Norte County, near the Oregon border, are covered by the disaster declaration. Del Norte did not seek inclusion in the declaration.

—Philadelphia Inquirer

New service keeps track of travelers

A small long-distance telephone company in California is selling an intriguing service for the hard-to-reach business traveler: personalized, toll-free number that follows travelers wherever they wander and makes them accessible 24 hours a day.

Subscriber to My Line, offered by Cali America Business Communication of San Luis Obispo, Calif., receive their own "800" number, which they can use to get messages, forward phone calls, or receive faxes. By calling the number, they also gain access to My Line's long distance credit card service, which the company says offers saving over some rates.

—New York Times

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LIFESTYLES

Beauty and beast to perform through musical Glass



Photo courtesy Janus Films

Above: Based on Jean Cocteau's French cinematic classic, *La Belle et la Bête* (Beauty and the Beast) will be performed at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts tomorrow evening.

Below: A new vocal and instrumental score for the opera written by Philip Glass will be performed by the Philip Glass Ensemble. Glass has written for opera, orchestra, film, theatre, dance, chorus as well as for his own group. He was named Musical America's 1985 Musician of the Year.



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Costanzo performs words of poetry

Successful poet to share his works at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall this Sunday

BY REBECCA KLINGLER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

With a low chuckle, Gerald Costanzo tried to explain exactly what a poetry reading is. "It's a kind of preaching, I suppose," he joked. Becoming more serious, he said, "When you read your poems to an audience, it's a much different thing than just words on a page. The performance of words is what a poem really is."

Performing his own words at 8 p.m. this Sunday in Bucknell Hall, Gerald Costanzo is excited about the reading. "It's something I enjoy doing very much," he

said.

The art of writing poetry is the drive behind Costanzo's excitement. From writing to editing, he is involved in every aspect of producing a poem. "It [poetry] is very important to me," he said.

The proof that Costanzo enjoys his work lies in the numerous poetic projects he undertakes. Interested in discovering what the poets of his generation were doing, he founded and operated the *Three Rivers Poetry Journal* in 1972. After twenty years, the last publication came out in 1992. "You kind of fall in and out of love with the magazine. I did that several times," he said. "I just decided to publish more poetry books. I needed to direct my energy there."

Devoting his energy to the Carnegie Mellon University Press, Costanzo is carrying forth another creation of his. Ever since he founded it in 1972, Costanzo has become personally involved with each work that it publishes. Among the books of poetry from the Carnegie Mellon Press is Rita Dove's *Thomas and Beulah*, winner of the 1987 Pulitzer Prize.

Costanzo has also contributed to the poetic efforts of high school students by founding the Creative Writing Program of the Pennsylvania Governor's School for the Arts. Through this program, which used to be held at Bucknell over the summer, Costanzo has previously read here. "I read in the theater," he chuckled. "I wanted to read in the Chapel, but they wouldn't let me." This will be his first time reading in Bucknell Hall.

Not only does Costanzo like his work, but he has also proved successful at it. When his first book *In the Aviary* was published, he received the Devins Award for Poetry in 1974. Since then he has also received two Pushcart Prizes for "Dinosaurs of the Hollywood Delta" and "The Rise of the Sunday School Movement, two National Endowment for the Arts Creative Writing Fellowships, an Editors Fellowship, and a Pennsylvania Council on the Arts Individual Writer's Grant. "I really feel lucky," he said. "I've gotten my fair share."

In addition to the recognition and the honor of receiving the awards and grants, the benefits that they provide have allowed Costanzo to focus on his own writing. "The grants did help me in a lot of ways. The [Carnegie Mellon] Press is like a business. You spend all your time one it," he explained. "The grant money gave me an opportunity to go away from Pittsburgh and not work on the press, to work on my own writing."

Besides *In the Aviary*, Costanzo has

also written two other collections of poetry, *The Laps of the Bridesmaids* and *Nobody Lives on Arthur Godfrey Boulevard*.

Costanzo's poetic career began about 1960 while taking creative writing classes in high school. He discovered that poetry was something he wanted to do. "I was an athlete in high school," Costanzo said, "and somehow it was better to be an athlete than a writer. But I wanted to write."

And so he writes. With more than 300 poems released for public reading, Costanzo has been working hard. However, his work is never done. "Writing is not something I don't think you ever finish learning to do, he said. "I'll have an unfinished poem, and I'll leave that poem alone. In six weeks or six months I'll come back to it. Somehow I'm a different person then."

Inspiration is out in the everyday world for Costanzo. "I write about things that happen everyday. Living in America is an inspiration," he said. "There are really two Americas, one that we go out into our everyday lives and the other one that is inside of us, the one we ought to believe in. Sometimes the two Americas are at odds, and there's a tension there."

While most of his writing has been free verse, Costanzo is now working on a new book, using rhyme in his poetry. According to Costanzo, a lot of people are attempting rhyming due to its revival.

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But, he said, "They're not as interesting as it was 50 years ago. The challenge is to make something interesting. It's a personal kind of thing."

Form is something that Costanzo is very familiar with through his 25 years of teaching poetry at Carnegie Mellon University. "I teach formal poetry," he explained. "I try to teach my students the traditional poetry so that whatever they do, they'll have a sense of where they came from."

A long way from his birth place in Oregon, Costanzo first arrived on the East Coast at Harvard as an undergraduate. "As much as I love Oregon, I never really fit in there," he said. "I liked to read books, and while you could do that there, I decided to try it in Boston."

Now, people are reading Costanzo's books, and his love for poetry keeps him writing. "I like what I do a lot," Costanzo said simply, "and that's very important to me."

Two students draw crowds practicing for first piano recital in Bucknell Hall

Heather Schweiger '97, Lansing Madry '96 prepare for recital over break

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

While most Bucknellians spent spring break lounging on a beach or relaxing at home, Heather Schweiger '97 and Lansing Madry '96 were preparing for their upcoming piano recital. While that may not sound unusual, the conditions under which Schweiger had to practice were.

A coxswain for the crew team, Schweiger traveled to Georgia with the team during the recent break, yet her travels didn't stand in the way of her music. "I practiced on the piano in the restaurant at the hotel where we stayed," said Schweiger, whose playing attracted quite a crowd. "I couldn't let the people who were watching bother me; I had to get things done."

Both piano students of Professor of Music Barry Hannigan, Schweiger and Madry are no strangers to the grand piano in Bucknell Hall. Both have performed often in music department student recitals as soloists and as accompanists.

Tuesday night's performance at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall will mark the first solo recital for both musicians, who anticipate that the audience will enjoy the program of diverse music.

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that were composed in different time periods, which leads to differences in performance style and technique. Schweiger commented that J.S. Bach's *Italian Concerto* and Sergei Prokofiev's *Third Sonata*, Opus 28 are two very contrasting works in the piano repertoire. "The Prokofiev sonata is very dissonant with a lot of different moods," Schweiger stated. "It starts rhythmically but gradually becomes more fluid and melodic." The pianist added that the difficult piece is a lot of fun to play.

Madry's solo portion of Tuesday night's recital includes Debussy's *Ballade* and Beethoven's *Piano Sonata in D Major*, Opus 28. Madry explained that the

Beethoven piece, which was written in 1801 during the composer's middle period, is nicknamed "Pastorale" and is the last sonata that Beethoven wrote in the conventional four-movement style.

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EDITORIAL

More activism needed to break the "Bubble"

We need to recognize activists, educate ourselves about societal issues beyond Bucknell

The student protest Wednesday, led by those opposing the Republican-sponsored Contract With America, was another example of students pushing against, and trying to rupture, the elusive, soap-sud thin walls of the notorious Bucknell "Bubble."

But despite the central location on the Academic Quad and even a short speech by the new president opposing cuts to federal student aid programs, the protest failed to draw many listeners.

Many students, faculty members, administrators, and support staff hurried past, only watching or listening to speakers during their mad dash for lunch or class. Few stopped to listen, even for several minutes, to the words of their colleagues and peers.

It was disappointing to hear people talking about the protest, saying that they had no idea what Contract With America is, nor did they care to know.

Nevertheless, we, as members of the very community whose activists undertake the commendable task of trying to educate us about relevant political, economic, and social justice issues need to recognize these individuals and their attempts to inform the democratic processes of our country. Audience turn-

out, although gratifying when large, is not a sufficient measuring stick of the effectiveness of activism.

Even if the protest garnered only a single signature on a petition, it was successful. Turnout size should not influence the way in which we regard issues. Any activism is successful if it raises the consciousness of even one person.

Attempts to educate people about relevant issues—through campus-wide protests or small, wall signs—are necessary and integral to living in a democratic state.

In our classes, professors constantly encourage us to share our views and voices, to challenge and question, and to help others find their own truths. Activism such as the rally on Wednesday, whether or not it significantly impacts federal government, should impact our lives as the catalyst it attempts to be. Like the courageous few who donate time and energy toward educating others about the causes in which they believe, we need to engage ourselves on any side of any political movement. We need to mingle our voices in meaningful and relevant discussion with those who we seek to educate.

OPINIONS

Cost-benefit requirements to hinder Government regulations

BY JOHN STITH

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Some things are still priceless. The air, the forests, and the farmers' fields are treasures that we strive to protect. Yet be forewarned! Congressional Republicans are coming with their price tags.

Republicans in Congress have some changes in mind. A bill has passed in the House of Representatives which would stop any new rules or regulations unless they passed a complex battery of risk assessments and cost-benefit analyses. Under Republican law, we could not make any new rules concerning safety, pollution, or health unless it is proven that the benefits would be "worth" the costs.

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Cost-benefit requirements to hinder Government regulations toward global warming and holes in the ozone layer. Republicans plan not only to curb regulations that go too far, but to get rid of many of the meager protections we have had for years. Republican leaders plan to rewrite (and likely weaken) the Superfund Law, the Clean Water Act, the Safe Drinking Water Act, and the Endangered Species Act by the end of the year.

One example of this cost-benefit mentality hits rather close to home. On July 20, 1977 a dam broke in Tanneryville, about 20 miles from my home near Johnstown, Pennsylvania. Thirty-nine people died when they were swept away by the waters, most right out of their own homes. Many relatives of the deceased sued the Greater Johnstown Water Authority, the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, the Pennsylvania governmental agency in charge of dam safety, and other consulting firms. After over a decade in the legal system, the relatives settled out of court. None of those sued ever admitted any responsibility for the flood.

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The method in which the deceased's relatives were compensated is horrifying as well. As is done in many wrongful death awards, the value of the deceased's future earnings and retirement income, minus their cost of living, is the "worth" of their life. Thus a 2-year-old girl who died was valued at \$943,110, whereas a 57-year-old woman was valued at \$50,850. As Johnstown attorney Samuel Di-Francesco noted in the *Johnstown Tribune-Democrat*, "If Barbra Streisand is killed, her life is worth more than if a steelworker is killed." In the end those who were sued paid an average of \$95,344 for each person who died.

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ed to see one of America's heroes found guilty of a brutal and bloody crime.

How these reactions are manifested could prove even more newsworthy than the drama of the trial itself. More than likely, public reaction will provide

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sociologists with a useful seismograph of the stresses and strains in contemporary American society.

The story that should be told, however, will likely receive little media attention. That story is the fact

toward global warming and holes in the ozone layer. Republicans plan not only to curb regulations that go too far, but to get rid of many of the meager protections we have had for years. Republican leaders plan to rewrite (and likely weaken) the Superfund Law, the Clean Water Act, the Safe Drinking Water Act, and the Endangered Species Act by the end of the year.

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Justice in Judgment: what may result from the Simpson verdict

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

For the past few weeks, millions of TV viewers have been glued to their sets watching the most scrutinized trial in history. Americans are addicted to the melodrama of an ex-football player/movie star on trial for the murder of his ex-wife and innocent bystander (boyfriend?). They have been introduced to characters such as the flamboyant (past-his-prime?) F. Lee Bailey, the vacuous Brian "Kato" Kaelin and the professional (dreamy?) Detective Mark Fuhrman. They have seen the debates between prosecution and defense. Accusations have been flying in all directions: Clark accused Bailey of being a liar, Bailey accused Fuhrman of being a racist, and America has accused Kato Kaelin of being an idiot. But the real drama is not the court room scenes, the debates, and the accusations. The real drama will come once the jury returns the verdict.

If Simpson is found innocent, some Americans will view the case as yet another example of a judicial system that has one set of rules for the social elite and another for the rest of the country. The rich and famous (such as Simpson) can afford to retain the best legal counsel and otherwise influence the jury by sheer force of personality or reputation. Such persons, some will say, are literally capable of "getting away with murder." Others may argue that a verdict of innocent simply proves their view that a jury composed largely of African-Americans will not return a guilty verdict against a fellow African-American who is as high profile as Simpson.

A guilty verdict, on the other hand, may result in yet another set of reactions. To be sure, many will see an uncomfortable number of similar themes between the Simpson case and the events surrounding the Rodney King disaster including rioting and racial discrimination protests. All of us would be disappoint-

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LETTERS

Men have rights in abortion issue

TO THE EDITOR:

Due to the wonders of modern technology, I am able to access *The Bucknellian* from the University of Delaware, where I frequently flip through the electronic pages, keeping informed of what is going on in the "Bucknell bubble." I recently read the article by Cristina Tisa in the Opinions sections of the Mar. 9 edition, entitled "Morality of men should not restrict women's rights." It is to this column I would like to respond.

The role of men in the abortion issue is certainly not obvious. The father of the unborn child should, of course, be able to express his opinion about the decision, as Ms. Tisa recognizes. However, I believe this one action should NOT be the extent of men's involvement in the abortion issue.

As a woman, I agree that men cannot understand or feel the emotions that a woman experiences when facing an unplanned pregnancy. But this fact alone should not be the basis for exclusion from the abortion debate. Because I am white, I cannot fully understand the impact of racial prejudice on minorities. Does this inability forfeit my right to take a stand against such injustices? Indeed, can any woman who has not experienced similar circumstances fully understand the feelings of the woman considering an abortion? Each situation is different; each person is different. Surely, we can not and should not exclude everyone from this issue. We each are capable of comforting one another and providing assistance, regardless of our ability to be in the same physical (or emotional) condition. Ms. Tisa asked if anyone else noticed the "irony" of the fact that a man was at the Bucknellians for Human Life table. Is it any more ironic for men to take a stand against abortion than it was for Americans to take a stand against the Nazis' extermination of the Jews? The same argument could be made—the Americans cannot understand the situation or feel the emotions of the Nazi Germans, and therefore should not be involved—the final decision should be the Germans'.

In such an apathetic society, we should applaud the efforts of those men willing to become involved in this matter. As noted, a man has the choice of "sticking around or running off." Why, then, should we punish those who stay by accusing them of "restricting women's rights?" And why do we allow the woman to neglect her responsibilities as well?

The strongest argument for men's involvement in the abortion issue is not concerned with empathy. Instead, it addresses whether or not abortion is a woman's right. Science has shown that from the moment of conception the unborn is fully human and fully alive, and therefore deserves full protection. The pro-life movement is equally concerned with the welfare of the woman as well as her unborn child.

However, since no one has the right to do anything that will harm another person, no woman has the 'right' to an abortion.

The woman may wish to have control over her own body, but she cannot be allowed to exercise that control over the body of the child inside of her. Thus, the issue of abortion is not solely about the rights of a woman. The right to life of her unborn child must be taken into account. For this reason, both women and men have the right to be actively involved in the abortion issue, if only because they were once unborn children themselves.

LYNN FIRESTONE '93
NEWARK, DELAWARE
MARCH 23, 1995

Punishment teaches a lesson

TO THE EDITOR:

We are writing you as a request for an article about the severity of activating fire extinguishers. Many students do not know the seriousness of this act.

Many students come home intoxicated and looking for excitement. They see a fire extinguisher and think that if they set it off there will be no after-effects. However, these students are very wrong. When a fire extinguisher is set off, numerous things happen. First, the fire extinguisher no longer works. If there happens to be a fire on that hall after the extinguisher was unnecessarily set off, the residents would be rendered helpless to the spreading of fire. Second, the spray of the extinguisher usually sets off the fire alarm. Everyone inside is inconvenienced by having to go outside. More importantly, when unnecessary fire alarms go off, the residents are less inclined to pay attention when a real fire sets off the alarm. Third, the consequences of getting caught are very severe.

We both got caught doing this act. From the school we received twenty hours of community service, one year probation and alcohol counseling. This is nothing compared to what the state gave us. From the state we received a \$700 fine and six months probation. The school and the state do not take this act as a little joke for it is a very serious crime.

We write this letter in the hope that students will understand the severity of their actions, and that the unnecessary setting off of fire extinguishers should be stopped.

RICHARD PACE '98
DAMON PIZARRO '98
MARCH 28, 1995

Student defends Samuel Cohen

TO THE EDITOR:

In its last issue, *The Bucknellian*, in usual fashion, printed a story concerning the arrest of a first year student for possession of marijuana. Public Safety initially came into this kid's room to extinguish a candle. How symbolic. Is a lit candle just cause to violate someone's privacy? Beware hysteria. Is anyone listening? Is anyone watching?

Samuel Aaron Cohen did nothing wrong. His parents will be notified and he will be publicly humiliated. And what for? There was no moral crime, no harm to another, yet because marijuana is deemed illegal by unquestioned, puritanical narcissistic considerations no one has the courage to redress, he will automatically be labeled with a scarlet letter upon his record for the rest of his life. What's a boy supposed to do?

The role of the American justice system is to provide a means of maintaining order among the people while protecting the personal liberties of its citizens. Yet the current laws concerning marijuana punish free-thinking individuals and acts of fellowship while cultivating distrust and paranoia. This is never a positive effect in any group of people—it will do nothing but tear at the fabric of our society. Already, people who have the courage to question irascible laws and the intelligence to set rules for themselves are being forced to the outside of the community. And coupled with an obedient enforcement agency, unwarranted punishment destroys not only an individual's life but lessens the character of the system itself.

SHAUN NANAVATI '95
MARCH 28, 1995



FLAG&B efforts for more office space have been ignored

TO THE EDITOR:

As members of Friends of Lesbians, Gays, and Bisexuals (FLAG&B) we are writing to inform the Bucknell community about the effort to move the Office of Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual Concerns from the ground floor of Vedder Hall. The Office of L/G/B Concerns was created three years ago, at which point the current space in Vedder Hall was designated as a temporary space. Over the past years the staff of the office has increased, as well as the number of students using the office, but we have remained "closeted" in this minuscule space. In Sept. 1994 the Adviser to L/G/B Concerns, Cate Scalfidi, wrote to members of the University Space Committee requesting a more appropriate office space. In the ensuing months, various options were considered, but all of these proved unacceptable. At the beginning of this semester, members of FLAG&B decided to take action. We met with different members of the space committee, and we outlined our concerns.

Following these meetings (during the first week of March) FLAG&B initiated a week-long petition drive, at which time 500 members of the Bucknell community (including over fifty faculty members) signed the following text: "Whereas: (a) the current space used by the Office of Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Concerns in Vedder Hall was originally designated as a temporary space, and (b) this space is unsafe for employees and visitors to the Office and is frequently van-

dalized, and (c) the physical size of the current space is too small for group meetings, and (d) the location of the Office is removed from other University offices and the majority of the student population, we, the undersigned, urge the Office of Housing & Residential Life and the University Space Committee to provide a space in Roberts Hall for the Office of Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Concerns immediately."

Unfortunately, despite the support of the community in this effort, the offices of the Dean and Vice President have yet to acknowledge the receipt of our petition.

We have been working on this issue in the context of the L/G/B Advisory Board for three years. Considering the immediacy of our concerns, moving through such sanctioned channels has been ineffective thus far. A suitable office with adequate space is absolutely necessary to continue the Office's efforts to make Bucknell University a better community for all students, regardless of sexual orientation. Members of FLAG&B and the 500 people who signed the petition are still waiting for the university to take action. Members of FLAG&B are finished waiting.

MEMBERS OF FLAG&B
MARCH 28, 1995

Student disappointed with Professor's argument on abortion

TO THE EDITOR:

I was disappointed with the argument presented by Professor Beard in the Mar. 9th edition of *The Bucknellian*. He was responding to an analogy drawn between Paul Hill's action and that of John Brown's abolitionist crusade. The article claimed that unlike Paul Hill's convictions, John Brown's were "unquestionably just." I believe that this issue must be set in a historical construct. At the time of John Brown's raids, the oppression of blacks was not seen as unquestionably unjust. Many Americans (especially southern plantation owners) saw the oppression and subjugation of black slaves as a normal and necessary aspect of life. It was convenient not to question the system's morality. It was only after many years that the immorality of slavery was more clearly seen by American society. Therefore, I suggest that what we hold to be of questionable morality today may be seen as obviously wrong in the future. It is not an impossibility that in a few hundred years Americans will view abortions of convenience as immoral. They may find it hard to swallow that the convenience of these voluntary abortions ever justified their implementation.

The second concept of Professor Beard's article that I took exception to is his detachable fetus theory. He offered this analogy as proof of the invalidity of believing that a fetus is a human life. The argument made here was that if one were to be handed his or her

concept of a baby, the reaction would be one of joy and adoration. Then if one were handed his or her conception of a fetus, that person would display "revulsion, frowning, and complaint."

I find it disappointing that Professor Beard has reduced the criterion of human life to a degree of aesthetic pleasure. I wonder what one's reaction would be if handed a baby with a grotesque skin disease, or an infant victim of a house fire covered in third degree burns, or embracing an elderly person displaying similar ghastly characteristics. Although the sight may cause displeasure, are we to believe that they are not human lives? I do not feel obliged to believe that what constitutes human life is a judgment call based on idealized sameness and decided upon by the healthy and powerful in society.

I am not an extremist on the topic of voluntary abortion. This article is not a rationalization for Paul Hill's murderous action. I was more moved to write this article by what I saw as a poor line of reasoning. I am staunchly against the murders committed by Paul Hill and others. I agree with Professor Beard when he explains the necessity for non-violent protest and debate. I found this portion of his article to be both enlightening and educational. However, I feel that justification for voluntary abortions must be rooted in a stronger set of principles than were presented in his article.

E. PATRICK BUTLER '97
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LIFESTYLES

Science, Health, and Technology

Senior engineers bring the B.E.A.S.T. to life in Dana



BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Senior electrical engineers, Scott Brizius, Laura Curran, Scott Gallagher, Rich Lubeck, Carl Weisfelder, Ming Zhen, and Christy Enterline are creating something that could draw crowds in the Dana Engineering Building. These students are using lego parts and driveshafts of junkyard cars to create the moving, talking, and sighted senior design project called the B.E.A.S.T., (Bucknell Engineering Assistant System) Technology.

B.E.A.S.T. is the brainchild of Paul Dietz, assistant professor of electrical engineering. His selection of potential projects for students states that this particular project "with the goal of designing and constructing a display...will demonstrate our engineering prowess to potential students and their families. It's an animated figure that interactively describes the advantages of a Bucknell engineering education."

Those who will see the finished product, projected to be finished by future senior design students, will see that the animatronic is really a larger-than-life furry Bison. Well, almost. The word is out for an artist who could make the innards of metal look Bison-like, with fur and all, on the exterior when the animation is finished.

Why a Bison? "It's Bucknell and it's the mascot," said Curran, who is in charge of the sensor processing end of the project.

A visitor could approach the animatronic on a floorboard, made of 81 aluminum plates on which the Bison will stand. The human presence elicits a high voltage under his/her feet as he/she stands on the board in comparison to the low voltages all around the person where no one is standing.

The various voltages in the board are siphoned to a microprocessor that in turn facilitates the Bison's ability to physically orient itself to talk directly to that spot where the person is registering high voltages and talk to them, for instance, about engineering at Bucknell.

The original intent of the design project was to simulate a human. "But a Bison would be more fun and interesting," said Gallagher, who is working on the mechanical end of engineering the B.E.A.S.T. He cites too many difficulties in simulating the various and complicated human mouth movements made when making sounds such as "oo" versus "aa." "And since a Bison doesn't speak English," said Gallagher, the concern for perfectly replicating subtle mouth orientations in sync with words is lifted. When all is said and done, the animatronic should be able to simulate human speaking abilities.

The prototype for the animatronic was a small hand puppet racoon named Ralph. His mouth movements were operated

by the amplitude of sounds. Dietz wrote in his project proposal, "the figure can be a person or maybe even a Bison. That doesn't really matter. Either way, the figure should be realistically 'alive.' This is only possible by paying close attention to detail."

Based on the mechanics of a joystick that video games utilize to allow a human to move a stimulus across a screen, the B.E.A.S.T. will also have the ability to move its eyes right, left, up, and down, contingent on the information conveyed by the floorboard. Dietz cites in his project proposal, "if someone starts to walk away during the talk, the figure should turn, look at the person, and say, 'Wait! Come back! I'm not done yet!'"

Accompanying Gallagher in building the actual body frame of the B.E.A.S.T. is Lubeck who said that he likes this project because it allows him to do a little bit of both electrical and mechanical engineering. "What got me interested [in building the beast] is that there is 50-50 of both fields. When I first came in I was debating between mechanical and electrical engineering [curriculums]." Initially, "We're at a disadvantage because we are not mechanical engineers" said Gallagher.

The senior design project started as the undertaking of three seniors and now has taken aboard a few others for a total of seven, including Weisfelder, who is the

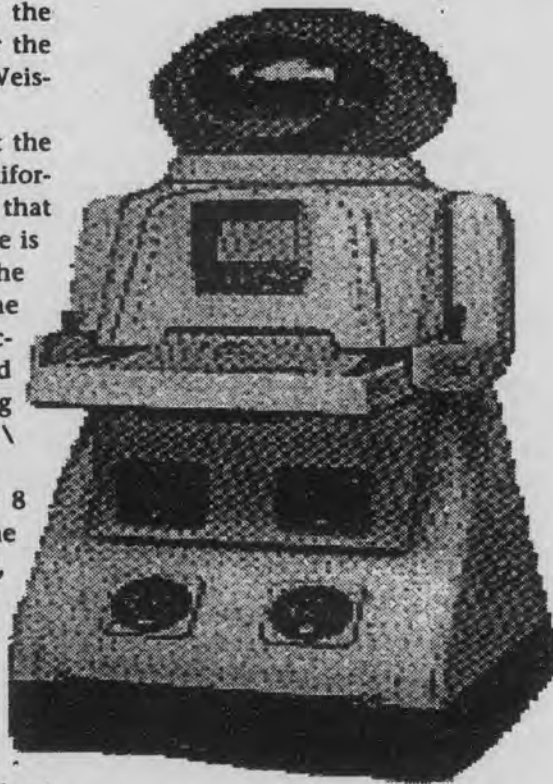
only computer science engineer on the project. As the master controller for the animatronic, this is the second of Weisfelder's two senior design projects.

Brizius, a West coast native, got the idea from University of Southern California to create the information center that will be accompanying the BEAST. He is the man behind the scenes putting the developments of the project on the World Wide Web for the public to access through the Internet. Interested people can write in at the following address: <http://spectrum.cs.bucknell.edu/~beast95>.

Participants spend about 6 to 8 hours on the average working on the B.E.A.S.T., per person. Curran said, "It's a pretty large time commitment; you have your slow weeks and your busy weeks."

Curran spent all of January learning about the microcontroller. By the end of the year, the group plans to see a functioning head at least "moving according to feedback from the environment," says Lubeck.

Enterline, who is working on the higher end of sensor processing with Curran, says that the project appealed to her because each senior got to choose the area of the B.E.A.S.T. that they wanted to work on, whether it be mechanical or electrical. She predicts that this project will be



the basis for discussion in her future interviews. "It will be a big thing for interviews, especially because I am interested in biomedical engineering, which is computer modeling of biological systems," Enterline said.

Because of the endeavors of Brizius, this animatronic will even have a computer where students can punch in requests for directions to the office of Trudy Cunningham, associate dean of engineering, or find out if the day's weather warrants an umbrella.

Gallagher said that the group is excited about the B.E.A.S.T. because many of the parts, some in excess of \$2,000, have been donated by companies such as Reliance Electrical Motion Control—Electrocraft. Whereas other animatronics on the market are powered by pneumatics or hydraulics and cost thousands of dollars, this animatronic is being powered solely by the cheaper power alternative—electricity.

Possible areas to look for this invention is the lobby of Dana, not far from the EE lab in Dana 129 where the B.E.A.S.T. is coming to life. And don't dare walk away, because the Bison will know.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Working together on a design project, these seniors are bringing the (Bucknell Engineering Assistant System) Technology to life. The B.E.A.S.T. was listed as potential project by Paul Dietz, assistant professor of electrical engineering. Constructed of lego parts and driveshafts of junkyard cars, the B.E.A.S.T. will be finished by future senior engineers.

What's up, Doc? Student Health Questions...



Q: I've heard that drinking alcohol while on antibiotics isn't good because it either intensifies the effects of the alcohol or cancels out the medicine. What really happens when alcohol and antibiotics mix?

A: Alcohol and antibiotics do not mix well for a number of reasons. Because the majority of antibiotics are broken down (metabolized) in the liver, and alcohol is a direct liver toxin, there is less actual liver tissue available to break down the antibiotic. As a result it is possible for blood levels of antibiotics to reach toxic levels. I have spoken with a number of students who, if they are taking antibiotics, stop them during the times they are drinking. As you might expect, this action cuts down on the desired effectiveness of the antibiotic.

There are also antibiotics that will directly impede the breakdown of alcohol (Flagyl, metronidazole) which can result in an extremely toxic reaction. When alcohol and Flagyl are mixed, an intermediate product, formaldehyde, can reach toxic levels in the blood stream. (This is the same chemical used in embalming and gives the term "pickled" a new meaning!) As the levels of formaldehyde increase, the individual experiences intractable nausea and vomiting, severe headache, chest pain, respiratory distress, and eventually convulsions. Death from cardiac collapse has been reported. That can certainly ruin your day!

The take-home message here is alcohol and antibiotics do not mix well. The best way to avoid any problem is to not drink alcohol and take antibiotics. Permit the medication that has been prescribed for your benefit to work to the best of its ability.

D. W. Stechschulte, Jr., M.D.
Student Health Service

Q: With so much going on academically and socially, I never seem to get enough sleep. How much sleep does the human body need, what happens if it doesn't get enough, and is it possible to get too much sleep?

A: Sleep requirements vary from individual to individual and also among people of different ages. The average new 65-year old only needs three and one half to six and one half hours per 24 hours. A good rule of thumb for the amount of sleep a particular individual requires is the amount of sleep that permits one to awaken refreshed and energized without the aid of an alarm clock.

Sleep is currently the subject of a great deal of research. Even though mankind spends roughly one-third of his life in this state, not a whole lot was known about it until recently.

To answer the question specifically about how much sleep loss one can tolerate, one needs to separate acute sleep loss from chronic sleep loss. Research shows that missing a night or two of sleep will not significantly impact athletic or academic performance. Chronic sleep loss, or sleep deprivation, can be problematic not only with compromising performance but also with an alteration in immune function. Acute lack of sleep has also been found to be a trigger for migraine headaches.

Based on current research, it has been described that as young people enter adolescence, there is a shift in the natural timing of sleep. For example, a seven or eight-year-old does well beginning school at 7:30 or 8:30 a.m. and is ready for bed at 8:30-9 p.m. But a 15-20-year-old stays up much later and tends to sleep longer in the morning. There is actually enough accumulated evidence that from junior high school through college it would be far more physiologically appropriate to have classes begin at ten or eleven a.m. and end at six or seven p.m. than the current schedule most widely used. It is also of interest that the 30-60-year-olds revert back to going to bed earlier and getting up earlier! As a result, the entire world seems to function in favor of the very young and the older generations. But there is wisdom in "Poor Richard's" words: "Early to bed, early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy, and wise."

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LIFESTYLES

Science, Health, and Technology

Computer eccentric shares genius at lecture

BY JEFF BOULTER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Genius. Legend. Radical. Eccentric.

These are words which have been used to describe Richard M. Stallman, president of the Free Software Foundation (FSF) who will speak at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Forum.

A Harvard graduate and recipient of the 1990 MacArthur Foundation "Genius" fellowship, Stallman will deliver a talk entitled "The GNU Project."

Stallman is considered by some to be the most prolific computer programmer of all time. He is now leading a project to distribute free computer software to the world.

In 1984, Stallman left the MIT Artificial Intelligence Laboratory to start the GNU (pronounced "new") Project. The Cambridge, Massachusetts-based FSF first started stirring up the software industry with Emacs, a versatile and easily extendible text-editing application.

"The Emacs editor, which some would consider to be a deity, is something I use every day," said Jeffrey Wescott '95, president of Bucknell's chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). "I use it for email, word processing, software development, reading Internet news and probably more."

Stallman is as famous for his eccentricities as he is for his genius. His typical workday begins at noon, rising from a couch in his office and dressing in clothes stuffed in his file cabinet. Due to his tendonitis Stallman hires typists to transcribe his commands. He breaks for a long dinner (his only meal of the day) and then goes back to his office to program and read. Bedtime is 4 a.m.

Bucknell computer science courses use Stallman's computer software extensively. "Every computer science major uses his

software. Most use his editor (Emacs) and everyone chooses to use his compilers and debuggers because they are widely regarded to be of very high quality," said Richard Zacccone, associate professor of computer science.

Through the largely voluntary efforts of GNU (which is an acronym for GNU's Not UNIX) programmers, FSF continues to produce a library of copyright-free computer programs. UNIX is an operating system, a program that manages all parts of a computer. A copy of UNIX software often costs thousands of dollars.

Says Wescott, "Stallman's dream is to create a free operating system for everyone to use that is superior to all commercial operating systems." In place of a copyright, Stallman places a "copyleft" on all of his programs. Stallman's copyleft is the opposite of a copyright; the only



thing you can't do with a copylefted program is to disallow other people to copy it.

GNU radically changed the way software is written by freely distributing the source format or code of software, allowing users to modify it to suit their needs. Not allowing users to change programs "is like you bought a car but there was only one mechanic who was permitted to work on it, and he lived in another city," according to Robert J. Chasell, treasurer of FSF. If a user makes a useful change in a program, it may be incorporated into a later version. "It makes the software more useful, and useful to more people," says Stallman.

Prof. Keen: Drugs are not the answer

BY MEG HANRATTY

According to Ernest Keen, professor of psychology, psychoactive medications are not the cure-all, nor all that we would like them to be. In fact, they often cause more harm than they do good.

Keen is currently involved in research about psychoactive medication. He says that the over-prescription and misuse of psychoactive treatments is a serious problem in the medical and psychiatric professions.

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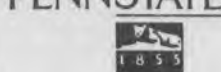
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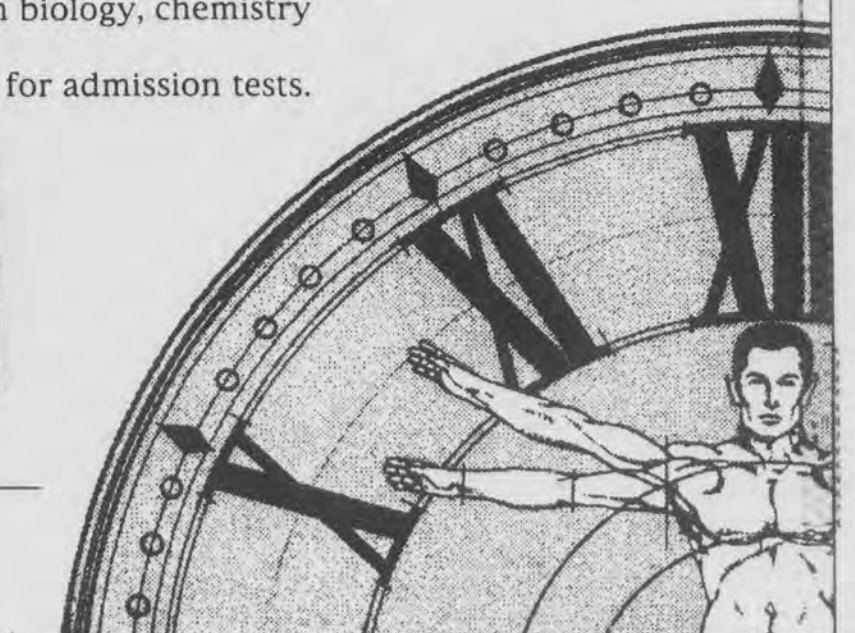
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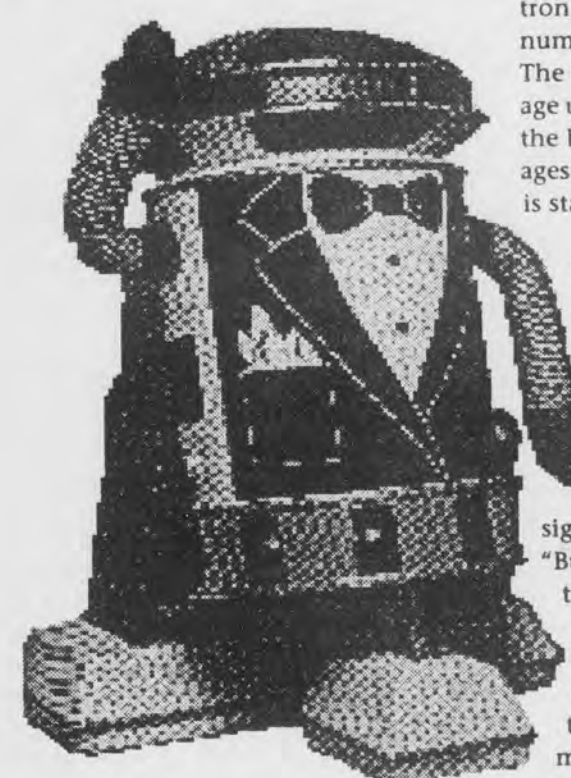


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Senior engineers bring the B.E.A.S.T. to life in Dana



BY JOYA DASS
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Senior electrical engineers, Scott Brizius, Laura Curran, Scott Gallagher, Rich Lubeck, Carl Weisfelder, Ming Zhen, and Christy Enteline are creating something that could draw crowds in the Dana Engineering building. These students are using lego parts and driveshafts of junkyard cars to create the moving, talking, and sighted senior design project called the B.E.A.S.T., (B)ucknell (E)ngineering (A)nimatronic (S)ystems (T)echnology.

B.E.A.S.T. is the brainchild of Paul Dietz, assistant professor of electrical engineering. His selection of potential projects for students states that this particular project "with the goal of designing and constructing a display...will demonstrate our engineering prowess to potential students and their families. It's an animated figure that interactively describes the advantages of a Bucknell engineering education."

Those who will see the finished product, projected to be finished by future senior design students, will see that the animation is really a larger-than-life furry Bison. Well, almost. The word is out for an artist who could make the innards of metal look Bison-like, with fur and all, on the exterior when the animation is finished.

Why a Bison? "It's Bucknell and it's the mascot," said Curran, who is in charge of the sensor processing end of the project.

A visitor could approach the anima-

tron on a floorboard, made of 81 aluminum plates on which the Bison will stand. The human presence elicits a high voltage under his/her feet as he/she stands on the board in comparison to the low voltages all around the person where no one is standing.

The various voltages in the board are siphoned to a microprocessor that in turn facilitates the Bison's ability to physically orient itself to talk directly to that spot where the person is registering high voltages and talk to them, for instance, about engineering at Bucknell.

The original intent of the design project was to simulate a human. "But a Bison would be more fun and interesting," said Gallagher, who is working on the mechanical end of engineering the B.E.A.S.T. He cites too many difficulties in simulating the various and complicated human mouth movements made when making sounds such as "oo" versus "aa." "And since a Bison doesn't speak English," said Gallagher, the concern for perfectly re-creating subtle mouth orientations in sync with words is lifted. When all is said and done, the animation should be able to simulate human speaking abilities.

The prototype for the animation was a small hand puppet raccoon named Ralph. His mouth movements were operated

by the amplitude of sounds. Dietz wrote in his project proposal, "The figure can be a person or maybe even a Bison. That doesn't really matter. Either way, the figure should be realistically 'alive.' This is only possible by paying close attention to detail."

Based on the mechanics of a joystick that video games utilize to allow a human to move a stimulus across a screen, the B.E.A.S.T. will also have the ability to move its eyes right, left, up, and down, contingent on the information conveyed by the floorboard. Dietz cites in his project proposal, "if someone starts to walk away during the talk, the figure should turn, look at the person, and say, 'Wait! Come back! I'm not done yet!'"

Accompanying Gallagher in building the actual body frame of the B.E.A.S.T. is Lubeck who said that he likes this project because it allows him to do a little bit of both electrical and mechanical engineering. "What got me interested [in building the beast] is that there is 50-50 of both fields. When I first came in I was debating between mechanical and electrical engineering [curriculum]." Initially, "We're at a disadvantage because we are not mechanical engineers," said Gallagher.

The senior design project started as the undertaking of three seniors and now has taken aboard a few others for a total of seven, including Weisfelder, who is the

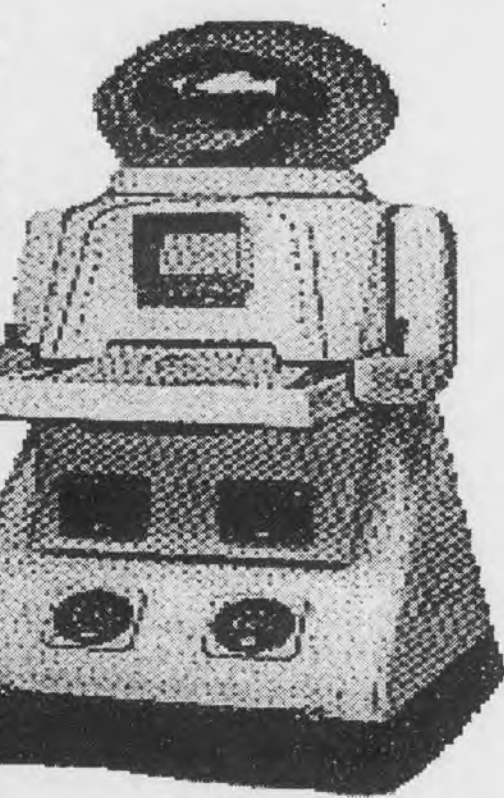
only computer science engineer on the project. As the master controller for the animation, this is the second of Weisfelder's two senior design projects.

Brizius, a West coast native, got the idea from University of Southern California to create the information center that will be accompanying the BEAST. He is the man behind the scenes putting the developments of the project on the World Wide Web for the public to access through the Internet. Interested people can write in at the following address: <http://spectrum.cs.bucknell.edu/~beast95>.

Participants spend about 6 to 8 hours on the average working on the B.E.A.S.T., per person. Curran said, "It's a pretty large time commitment; you have your slow weeks and your busy weeks."

Curran spent all of January learning about the microcontroller. By the end of the year, the group plans to see a functioning head at least "moving according to feedback from the environment," says Lubeck.

Enteline, who is working on the higher end of sensor processing with Curran, says that the project appealed to her because each senior got to choose the area of the B.E.A.S.T. that they wanted to work on, whether it be mechanical or electrical. She predicts that this project will be



the basis for discussion in her future interviews. "It will be a big thing for interviews, especially because I am interested in biomedical engineering, which is computer modeling of biological systems," Enteline said.

Because of the endeavors of Brizius, this animation will even have a computer where students can punch in requests for directions to the office of Trudy Cunningham, associate dean of engineering, or find out if the day's weather warrants an umbrella.

Gallagher said that the group is excited about the B.E.A.S.T. because many of the parts, some in excess of \$2,000, have been donated by companies such as Reliance Electrical Motion Control—Electrocraft. Whereas other animatronics on the market are powered by pneumatics or hydraulics and cost thousands of dollars, this animation is being powered solely by the cheaper power alternative—electricity.

Possible areas to look for this invention is the lobby of Dana, not far from the EE lab in Dana 129 where the B.E.A.S.T. is coming to life. And don't dare walk away, because the Bison will know.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

When someone stands on this floorboard, high voltages from where the person is standing will be sent to the Bison. Because all the other areas of the floorboard will send low voltages, the person's presence will be known to the Bison, who will then be able to physically orient himself toward this spot through the facilities of a microprocessor. In addition, when it is finished, the Bison will be able to talk about various subjects, such as engineering at Bucknell.

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What's up, Doc? Student Health Questions...



I've heard that drinking alcohol while on antibiotics isn't good because it either intensifies the effects of the alcohol or cancels out the medicine. What really happens when alcohol and antibiotics mix?

Alcohol and antibiotics do not mix well for a number of reasons. Because the majority of antibiotics are broken down (metabolized) in the liver, and alcohol is a direct liver toxin, there is less actual liver tissue available to break down the antibiotic. As a result it is possible for blood levels of antibiotics to reach toxic levels. I have spoken with a number of students who, if they are taking antibiotics, stop them during the times they are drinking. As you might expect, this action cuts down on the desired effectiveness of the antibiotic.

There are also antibiotics that will directly impede the breakdown of alcohol (Flagyl, metronidazole) which can result in an extremely toxic reaction. When alcohol and Flagyl are mixed, an intermediate product, formaldehyde, can reach toxic levels in the blood stream. (This is the same chemical used in embalming and gives the term "pickled" a new meaning!) As the levels of formaldehyde increase, the individual experiences intractable nausea and vomiting, severe headache, chest pain, respiratory distress, and eventually convulsions. Death from cardiac collapse has been reported. That can certainly ruin your day!

The take-home message here is alcohol and antibiotics do not mix well. The best way to avoid any problem is to not drink alcohol and take antibiotics. Permit the medication that has been prescribed for your benefit to work to the best of its ability.

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With so much going on academically and socially, I never seem to get enough sleep. How much sleep does the human body need, what happens if it doesn't get enough, and is it possible to get too much sleep?

Sleep requirements vary from individual to individual and also among people of different ages. The average new born requires 20-22 hours of sleep each day, the average 65-year old only needs three and one half to six and one half hours per 24 hours. A good rule of thumb for the amount of sleep a particular individual requires is the amount of sleep that permits one to awaken refreshed and energized without the aid of an alarm clock.

Sleep is currently the subject of a great deal of research. Even though mankind spends roughly one-third of his life in this state, not a whole lot was known about it until recently.

To answer the question specifically about how much sleep loss one can tolerate, one needs to separate acute sleep loss from chronic sleep loss. Research shows that missing a night or two of sleep will not significantly impact athletic or academic performance. Chronic sleep loss, or sleep deprivation, can be problematic not only with compromising performance but also with an alteration in immune function. Acute lack of sleep has also been found to be a trigger for migraine headaches.

Based on current research, it has been described that as young people enter adolescence, there is a shift in the natural timing of sleep. For example, a seven or eight-year-old does well beginning school at 7:30 or 8:30 a.m. and is ready for bed at 8:30-9 p.m. But a 15-20-year-old stays up much later and tends to sleep longer in the morning. There is actually enough accumulated evidence that from junior high school through college it would be far more physiologically appropriate to have classes begin at ten or eleven a.m. and end at six or seven p.m. than the current schedule most widely used. It is also of interest that the 30-60 -year-olds revert back to going to bed earlier and getting up earlier! As a result, the entire world seems to function in favor of the very young and the older generations. But there is wisdom in "Poor Richard's" words: "Early to bed, early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy, and wise."

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Computer eccentric shares genius at lecture

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Genius. Legend. Radical. Eccentric.

These are words which have been used to describe Richard M. Stallman, president of the Free Software Foundation (FSF) who will speak at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Forum.

A Harvard graduate and recipient of the 1990 MacArthur Foundation "Genius" fellowship, Stallman will deliver a talk entitled "The GNU Project."

Stallman is considered by some to be the most prolific computer programmer of all time. He is now leading a project to distribute free computer software to the world.

In 1984, Stallman left the MIT Artificial Intelligence laboratory to start the GNU (pronounced "new") Project. The Cambridge, Massachusetts-based FSF first started stirring up the software industry with Emacs, a versatile and easily extendible text-editing application.

"The Emacs editor, which some would consider to be a deity, is something I use every day," said Jeffrey Wescott '95, president of Bucknell's chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). "I use it for email, word processing, software development, reading Internet news and probably more."

Stallman is as famous for his eccentricities, as he is for his genius. His typical workday begins at noon, rising from a couch in his office and dressing in clothes stuffed in his file cabinet. Due to his tendonitis Stallman hires typists to transcribe his commands. He breaks for a long dinner (his only meal of the day) and then goes back to his office to program and read. Bedtime is 4 a.m.

Bucknell computer science courses use Stallman's computer software extensively. "Every computer science major uses his

software. Most use his editor (Emacs) and everyone chooses to use his compilers and debuggers because they are widely regarded to be of very high quality," said Richard Zaccane, associate professor of computer science.

Through the largely voluntary efforts of GNU (which is an acronym for GNU's Not UNIX) programmers, FSF continues to produce a library of copyright-free computer programs. UNIX is an operating system, a program that manages all parts of a computer. A copy of UNIX software often costs thousands of dollars.

Says Wescott, "Stallman's dream is to create a free operating system for everyone to use that is superior to all commercial operating systems." In place of a copyright, Stallman places a "copyleft" on all of his programs. Stallman's copyleft is the opposite of a copyright; the only



thing you can't do with a copylefted program is to disallow other people to copy it.

GNU radically changed the way software is written by freely distributing the source format or code of software, allowing users to modify it to suit their needs. Not allowing users to change programs "is like you bought a car but there was only one mechanic who was permitted to work on it, and he lived in another city," according to Robert J. Chassell, treasurer of FSF. If a user makes a useful change in a program, it may be incorporated into a later version. "It makes the software more useful, and useful to more people," says Stallman.

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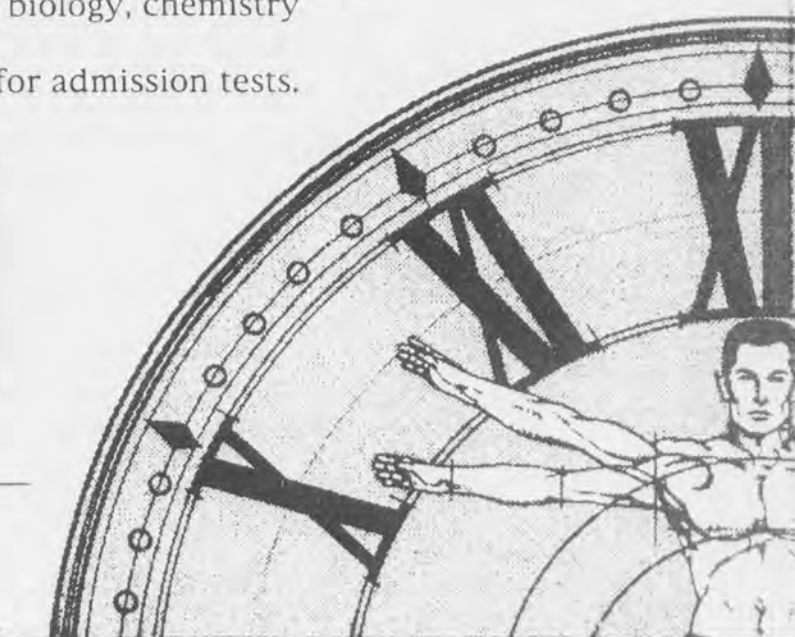
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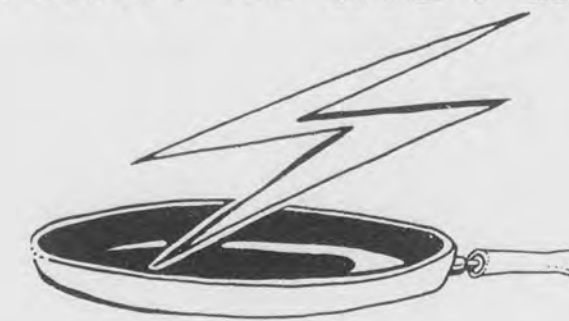
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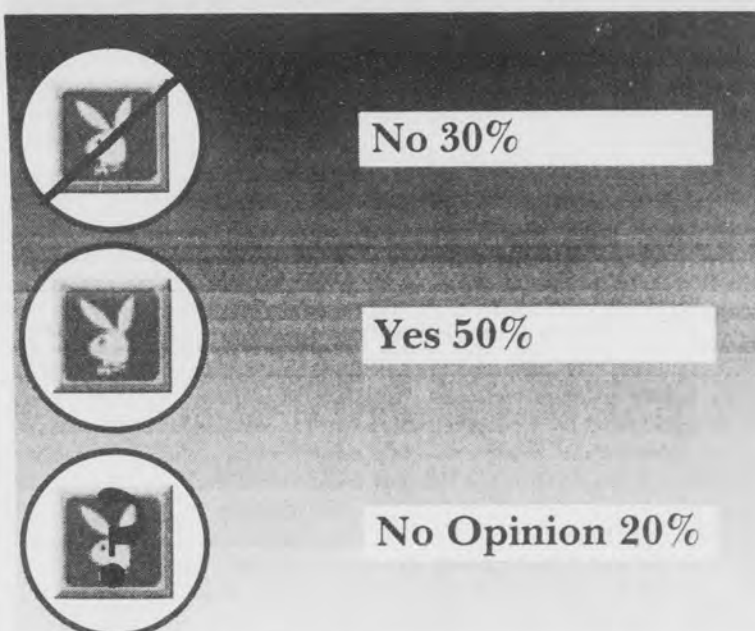
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The charges are a result of an incident that occurred in September of last year in which Riddick attempted to run over a group of Bucknell students, according to witnesses, and then led Public Safety on a road chase causing an estimate of between \$2000 and \$3000 worth of damage.

Riddick pled not-guilty to all charges on Dec. 5, 1994, and then reversed his plea on Feb. 13, 1995. Riddick is currently at home in Princeton.

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Thursday, March 30
Public Safety Officers responded to Edwards house for an individual pounding on a door. Officers found a visitor trying to locate a student in the house. The visitor (Miles Elliott) had been drinking and was under 21. Elliott and another visitor who was also intoxicated were transported by LPD to a local hotel. Internal charges will be filed against the student who was also drinking and was under 21.

Friday, March 31
Public Safety Officers responded to Smith Hall for the report of a female student who had ingested an undetermined amount of alcohol. The ambulance was requested but Alison Foxworth '98 refused to be transported. Lewisburg police will issue an Underage Drinking citation.

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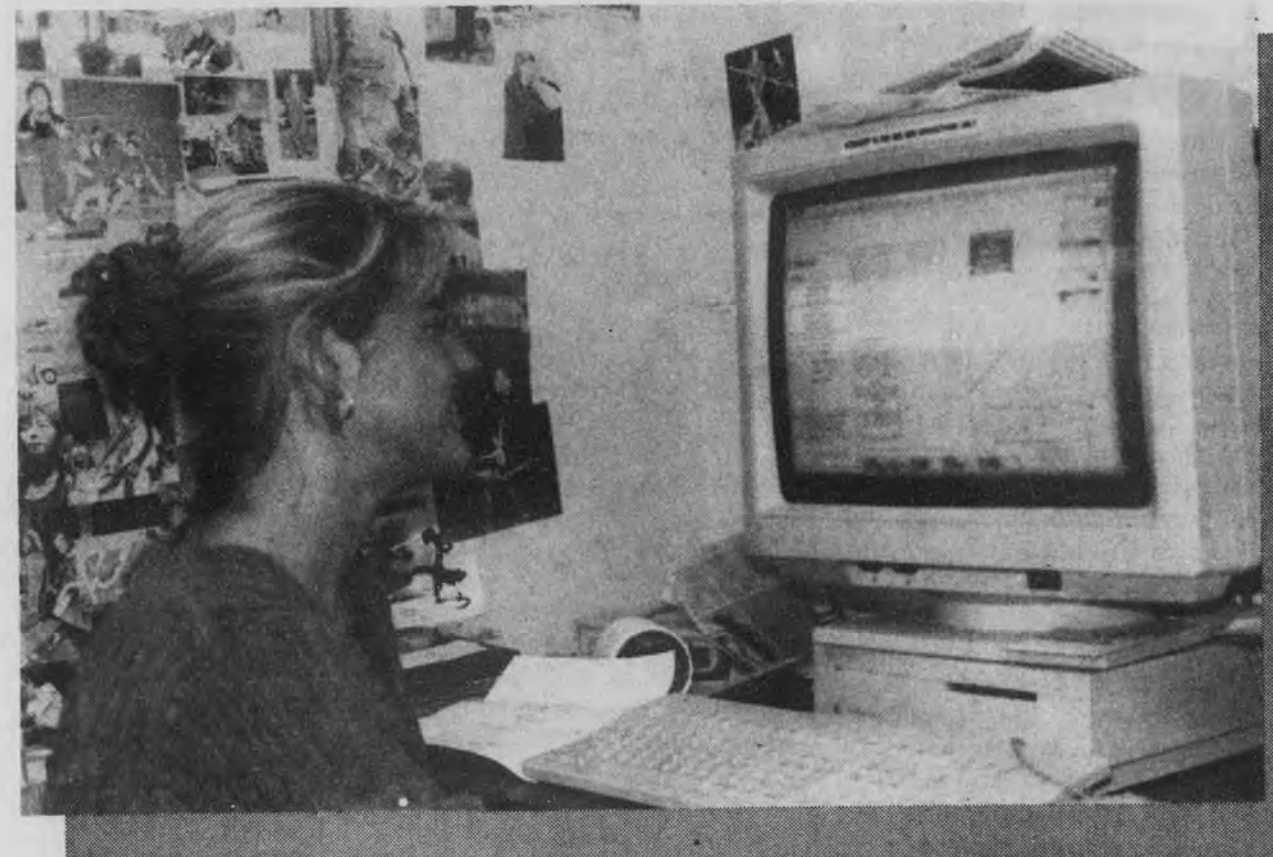
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Dave Maher '96 and Amy McGee '96, dark room managers, spend the last hours of Wednesday night in *The Bucknellian* dark room developing photos for this week's edition.

Kristina Schurr '95, editor-in-chief, aided by the omniscient traveling coffee mug, puts her final touch on the Lifestyles pages before they are sent to Milton with the rest of the paper for printing.

Nissa Rabe '97 designs ads for the paper. More than half the ads that appear in *The Bucknellian* are produced in the office.



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The success of Widespread Panic has taken a mostly grassroots, college-level path. Currently there are several World Wide Web pages devoted to the band, including a non-profit newsletter started in 1993 titled *Panic* maintained by and for Widespread Panic fans. *Panic* boasts a mailing list of almost 10,000 members as of January 1993.

Part of the attraction for college students comes from the fact that the band started out by playing at fraternities. The group also boasts an impromptu setlist for each concert it plays.

"We don't make setlists," said band member David Schools in an interview with Bruce Willner. "Our performances are about energy. When we play we try to build up bubbles of energy and feeling. We play whatever feels right to play at the time. Sometimes it takes off and sometimes it doesn't. But that's all part of the experience."

Alumnus pleads guilty to charges; receives sentence

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell alumnus Michael E. Riddick '93 of Princeton, NJ, was sentenced this week in East Buffalo Township.

Riddick pled guilty to three charges of reckless endangerment, one charge of leaving the scene of the crime, and one count of failure to give information to the court.

Lesser charges of defiant trespass, careless driving, failure to stop at a stop sign, reckless driving, and driving with a suspended license were dropped by the court.

Riddick was sentenced to four years probation, fines and restitution, and a three-month house arrest period.

The charges are a result of an incident that occurred in September of last year in which Riddick attempted to run over a group of Bucknell students, according to witnesses, and then led Public Safety on a road chase causing an estimate of between \$2000 and \$3000 worth of damage.

Riddick pled not-guilty to all charges on Dec. 5, 1994, and then reversed his plea on Feb. 13, 1995. Riddick is currently at home in Princeton.

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Thursday, March 30

Public Safety Officers responded to Edwards house for an individual pounding on a door. Officers found a visitor trying to locate a student in the house. The visitor (Miles Elliott) had been drinking and was under 21. Elliott and another visitor who was also intoxicated were transported by LPD to a local hotel. Internal charges will be filed against the student who was also drinking and was under 21.

Friday, March 31

Public Safety Officers responded to Smith Hall for the report of a female student who had ingested an undetermined amount of alcohol. The ambulance was requested but Alison Foxworth '98 refused to be transported. Lewisburg police will issue an Underage Drinking citation.

A student reported to Public Safety that a black leather coat and gloves were missing from her closet. No further information available.

A student reported the theft of a bookbag, containing miscellaneous papers from the cubicles at the entrance to the bookstore.

A student reported that someone had pushed a dumpster into her car while it was parked in the Gateway lot. Vehicle did receive a minor dent and scratch.

Saturday, April 1

While on patrol, a Public Safety Officer noticed that unknown person(s) had broken three window panes on the third floor stairwell of Harris hall. Work order was filed to repair damage.

Public Safety Officers responded to Swartz hall for a fire alarm and found that someone had activated two pull stations in the A-wing for no apparent reason.

Sunday, April 2

While on patrol in the Davis Gym, a Public Safety Officer stopped a student to advise that the gym was closed. While speaking to the student, officer noted an odor of alcohol and learned that the student was under 21.

Monday, April 3

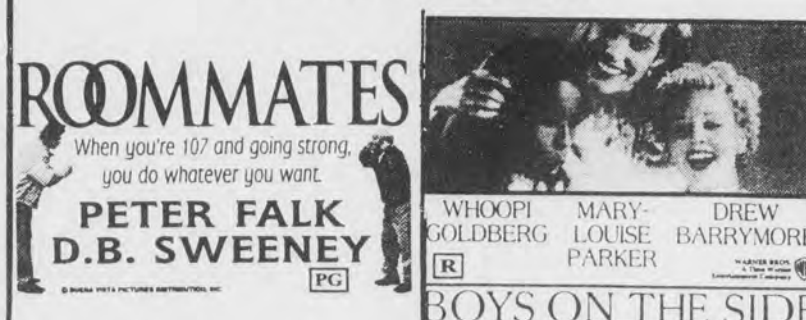
Public Safety Officers and Lewisburg Police responded to Carey House for the possible odor of marijuana. Two "busts, tweezers, and a paper clip were in plain view." Shane Tanzymore '95, a visitor, and Ken Suemaga '97, the resident, denied any connection with the items seen in the room. Lewisburg Police will continue to the investigation after consulting the District Attorney.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted.

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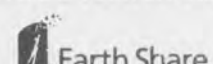
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Welcome to the jungle— a week in the life of The Bucknellian



Kristina Schurr '95, editor-in-chief for the spring semester, takes a break from the non-stop job of running the student newspaper. The *Bucknellian*, one of many student publications on campus, caters to a circulation of over 5,000 readers.



Photos clockwise from top left: Lifestyles editors Karin Davidson '97 and Becky Klinger '97, lay out pages on one of The *Bucknellian*'s computers. The newspaper has complete desktop publishing capabilities.

Opinions editor Carolyn Christenson '98 edits a proof copy of her pages.

Dave Maher '96 and Amy McGee '96, dark room managers, spend the last hours of Wednesday night in The *Bucknellian* dark room developing photos for this week's edition.

Kristina Schurr '95, editor-in-chief, aided by the omniscient traveling coffee mug, puts her final touch on the Lifestyles pages before they are sent to Milton with the rest of the paper for printing.

Nissa Rabe '97 designs ads for the paper. More than half the ads that appear in The *Bucknellian* are produced in the office.



All photos by Dave Maher '96

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Magazines lose space and place on campuses

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell isn't the only university removing magazines from the bookstore shelves.

According to a survey in the College Store Executive, of the 547 responding, only 19.6% of the bookstores carried "adult sophisticated" magazines.

Bob Bell, director and consultant at the Lehigh University bookstore, said that after a few complaints from faculty and students in Spring 1992, *Playboy*, *Playgirl* and *Penthouse* were removed from the store. Bell said there were a few questions about the decision, but not a tremendous backlash.

In retrospect, Bell said that there "should have been more discussion with the groups involved," and that the action had not been "fully explored" before the decision was made.

"It's dangerous when these things begin to happen," said Bell. "When two or three people manage to push their will through, I'm not sure that's fair."

Adult sophisticated magazines were also removed from the bookstores at Susquehanna University and Penn State. Don Gilbert, director of the Penn State bookstore, said the bookstore stopped carrying the magazines four years ago "after feeling the pressure from groups on campus."

Bloomsburg University and Lafayette College bookstores still carry the magazines. Marge Węgrzynowicz, a book buyer at Bloomsburg, said the only complaints they receive about the magazines are the few times that younger students are on campus for conferences or camps.

Chuck Corsi, the merchandise manager at Lafayette said that there have been no attempts to remove adult sophisticated magazines from the bookstore.

"What are they going to try to take out next?" Corsi asked, "condoms? You have to draw the line somewhere."

PLAYBOY

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the Bookstore, so we didn't make any sort of broad announcement." "The issue is, of course, open to public debate and any member of the campus community can ask the Bookstore whatever they like" Butler said.

Roberts said that "demand alone" will not necessarily bring the magazines back to the shelves. In order to reconsider the decision "we must have good reason for changing the decision based on the same criteria," Roberts said. "We based, and will continue to base the decision on what the University stands for."

Campus opinion, though largely uniform, varies on the removal of the magazines. The few who were aware, however, are divided on whether the decision was censorship, or a move to follow the principles of the University.

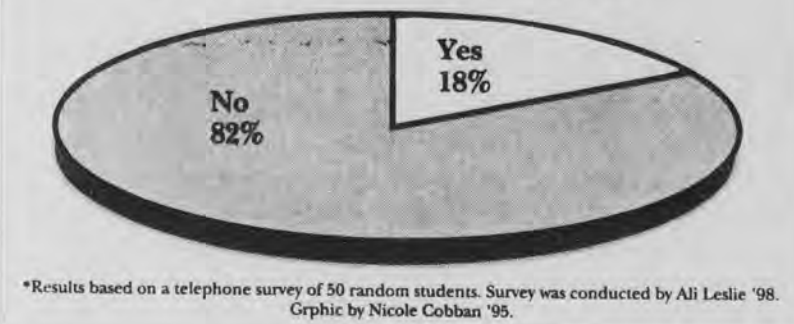
Karl Patten, professor of English and member of the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) said that while he understands the motives behind removing the magazines "I just can't approve of that kind of action."

"I think the Bookstore is probably profiting from not just these few magazines, but from a great many other things that are unseemly or unattractive to various kinds of people," Patten said. "I'm sure they sell books by Rush Limbaugh for profit, but I wouldn't suggest that they couldn't stock his books, nauseating as they might be."

Steven Styers, assistant to the director at the Stadler Center for Poetry, wrote a letter to the editor in the March 9 edition of *The Bucknellian*, bringing the issue even closer to a campus discussion. Styers said the motivation behind the WRC request was valid, but it "sets a dangerous precedent."

Do Playboy, Playgirl or Penthouse have a place in the bookstore? Submit your opinion today!

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*Results based on a telephone survey of 50 random students. Survey was conducted by Ali Leslie '98. Graphic by Nicole Cobban '98.

"I understand their position," Styers said of the rationale set forth by the letter from Butler, "but removing the magazine is not the appropriate way to change attitudes."

Jean Peterson, assistant professor of English, said the decision was appropriate. "This is not a censorship issue, or a pornography issue. This decision made a statement about women's civil rights and the mission of the University," Peterson said.

Students are free to get the magazines from any newsstand in town, Peterson said, but the University is making a "symbolic but important statement" about its mission by removing the magazines.

The purported correlation between violence towards women and those who read pornographic material also struck a chord in campus opinion.

"As a feminist, I am very aware of literature, advertisements and other promotions that degrade women and our role in society," said Prudence Athearn '95. "There is an extreme amount of evidence to prove that viewing pornographic materials has adverse effects on some people."

Athearn said that while the decision may be viewed as censorship, "pictures of submissive, naked women are not of value to a society already so driven by violence and sexuality."

The lack of campus input was another point of concern for many. Scott Albright '95 said "it is irritating when the University makes these types of moral decisions without student input."

"I guess I would be disappointed to find out that the Bookstore simply responded to a small contingent of 'decent citizens,'" said Albright. "A boisterous, narrow-minded minority can be extremely dangerous in some cases...."

Still others were torn between personal beliefs and matters of principle. "As a feminist, I am pleased with the decision," said Lisa Ziccardi '95. "Although part of me is secretly glad that these materials were banned, I think it is an unacceptable form of censorship. To ban reading materials of any kind is unconstitutional. Whether or not I agree with the decision is irrelevant."

Albright added, "It is not a question of advocating pornography. It is a question of respecting the judgment and maturity level of most Bucknell students. Censorship of any kind only perpetuates ignorance and narrow-mindedness."

—New York Times

AWARDS

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thanol-fueled four-cylinder engines and is working with Chrysler on the development of engine testing instrumentation. Stryker has been teaching at Bucknell since 1986.

Lord was selected as a finalist by Eta Kappa Nu, the national electrical engineering honor society, which selects candidates based on outstanding technical contributions, unusual service to community or nation, cultural, and aesthetic achievements, and other professional activities.

Also, Lord received honorable mention from the Ben Dasher Award Committee for her paper which she presented at the 1994 Frontiers in Education

TUCKER

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concentration in East Asian Religions, particularly Confucianism.

In addition to writing the book *Moral and Spiritual Cultivation in Japanese Neo-Confucianism* and co-editing *Worldviews and Ecology* with John Grimm, associate professor of religion, Tucker also edits a series at Orbis Books on Ecology and Justice.

Actively involved on campus, Tucker helped to organize

the Greening Task Force at Bucknell, as well as various lectures on the environment, including the President's Forum and a series for the Environmental College. She is also a member of the Planning Committee of the Environmental Sabbath for the National Environmental Program.

Harold Schweizer, an Associate Professor of English, who is also a recipient of this award, gave his inaugural lecture in November.

WVBU

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"could have been successful if the place was decorated instead of looking like a track meet."

WVBU had agreed to start the party from 8-11 p.m. in the hopes of encouraging Bucknell students and their siblings to dance. But WVBU was unable to keep their part of the deal.

Klem said that the band, which was warming up, constantly interrupted the DJs. The DJs were also outraged that the lights stayed on during WVBU's segment of the event.

"I saw people come inside and turn right around when they saw what was going on...it was certainly not an atmosphere for dancing" said Klem.

Klem and Taylor also said that they specifically asked for their equipment to be ready two hours before the start of the event. However, Technical Services was late arriving with the equipment needed for the event.

The other student organizations, however, claim no responsibility for Klem and Taylor's accusations about the event's mismanagement.

BSG President Scott Charles '96 said, "We have no control over Tech services and the band...There were a lot of things out of everyone's control that happened. I only wish that more people could have stayed and enjoyed themselves."

Tracey Ward '96, president of the Panhellenic Council said, "We thought we had a good group of people organizing this event...It was a learning experience for everyone."

Taylor and Klem feel that this event could have been successful if "more genuine people were involved instead of individuals just interested in P.R."

Taylor and Klem said that all they want is "an apology and recognition that we were slighted."

News Briefs

World News

Parliament in Ukraine votes to oust Cabinet

President Leonid Kuchma challenged Ukrainians yesterday to modernize their country by pursuing his market reforms.

Minutes before President Kuchma's speech, Parliament threw out the Cabinet in an overwhelming vote of no confidence. Close advisers to the President said that he would seize the opportunity to create a team capable of proceeding with change.

It was the first time since independence that a Cabinet had been thrown out on a confidence vote. The new Administration will be Ukraine's fifth of the post-Soviet era.

President Kuchma said that his reform program, introduced after three years of inaction, was yielding its first results. He urged the Parliament to approve the 1995 budget to allow the International Monetary Fund to release a standby credit of \$1.8 billion. The I.M.F. last year approved a \$371 million credit.

—New York Times

Kohl to go to Moscow for World War II event

Chancellor Helmut Kohl has decided to travel to Moscow to mark the 50th anniversary of Germany's defeat in World War II, but he will not attend the military parade at the heart of the celebration.

President Clinton, President Francois Mitterrand of France, and Prime Minister John Major of Britain have confirmed that they will attend the parade in Red Square, which Russian officials said would include soldiers who helped crush the Chechnya rebellion this year.

Mr. Kohl will take part in a wreath-laying ceremony and a reception at the Kremlin and may visit a cemetery for German soldiers killed in battle outside Moscow.

Chancellor Kohl, President Clinton, and other officials wanted to give President Yeltsin political support by cheering at his side on the anniversary of a victory that is still extremely meaningful to the Russians. But they did not want to be seen endorsing Russia's use of force in Chechnya. Mr. Clinton decided to attend the parade after Mr. Yeltsin promised to avoid military hardware displays.

—New York Times

National News

Series of blunders led to USAir crash

The National Transportation Safety Board concluded Tuesday that USAir Flight 1016 crashed in Charlotte, N.C., last July 2 because air traffic controllers failed to pass along crucial weather information; the crew failed to recognize signs of wind shear; and at a crucial moment the captain, apparently disoriented, told his first officer to push the nose of the plane down when it should have been climbing.

The findings were approved at a seven-hour meeting to establish the cause of the crash, which killed 37 people and injured 20 others aboard the USAir DC-9. Besides listing multiple ways the crash could have been prevented, the board used the occasion to reiterate a 1990 recommendation that child safety seats be required on all airlines. A 9-month-old baby who died in the crash would probably have survived if she had been in a child safety seat, said Nora Marshall, a staff investigator. She added that regulations were tighter for laptop computers than for lap children.

—New York Times

CIA denies role in Guatemalan killings

The acting CIA director emphatically denies that the agency had any role in two killings in Guatemala.

One involved an American citizen, and the other was a Guatemalan Guerrilla leader married to an American woman.

In Senate testimony yesterday, William Studeman also denied that the CIA withheld information about the killings from investigators. He acknowledged, however, that the agency should have provided more information to the Senate and House Intelligence Committees.

New Jersey Congressman Robert Torricelli has said that a Guatemalan military officer was directly involved in the two deaths and was on the CIA payroll.

President Clinton has ordered a government-wide investigation into the situation.

—Associated Press

Campus News

Bucknell receives Hewlett-Packard Gift

Bucknell Chemistry department has received a gift of equipment by the Hewlett-Packard Company.

A liquid chromatography equipment package with a total value of \$49,200 has been donated to support the laboratory instruction in three analytical and biochemistry courses and to facilitate the research of undergraduate and graduate research students. The gift by Hewlett-Packard continues the generosity of the firm, which donated a gas chromatograph in 1984 and a liquid chromatograph in 1985 to the university.

Sam Fraton, a 1970 graduate of Bucknell who is with Hewlett-Packard, has been instrumental in bridging the educational needs of Bucknell students and faculty for state of the art scientific equipment to his company's attention.

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

OPINIONS

A Girl Scout campfire fans this feminist's flame

BY ALLISON PRICE

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

If I had as much energy as they did, I would have a 4.0, with enough sleep. There I sat with six eighth graders, twelve-year olds, wondering if I was ever that content to swim in my pond-giggle, shriek and make fun of the models in the Victoria's Secret catalog. There I sat, envisioning what their lives were going to be like in five years or so, their collective future, and ours as well.

According to all the current educational research, these "Rainbow Brites" will hit a painful threshold, wherein the contentment and confidence of their crystal blue pond will grow muddy. They will silence themselves—refrain from raising their hands in class, stating honest opinions and will instead develop what one research subject once dubbed "negative charisma." That will be an incredible loss for them, the eight budding livewire feminists, and for all of us who care about the future of our nation, built on the premise of equal opportunity.

When you are one of the lucky individuals who have seized opportunity and ran with it, it is difficult to see life as a huge game of chance that even Vegas could not orchestrate. You want to, and possibly need to feel that you have done it on your own because you have prevailed over many forces you sometimes are not even aware existed. There is no doubt that this is a cynical time in the U.S. We end up defining ourselves proudly as to what we are, which is undeniably part of what we are not and take delight in the rejection of what we see as labels developed by other people to define us—Gen X, Slacker and so on. These are shallow bits of hype, but in avoiding the hype we are still too content to let others define us in more subversive ways.

"No, I am not a feminist...all that strident stuff and all the demands. Of course I am pro-choice. Just let someone try to harass me in the

workplace. The U.S. day-care system is so unfair. But really I am not one of those feminist wackos." Alas, yes you are, or at least you share the same priorities and concerns. One of the biggest problems faced by the feminist movement is that others who opportunistically disagree with the concerns of all women have sought, to and unfortunately have managed, to define the movement and its activists. You cannot disagree with "them" and in the best sense of the world not be a feminist and ultimately your own person. Everyone in every movement is their own person and cannot be clustered under one stereotype or heading. Say it loud and say it proud, I am a feminist because:

- My grandmother's junior high teacher yelled at her to go sit down when she complained that a classmate was harassing her.
- Because people convinced her that the name she wanted for my aunt just wasn't nice enough.
- Because my other grandmother decided she wasn't going to let doctors demean her ever again.
- Because she wrote my Dad every day when he was in Vietnam.

- Because a teacher told my mother's high school class that a girl who had a miscarriage could not be put on the prom court.
- Because my little cousin used to think Pippi Longstocking could not be a pirate because she was a girl.

- Because the lady I worked with this summer had to bring her kids to work with her and not because it was Take Your Daughters to work day.
- Because access to safe and legal abortion is essential to women's lives and equality and is an issue that only male politicians too unimportant to talk about.
- Because we all know Anita Hill knew and no one believed her.
- Because we are the only industrial nation lacking a day-care system.

The Abortion issue: pro-choicers forget the baby's rights

BY KELLY BENNETT

Even as I sit here, I can't believe that I'm writing this. I have never been one to voice my opinion in such a public manner, yet after reading this week's *The Bucknellian*—and all the articles and letters on abortion—and hearing the people on this campus speak, both for and against it, I feel I have to set a few things straight.

I am pro-life. I am sure that that comes as no surprise to anyone who knows me. But, in addition to being a pro-life advocate, I am also a counselor at the Pregnancy Care Center in town, and have been for the past two years. I state that only to make it clear that I am not just some irate, uninformed, uneducated, pro-life individual but rather, a person who deals with, on a regular basis, women who find themselves facing an unwanted pregnancy.

Last week was "Celebrate Life Week" on this campus. Even as I write those words I can feel the cringes of many pro-choice advocates. That's ok. Cringe. I don't care—just keep reading. Members of Bucknellians for Human Life set up programs and seminars and films—not to remind themselves of what they believe in, but to inform this campus of what abortion really is—what it really does. The problem? This campus apparently doesn't want to be informed—and for such an academic school, that comes as quite a surprise to me. I always thought that we, as intelligent humans, would want to know all the facts before making a judgment. I hope I am not mistaken in that. I, personally, have seen the facts—and the faces of those women—and have formed an opinion. Now, I am just asking you, in a very non-threatening way, to do the same.

First of all, let's acknowledge the issue at hand here. It is not about civil rights, or the freedom of choice, or the women's movement—though we'd like to pretend that it is. The issue is over whether or not life begins at conception. We need to come to a consensus on that. Why? Because the "United States of America has already stated, in numerous ways, that 'all men are created...' with certain unalienable rights...among these (is) life.' We have more laws on the books concerning murder than we can count—people are being tried for it every day. And

why? Because murder is wrong. Does anyone disagree with that? I didn't think so. Ok, now having established that murder is wrong, let's look at whether or not a fetus is living. Many pro-choice advocates would like to say "no," that it is merely a blob of tissue—but how accurate is that? A 1981 report by a subcommittee to the Senate Judiciary Committee stated that "Physicians, biologists, and other scientists agree that conception (they defined fertilization and conception to be the same) marks the beginning of the human species. There is overwhelming agreement on this point in countless medical, biological, and scientific writings." No modern medical text ever written says that life begins at any time other than the moment of conception. Scientific proof states that the being in the womb is alive and growing with 46 chromosomes, an individual heartbeat, and blood-type separate from that of the mother. The fetus, or unborn child, is a living human being that is not a part of the mother's body—it is merely inhabiting it for a period of time. Still, people continue to argue over whether or not there is really life there. I can't understand this, especially considering the fact that Planned Parenthood—the nation's largest chain of abortion facilities—will itself state that it is not a frog or a ferret being killed there, but a baby. In fact, in a pamphlet published by this organization it stated that, "An abortion kills the life of a baby after it has begun." Enough said. If even an abortionist will say that a baby is being killed, what valid argument does anyone else have?

Still, I realize that that factual knowledge is not enough for most pro-choice advocates. They find the term "killing babies" to be offensive. Funny thing, so do I. What I am extremely disturbed over, however, is the number of people who support abortion, yet have no idea what it really involves or entails. Last year, for one of my English classes, I wrote a paper that the entire class was required to read. In it, I very briefly, described the procedure used during a suction abortion. Do you know that in that class, (which was filled with some very vocal pro-choicers), not one person had previously been aware that that was how an abortion was performed? In fact, at the end of class, at least three of those "advocates" came

up to me and said, "I had no idea. That's disgusting. How can anyone do that?" What I want to know is how anyone can support something without having all the facts. Did you know that according to one survey, 47% of abortion women have physical complications—those include the need for total hysterectomy, cervical cancer, blocked fallopian tubes, infections, cervical incompetence, post-operative hemorrhage and the miscarriage of a later wanted child? Did you know that if you include emotional struggles of the mother, such as post-abortion distress syndrome, (which, by the way, is very real), the percentage moves up to 98? Did you know that the baby cries during the procedure and tries to pull away from the doctor? Did you know that seven times more women have died from complications from legal abortions than illegal? Did you?

Then, of course, when all else fails the pro-choice supporters bring up the issue of rape. As one pro-choice man said last week, "How can you force a woman who has been raped to carry her rapist's child? First of all, I am not forcing anyone to do anything. But, as far as that argument goes, did you know that abortions that are performed on rape victims make up less than 1% of all abortions performed? Hardly a majority. And, as for whether or not a woman could actually bring herself to bear that child—well, let the following situation speak for itself. One of my close friends on this campus is a six months pregnant—the result of a rape. When she heard about this man's statement, all she could say to me was, "Well, did you tell him how a woman could go through with having the child? How could I do anything less than have this baby? Two wrongs don't make a right." She's right there. Two wrongs don't make a right. And, what I want to know is how anyone could even think of asking a woman who has already been through one violent experience to go through another, because that's what abortion is—violence. It's not a trip to the dentist, in case you are wondering. It's usually very painful and quite often the woman cries throughout the entire procedure.

Finally, I am a woman, and I believe that women deserve the right to have control over their bodies. Yet, what everyone seems to be overlooking here is

the fact that an abortion does not kill the woman's body—it kills someone else's. If you don't want others to take away your rights, why would you be so willing to take away your baby's? Isn't that a double standard? And, as far as control goes, we, as women, have control over our bodies long before we ever get pregnant. Face the facts. When you have sex, there is always some risk that you may get pregnant. I'm sure that's not news to anyone. Just as when you drive a car, you are taking the chance that you may have an accident. We, as human beings, need to learn that there may come a time when we are forced to live with the consequences of our actions.

Am I a pro-lifer who is full of words and not actions? I'd hope not. I love my job at the Pregnancy Care Center—not just because I enjoy counseling, but it is so rewarding to see a woman realize that she does have choices—ones that do not include an abortion. It's amazing to see the change of expression when she realizes that not only do people care about her and her baby, but they're willing to help her get through this difficult time in her life. But, what I find most amazing is listening to those women say that they never wanted to have an abortion in the first place. They just didn't think they had any other option.

Do I realize that there are many women on this campus who have already had abortions? Yes. Do I realize that many of them are my friends? Yes. I do. Does that mean I dislike them for what they've done. No, I love them dearly—as I love any of my friends. Have I lost respect for them? No. In my opinion, one decision or action is not reason for a total loss of respect on my part. However, do I respect that one decision? No, I do not. Just as I wouldn't respect the decision of any of my friends to steal, or cheat, or hurt someone else. We, as humans, need to realize that it's time to stop whining and complaining about our "rights" and to start thinking about others for a change. We need to see that just because something may be convenient for us, or fit into our lifestyle, or save our reputation, it doesn't mean it's right. We need to realize that, no matter how much we hate the thought of it, and wish it weren't so, some choices are just wrong.

Guest speaker bursts the Bucknell bubble

BY MARY ANNE ELMA

How many Bucknell graduates stay in Lewisburg? It would be safe to say that most Bucknell graduates move out to other places—more ethnically, racially, and economically diverse environments. Let's admit it. Life after Bucknell means existing in a multicultural world. What better place is there to learn about this complex universe than at an academic institution like Bucknell University?

"Teach us about this reality called humanity," said Ronald Takaki, professor at the University of California at Berkeley. Takaki was a guest speaker last week, speaking about multiculturalism. For the past two years there has been an effort to bring him to Bucknell. Takaki is one of the most well known authorities on Asian American history and multicultural affairs today. He has two books (both of which are sold in the Bookstore) entitled, *Strangers From A Different Shore* and *A Different Mirror*. If you pick up any current book on Asian Americans and multiculturalism and you will find Takaki cited somewhere in the text.

Takaki is one of the first Asian American speakers to ever come to campus, and one of the first to effectively speak about multiculturalism as an all inclusive topic. He didn't just talk about Asian Americans, he included the experiences of Irish-Catholic women, African Americans, Native Americans, and Mexicans. Speakers like Takaki are brought to Bucknell to stir our thoughts and call us to action. It's a shame that more people didn't come to hear such an enthusiastic and well-respected professor speak on a very important and timeless topic that affects us all.

In his lecture, Takaki addressed the problem of our Anglo-American centered curriculum. Like many schools, Bucknell has a multicultural requirement for many majors. To be a history major, a student is required to take at least one course in women's, African, or African-American history. This is a very common requirement in colleges and universities that unfortunately still neglects other voices—the voices of Hispanics, Latin Americans, Native Americans, Asians, and Asian Americans. In a predominantly white university like Bucknell, there should be more of an effort than this to educate us about multiculturalism. General courses should intentionally include the voices of those who are not usually heard. The course catalogue should at least acknowledge that other ethnicities exist outside of the Bucknell community. The life experiences of other groups who aren't just black or white should be intentionally included in our formal education.

In all of our classes, we should always ask ourselves, "From what perspective are we learning what we are learning?" Multiculturalism extends beyond race and ethnicity, to include religion and sexual orientation. We need to know what the experiences of other people have been. We need to be made aware of, and brought to understand, the different points of view that surround us. Our only weapon against ignorance is our education. Let's make full use of it.

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April 3rd. The witchhunt continues. Encouraged by the silence of spectators and elders dense, S.K. descended upon Carey House 110. Despite finding no marijuana or paraphernalia or even the resident in an initial search, the owner was taken from his place of employment and interrogated. Suspicious of youthful passion, the obedient foraged through his personal belongings as K.S., powerless though the rent payer, stood by. An ashtray was confiscated.

During the rummaging, S.K. accidentally shattered a sculpture of a pair of wings. Worried by knowledge of his startling incompetence becoming public, S.K. replaced the invaluable piece with a bronze statue of Joseph McCarthy and a copy of Arthur Miller's *The Crucible*.

EDITORIAL

Bookstore and WRC say no to skin magazines

At stake is first amendment, women's rights, and the regard for campus opinion

It may as well be called the Great Vanishing Act. Adult magazines have disappeared from the racks in the Bucknell Bookstore, only to wind up under the counters. Those who want to purchase them have to ask an employee. Members of the Bucknell community don't know the magazines have been moved, or the new location of the magazines.

All it took was one letter from the Women's Resource Center (WRC) Advisory Board complaining about the presence of these magazines in the Bookstore and Bookstore management removed them faster than you can spell pornography.

Citing the University mission statement that reads "...students are encouraged to cultivate respect for other individuals and cultures, enhancing in the course of this pursuit their own moral sensitivity, personal creativity, and emotional stability..." institutional programs and practices that exemplify compassion, civility, and a sense of justice..." David Roberts, director of the Bookstore, says he decided to remove the magazines from the rack because selling them contradicts the mission statement.

ment.

But when Janice Butler, director of the Women's Resource Center, who drafted the letter, focused on this excerpt from the mission statement to support her cause, and when Roberts agreed to remove the magazines, they failed to examine other aspects of the mission statement.

According to the statement, Bucknell expects its students to be concerned with two closely related types of development: that of the productive citizen and that of the person working toward intellectual maturity and self-awareness. "Bucknell's educational program stresses the preparation of its students for the exercise of high responsibility in all phases of society."

If students are to prepare themselves for the exercise of high responsibility in all phases of society, then they must prepare themselves through contact with various ideas and value systems that may differ from their own. Ultimately, students will gain experience in dealing with others in fair, and democratic processes if they engage in such activities now.

If students are to assume positions of responsibility someday, hopefully wielding power more fairly and justly, this situation provides no good example of that behavior.

The decision to remove the magazines without adequate discussion with the campus community reflects a lack of regard for community opinion.

In this case, the WRC's Advisory Board desire to have the magazines removed, articulated to only one person, was realized at the expense of a majority who is ignorant about the situation. The advisory board initiated a quiet campaign because they feared what Butler called a "backlash" from the campus community.

An effort to protect women from the disparaging effects of pornography, both freedom of expression and freedom of the press suffered. Also, people's ability to have a say in what they can and can't purchase in their bookstore, and the democratic process, suffered.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Senior expresses his hatred for the University and parking tickets

To the Editor,
It's that time of year again when seniors start writing either commentaries about their wonderful experiences at the Bucknell country club or griping about how much life at this university stinks. I won't sugarcoat this letter, this is a very bitter letter. Overly tanned men and women (there is such a thing as skin cancer), the faint of heart, and small children should stop reading and leave the room.

My only positive outlook on school these days is the knowledge that I will never have to come back here. However, I'd like to start on a bright note by congratulating my fellow seniors, for soon the class of 1995 will walk down that runway and receive their respective degrees.

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Many will receive BAs, some BS, and even a few Mrs. Yes, that strict diet of bagels and Tasty Freeze really paid off didn't it?

Over the past four years, I've stoically endured the trials and tribulations of college life without making too much of a fuss. As the first class to go through sophomore rush, we were the guinea pigs in the University's attempt to eliminate the Greek system. I've been traumatized by the untimely demise of SPE, the clandestine LCB operation, and the elimination of a day of Tent Party. I have also endured the over-competitive atmosphere that propels the "throats" to study on Saturday nights and anorexic women to cry, "oh, my butt's too big."

But I digress. The shallow, self-absorbed attitudes of my peers nor the draconian tactics used by the University are not my main concerns. My real gripe is a bill for \$375 that I received from Public Safety a couple of weeks ago. You're probably wondering what I could have done to provoke the powers that be to bend me over and have its way with me. Well, let me tell you. This astronomical fine is the result of four parking tickets; the last three were a hundred each. I freely admit that my parking strategies may have been a little liberal at times, but doesn't anyone besides me find this a little too steep? How much is tuition at this school? For that kind of a fine, I expect to be caught doing donuts on the quad with Goodluck John as a hood ornament to the tune of, "Bad boys, bad boys..."

My repeated attempts to validate my diabolical parking habits have fallen upon deaf ears. Like any good American, I pleaded my innocence to the Director of Public Safety, and appealed each ticket in turn. Unfortunately, I was uninformed that my previous appeals were rejected, which increased the cost of subsequent tickets. I was finally sent a comprehensive bill after I was hit with a particularly vicious combination of back-to-back \$100 tickets within a 24 hour period.

Well, now I'm irked. If the University wants to play hardball, I'll play too. I have personally begun a boycott of the University. That's right, no more Bison burgers, CDs, or Bucknell memorabilia for this kid. Already I have cost the university in the tens of dollars. I have also informed my parents and friends not to make any more donations to this university. You might as well cross my name off the alumni donations list, because this place ain't going to get diddly squat from me. Perhaps if this administration re-evaluated its shoddy treatment of its students, they could actually get some endowments. I'd just like to thank the University and Public Safety for making my senior year a memorable one. I'm sure you boys can get a lot of jelly donuts for \$375 (I apologize for the use of a stereotypical rent-a-cop/donut joke, but what can I say, I'm a sucker for the classics). Tell Bucky Bison to kiss my grits.

SCOTT LEE '95
APRIL 3, 1995

University's fraternity financial policy needs review

TO THE EDITOR:
Being woken up at 7:30 a.m. by someone and having to go to our kitchen and explain to the bread man why he hasn't been paid for January and the first two weeks in February isn't pleasant. He refused to leave without a check in his hand, and wasn't happy that it was postdated by one & one-half weeks. Am I acting ethically and responsibly as Treasurer of my fraternity?

To put this problem in perspective, room and board, for the majority of fraternities, is billed through Bucknell. These organizations do not have resources to bill for these amounts on their own. Currently tuition checks reach the university approximately two weeks prior to registration. Fraternities receive a check two weeks after registration. This is sent to the alumni corporation, hence causing six days of total float (you corp. fin. guru's know what I'm talking about) until the money is available in our money market fund. In this time period of about 36 days, the University is grinning as they collect interest on fraternities' money.

Meanwhile, I know in the case of my house, we have utilities to pay over the holiday months; in January, kitchen inventory is built up, a full time chef has to be paid (including medical insurance, payroll taxes, an IRA deposit), and property insurance comes due. These, mind you, are just some of the costs that have come due in December and January. Furthermore, a semester/yearly budget is often very tight in a fraternity. It's very unrealistic to plan to have a significant amount of cash on hand from one semester to finance the first month and a half of operations of the next semester. Along with large startup costs in the first weeks of being on campus, a handful of companies in this area prefer to be paid every two weeks.

What are our alternatives? I could just use our line of credit, and pay for it, but I don't feel I should have to. I could just keep leaving these suppliers waiting for their money, but we've already risked threats of being discontinued by major suppliers if bills aren't paid. It's unethical to keep these people waiting longer than their credit terms. This especially perturbs me when I'm almost certain the finance department is profiting in the range of \$2,000 in interest per year, from my fraternity alone (based on a 5% interest rate). Not to mention they also charge 3% for collecting money for us (this charge is understandable).

Of course, there is the University's side to this. Office of Finance will not release the fraternity checks until after Drop/Add so they have a more accurate billing records. This I fully understand, as no matter how accurate we fill out forms, every semester people are over billed and under billed (at least this is the case with my dealings).

In conclusion, I feel I've at least raised some questions regarding policy. I know I have a biased opinion, but I feel this policy could be improved. Logically, I feel that when tuition checks come due, several days later 25% of our money should be wired directly into our account. I don't think this is drastic to ask, since Bucknell has a much larger amount of working capital than a fraternity house. Adjustments to the billing amount can be made in the subsequent payment. This will alleviate some of the cash shortages for fraternities to meet their obligations in a timely manner. And the finance office can still earn interest on the other 75% of our money.

KEITH LOCKWOOD '96
APRIL 3, 1995

Students defend their rights to simple human pleasures

TO THE EDITOR:
Every cop is a criminal, and all the sinners saints...
- Mick Jagger

Points to think about in response to a front-page article in the last *The Bucknellian*:

- (1) Masturbation is illegal? Why is masturbation illegal? Simply because some guy in a ridiculous costume in Rome considers it wasted seed, a man can be arrested in his own car for trying to better pass the time. The choices of men are being compromised for the potential life of a seed which, to the best of our observation, has no consciousness.
- (2) The *Bucknellian* printed his name on the front page. Is a shred of class and good taste too much to ask from our media?
- (3) A man reported another man for masturbation. Disgraceful.
- (4) A thought: What were the cops doing in the middle of that lonely night when they got the call to bust someone? Come clean, now.
- (5) An admonition: If you are a Bucknell student and you choose to break the law and masturbate make sure to extinguish all candles. The authorities can charge into your room with no warrant and no consent and you will be

found guilty by a panel of your own peers simply because it is the law. This is no joke. And a word to the authorities: If you do decide to initiate a sting operation to bust masturbators, Union County, sure as hell, better start building a new prison.

Today, we publicly confess our own transgressions and celebrate Scott Eric Snyder, the first martyr, in defense of simple human pleasure. But owing to the unique flavor of adventurous peril that accompanies the role of a fugitive of justice, we shall remain at large.

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OPINIONS

The C.I.A. needs a check-up

BY JOHN STITH

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

It gets to the point that nothing the C.I.A. does is really that surprising "agents." It's easy to laugh it off and think, "There they go again." But the fact is, there we go again. Our government, our tax money, pays for spying, lying, and lawbreaking in almost every nation of the world. Thus it is vital to consider the role of the C.I.A. and sort valuable initiatives from misguided meddling.

Around the world, the C.I.A. gathers much of its information by paying "agents." In Guatemala one of these agents was Julio Roberto Alpirez. Alpirez was a colonel in the Guatemalan army, an organization which virtually runs that Central American nation.

Why did the C.I.A. pay Alpirez from the 1980's until 1992? According to the C.I.A., Alpirez provided valuable information on the Guatemalan Army's plans. If the U.S. government planned to work with the people of Guatemala for democracy and human rights, gathering information on the army would be important. However, our government continues to fund the Guatemalan Army rather than declaring its support for peaceful democracy groups.

In 1990, Michael DeVine, an American who ran an inn in Guatemala, was murdered. The C.I.A. soon discovered that the murder was ordered by Colonel Alpirez for unknown reasons. Yet rather than find another agent, the C.I.A. paid Alpirez \$60,000 more over the next two years. Furthermore, the C.I.A. continued to funnel over \$5 million a year to the Guatemalan Army, even after President Bush declared that military aid to Guatemala would cease.

In 1992, Colonel Alpirez oversaw the secret killing of a captured guerrilla, Efraín Barrios Velásquez. The C.I.A. knew about this as well, but hid the information from the State Department. When Velásquez's wife, an American lawyer, demanded information about her husband's whereabouts, the U.S. government told her it knew nothing.

The U.S. does not spy on the Guatemalan Army in order to help the Guatemalan people. It funds the Guatemalan Army to help it stay in power. There are elections in Guatemala, and the U.S. government praises the nation as "democratic." The majority of Guatemalans are Mayan Indians. Yet any Mayan Indian caught running for President would be assassinated. (Hundreds, sometimes thousands, of Guatemalans are assassinated every year, most by order of the army.) What Guatemala has is a pseudo-democracy where the poor and indigenous are excluded through unchecked capitalism and endemic racism.

The C.I.A.'s appropriate job is to gather intelligence. Thousands of personnel in Washington and around the world compile facts and write reports so that the President can base his decisions on accurate information. This fact-finding, including the payments to secret agents which necessarily go with it, is as vital to our ability to reach peace as our tendency to make war.

Nevertheless, the C.I.A. has a clear habit of using any means available to control a situation. By 1976 the C.I.A. had attempted to kill at least five foreign leaders. The covert actions of the C.I.A. decades ago were simply bizarre, such as when the agency tried to get Fidel Castro's beard to fall out.

The C.I.A. under President Clinton probably keeps its excesses to a minimum. Yet I shudder. The "no rules" philosophy of the spy trade is truly in the spirit of "cut throat" American competition.

der to think of what a C.I.A. under a President Gramm or President Buchanan might do.

The problem with the C.I.A. is that it often fails to consider the ramifications of its actions. The "no rules" philosophy of the spy trade is truly in the spirit of "cut throat" American competition. Yet when we seek to control other nations and other peoples, we make a mockery of the values of democracy, freedom, and autonomy that we say we uphold.

Much of the world sees the U.S. as a hypocrite. We talk about peace and friendship while our C.I.A. officers operate everywhere from Guatemala to France. We pledge ourselves to a "New World Order" through the U.N. and peaceful dialogue. Yet we pursue a paradigm, inspired by capitalism, that every nation should just look out for itself. This is the only "realistic" system, we tell ourselves. Yet it is one that can never bring peace, for peace entails humility, sacrifice, and patience. Peace requires diplomatic cooperation, not a pack of spies.

No doubt C.I.A. officials believe their work makes the world a safer place for all. In its efforts to prevent terrorism and uncover nuclear proliferation, the Agency does a great job. Yet when we pay armies that kill their own people, we only encourage violence and sow the seeds of future wars. In Guatemala, the C.I.A. has not served the people of either nation well.

The C.I.A. is no longer allowed to attempt assassinations. Further reform of the C.I.A., including greater oversight by Congress and the State Department, is needed. When the C.I.A.'s activities lead to violence, those responsible should be fired. Then the many fine C.I.A. officials who do work for peace can get on with their jobs.

Senior reminisces Bucknell memories

BY RICH VINNACOMBE

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

You remember where you were during the Nostradamus scare. You remember when Hank was in charge and you could pronounce the food in the caf; stromboli on Sunday night, burgers on Monday, tacos on Tuesday, chicken nuggets on Wednesday, pizza on Thursday, and so on. You remember the good 'old days when House Party was a party and you had this time called "dead week" to recover. You recall the fun times when Bucknell actually had a plan for January and you got to watch lots of movies for credit. Gone are the days when Chris Williams played at good Coffee Houses and Calvin & Hobbes was just a cool cartoon. You remember thinking that getting a date with a senior woman was impossible; and it is.

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LIFESTYLES

A date without a face—romance blooms on the Internet

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Ellen Straub '96 got twelve roses on her computer for Valentine's Day, complete with petals and holiday greetings. Her roses last longer than the traditional ones, but then again, they are tidings of a not so traditional relationship. Spring is in the air; love is in the air, especially on the Internet air.

Not only does the Internet enable people to send messages

quickly, these days, it is also the grounds for facilitating romance.

Straub met her current boyfriend over the Internet. It started as "random talking" last February on the Bucknell Internet, where students can find out who is "on line" at other schools. Lucky for her, a sophomore, Jamie, at Gettysburg College seemed to be logging on and "talking" at the same time.

Soon Straub and Jamie were spending three hours a day "talking" and found out they had quite

a bit in common.

The same scenario could be said for civil engineer Amy Cole '97 who is currently engaged to one of the 23 people she had met "chatting" in a "room" on America On-line, an interactive network that enables people all over the country to "talk" to each other. Her boyfriend, now fiancé, David Carr, hails from Jacksonville, Fla. She "met" him her senior year in high school when she got a computer and ten free hours on the network.

The computer "talking" escalated into talking on the telephone. Cole made an especially gutsy move last spring break when she flew down to meet Carr alone, going only on conversation and pictures they had recently exchanged.

Cole said that she felt perfectly safe making the trip alone because through their frequent "talk" over e-mail, they, like Straub and Jamie, discovered they had quite a bit in common. Cole said, "We were good friends for a while" but with an endearing look at Carr, who was visiting this past weekend, added with a smile, "it just happened."

Straub said that she and Jamie had plans to meet in person after having "met" through the computer last February. But the week

that the meeting had been scheduled, the system was down and she had no way of contacting Jamie. So in an uncharacteristic move, she drove to the school on a trip home that week and decided to drop by. "It's something I would never do because I'm shy," she said.

But Straub says that they were convinced that "it was fate" due to uncanny things that they have in common with one another like the tendency to "finish each other's sentences" and have the same dreams in life. She said that had they both gone to Gettysburg, they probably would have never gotten together because they wouldn't have run in the same circles and because "we're both shy."

In an activity commonly known as "surfing," the Internet often becomes a forum for people assuming false personalities. Neither couples went "surfing" for romance and suggest being wary of people disguising themselves online.

They agree that their individual relationships were enhanced by having met over e-mail since the concentration is on personality and not purely on physical attraction. Carr said that the mental connection made for a better interest between himself and Cole. "It was pure," Cole said. By the



time they had met, "we had talked about just about everything," whether it be over Cyberspace or just plain old Ma' Bell, Carr said. Cole added that there were no labels, no stigma of a Greek orientation that could sway potential meetings.

"I was nervous the first time that we talked on the phone because it wasn't 23 people any-

more, but one on one. There is fear of being judged," Carr said. "It wasn't so much fear of meeting each other as much as fear that we weren't compatible," Cole said.

Random "talking" today and wedding rings tomorrow. The happy couple is now engaged and has set June 21, 1997 as their wedding date. "We want to do it tomorrow," Cole said.



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Taking advantage of a modem, Abe Chong '96 talks on Internet. With such easy access to Internet "surfing," finding a romance via computer becomes increasingly possible.

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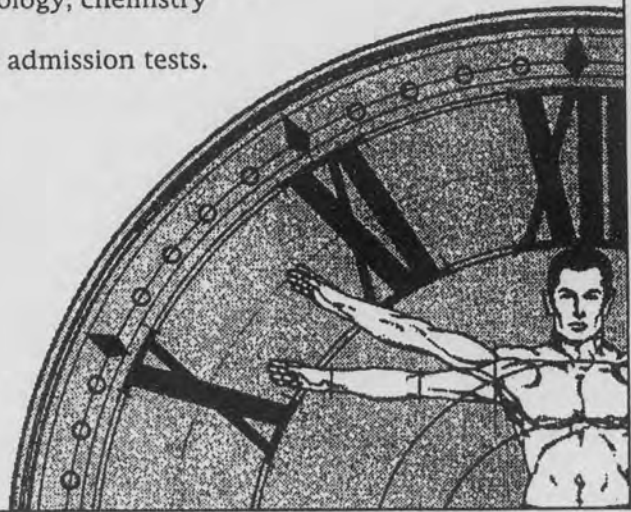
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Springtime sniffles shower sorrows

BY MEG HANRATTY

Many people seem to be sick lately with stuffed up noses, sore throats, watery eyes, coughing and sneezing.

The Health Center has been inundated with sick students. The week before spring break over one hundred students a day went there to search for a cure for what ailed them. Perhaps you have been one of the victims of the phenomenon of the "springtime sniffles." Indeed, there is evidence that more people get sick during this time of year.

Donald Stechschulte, medical director at the Student Health Center, says that for some reason, spring and fall happen to be the viral seasons. There are more viral type illnesses in the fall and spring. Also because spring is the time when the flowers and trees pollinate, so there is a tremendous increase in the amount of environmental stimuli that can interact adversely with one's immune system. In winter, when all of the flowers are dead and all the outdoor molds are dead, no spores are in the air. "The air relatively speaking is cleaner from live kinds of things in the winter than it is in the spring," Stechschulte said.

There may not be much that one can do to prevent allergies, but what can one do to prevent illnesses?

Stechschulte said, "It sounds corny, but what you grandmother told you is real good advice: Eat three square meals a day. Get eight

"What your grandmother told you is real good advice. Eat three square meals a day. Get eight hours of sleep and make sure you get a little exercise."

—Dr. Donald Stechschulte, medical director of Student Health Center

hours of sleep and make sure you get a little exercise. It's not a question of what you are exposed to because you are exposed to everything. There isn't a day that you as a Bucknell student are not exposed to strep or mono. Somebody coughs and you happen to walk through. It's a question of how ready and vigilant your own immune system is. So as long as you keep your organism as finely tuned as you humanly possibly can that's the best way to approach springtime illnesses."

For those who already have the sniffles, Stechschulte suggests drinking a lot of fluids. Drinking fluids tends to thin any secretion that you may have, and the thinner secretions will move easier and will be less viscous.

One final piece of advice is to express your emotions.

"All kinds of interesting research has shown that when you experience whatever you're experiencing, if you experience it intensely and get your feelings out when they need to be gotten out, your immune system responds with an increase in the amount of T-lymphocytes."

The decrease comes by chronic abuse or neglect of self. It's not that when your grandmother dies that you feel sad. It's when you don't physically feel that loss and mourn it appropriately that it turns into sort of a low grade depression.

That's when the immune system comes a bit down and that's when you're more likely to be hit with some type of bacteria that catches you with your guard down," Stechschulte said.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

The springtime sniffles often make it hard to focus on school work or other activities. With evidence showing that more people get sick in the early spring, it is important to strengthen your body to prevent illnesses by getting sleep, exercise, and nutrition.

LIFESTYLES

Adult students diversify campus

Non-traditional students here to improve lives but feel overlooked by institution

BY DEBORAH ASTIN

Last week at a protest, Michael "Mitch Bailey" Miller '96 asked if he could read a poem that he had written. The student leading the protest asked Miller if he was from the community. The student seemed unaware that the 41-year-old, gray-haired, bearded Miller might be a Bucknell student himself.

Miller, a married undergraduate with two children, doesn't fit the typical description of a traditional Bucknell student. However, he and other non-traditional students like him are pursuing their education here at Bucknell.

These students have returned to academia to improve the quality of their lives. They believe they have something to offer the Bucknell community in return. They speak highly of faculty, staff, and administration who personally help them reach their goals. However, they acknowledge the shortcomings of the institution.

"I'm here as an artist with people who will one day be lawyers; it's good for each to experience the other as basic human beings. My hope is that we will leave good impressions on one another."

—Salvador Casco '96

Janie Roan '96 is married and the mother of two children. She maintains that "Bucknell is lacking in its program for balance concerning non-traditional adult students; Bucknell has an agenda, and if it isn't on the agenda, it simply is not acknowledged."

Roan feels that a myopic approach limits and stifles growth, ultimately leading to misconceptions. Miller agreed with Roan, saying that Bucknell's institutional oversights promote a false sense of homogeneity which does not exist among the now diverse student body.

Non-traditional adult students are part of the Bucknell community. The institution itself should reflect that fact. Both Roan and Miller chuckle as they register—have been wonderful. It's the

late their experiences of receiving mail addressed to their parents and forms requiring permission for them to live off campus. "There should be a flag in the computer to rectify this situation. This would make non-traditional adult students feel more comfortable, not everyone on this campus is 21," said Miller.

Wendy Middleton '97 is also married and the mother of two children. She believes there are other areas on campus where non-traditional adult students should be considered. Middleton said, "I have to pay an activities fee, yet most activities are geared for traditional students. Movies are scheduled for 10:30 at night. Why not have an occasional 7 o'clock show? Perhaps something for families. Non-traditional adult students should be considered; this applies for all minorities on campus." Middleton also expressed a need for better understanding among traditional and non-traditional students on campus. "Some days I feel like the kid no one wants on the team," said Middleton.

Ute Ferrier '95 agrees that Bucknell students are uninformed about the different lifestyles which are represented by non-traditional adult students on campus. "Our lives are so different," said Ferrier who is married and the mother of three children. "What Bucknell students consider normal is so far removed from what is normal for me. There is nothing at Bucknell to help bridge that gap," she said. Ferrier suggested that perhaps more discussion in the classroom would allow traditional students to gain more exposure to non-traditional adult students.

Miller believes that there needs to be more interaction between young and old students because each provides something useful for the other. According to Miller, the younger students provide enthusiasm, energy, and stamina, and the older students provide maturity, experience, and stability. Together, as members of the Bucknell community, they create a dynamic educational experience.

Column 2 of an occasional series:

Choosing a computer: creating a dream machine

BY NATHANIEL A.F. CLARK

In the last appearance of this column I examined three questions: Mac or IBM? What is your level of computer expertise? Are there any specific abilities that your new computer needs to have? These are the first, and hardest, questions that arise when choosing a new personal computer (PC). This column will translate the answers of these questions into a satisfying purchase.

To achieve this translation we must examine some of the ingredients that compose common computer systems today. Each of these ingredients represent different options that can combine with others to construct your personal dream machine.

The first of these options is the general design, or configuration, of your computer. The two major configurations available are desktop and notebook computers.

Desktop computers fit the traditional image of the computer, with a separate monitor, case, keyboard, and mouse, spread out over half of the owner's desk. Notebook computers are small, totally self-contained computer systems with all their components integrated together into a single package. Notebooks, as the name implies, are about the size of a normal, paper notebook (about 8.5" x 11" x 2") and weigh about five to seven pounds.

The many advantages of notebook computers, in terms of their portability, are obvious, but these advantages are offset by the greater expense of notebook systems, their smaller screens and keyboards, and the extra expense which it takes to expand them.

However, being able to fold up your computer to take it to the library or even just to take it home over break is definitely not something to overlook. The many differences between notebook and desktop systems are too numerous to be expanded upon fully here.

The next major ingredient is the microprocessor. This device, which probably most everyone as heard called the "brain" of the computer, can probably be more accurately analo-

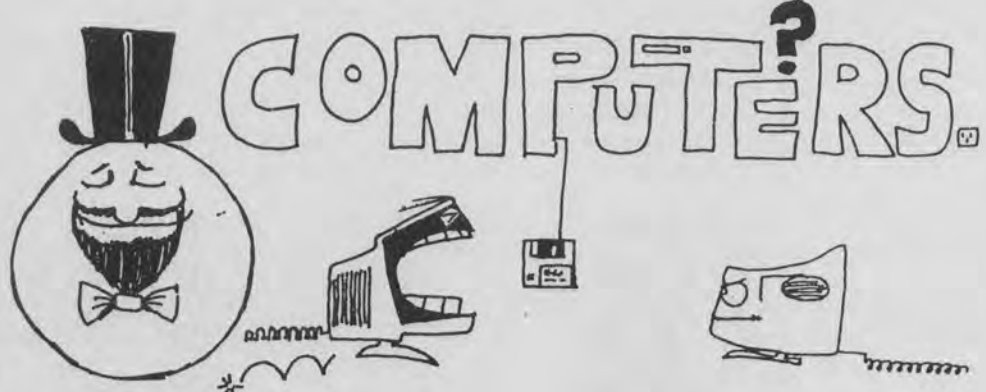
gized with a professor. A professor is an individual with skill in handling and moving around data, and this is exactly what a microprocessor does. But just as different professors come with different levels of skills and abilities, so do microprocessors.

Many have heard the terms "486" and "Pentium" in the IBM world and "68040" and "PowerPC" in the Macintosh world. These titles refer to different types of microprocessors, which in turn are analogous to professors with different degrees of education. The slower 386 processors might hold a bachelor's degree, while the much faster PowerPC processors might hold multiple doctorates.

In addition, just as professors at the

into a computer being able to do more things at once, or even just being able to handle larger programs. Currently, RAM is measured in units of megabytes, and of course, the more memory you have the faster and better your computer will be.

Economic considerations force the standard amount of memory for IBM compatible with either a 486 or Pentium processor or a PowerMac 601 to be eight megabytes, while the recommended amount is 16 megabytes. Any less than eight megabytes will severely limit what any of these systems will allow you to do, while 16 megabytes will provide a more stable system with the ability to run almost any software pack-



same level of education may be faster or slower than one another, so are microprocessors. The speed of a microprocessor is known as its clock speed and is measured in megahertz (MHz). The higher the clock speed of a microprocessor, the more it can do in a given period of time, and thus the faster it is.

In the IBM world the latest and newest generation of processor is known as the Pentium, with older processors being the 486 and 386. In the Macintosh world the latest processor is the PowerPC 601, with the second oldest processor being the 68040.

The next major ingredient is memory, or RAM. RAM, as you've heard many, many times before, stands for Random Access Memory, and is equivalent to the size of our theoretical professor's desk. The larger the professor's desk, the more things he or she can have in front of him or her at the same time. This translates

age. The final major ingredient is the size of the fixed disk, or hard drive. Maintaining the professor analogy, the size of the disk is equal to the professor's file cabinet. The larger the file cabinet, the larger the number of projects the professor can work on, and the more data the professor can easily store. This translates into the computer domain as the larger your fixed disk, the more programs and data you can have installed and stored on the computer at once.

A source of confusion to many is that RAM and fixed disk space are both called "memory," and that the size of a fixed disk is also given in megabytes. For a present-day 486/Pentium IBM compatible, a 350 to 500 megabyte fixed disk is suitable, while for a PowerMac and a 68040 500 and 250 megabytes, respectively, is sufficient.

Putting a leash on pet peeves

BY SARAH CATLIN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

How have you managed to live with your roommate all year? One more hour cooped up in your room with your roommate and you may start crying. It wouldn't be nearly so bad except your roommate couldn't sing on key even if she was lip-synching. Of course for some reason, recently she has begun folding your clothes everytime you drop them on the floor.

With winter forcing "quality time" inside with others, personal pet peeves force many to the point of insanity. Then just when a lifesaver is thrown with the appearance of break, the catch of long car trips and four to a room in some hotel, spring ambushes an attack.



The little things in life start to get really big. Pet peeves are no longer laughed off. Instead, the sound of a tapping pencil or working toenail clippers produces perspiration on the brow and clenched fists for those in the presence of the other's actions.

What exactly is a pet peeve? A first-year student responded that her pet peeves is when people pick their noses.

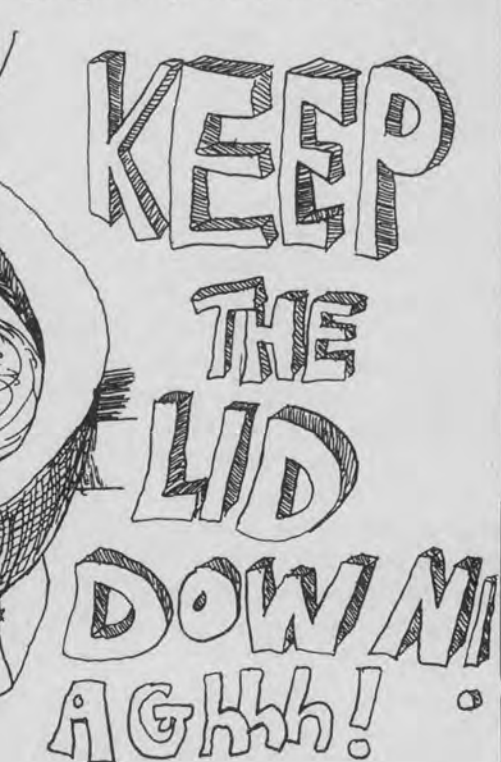
Repulsive as this idea is, it is not a pet peeve. A pet peeve does not bother an individual because it is disgusting. Instead, a pet peeve is a habit or object that bothers some personal part of an individual. Often a neat person's pet peeve is if their roommate won't keep their desk neat. Even if the roommate's mess doesn't infringe on the other's personal space it will still drive the neat person crazy.

Rosaria Gabriele, associate director of Psychological Services, says that often pet peeves are a result of a lack of communication. One roommate will hold their feelings back instead of communicating with their roommate or

friend. As a result they begin to focus their frustration on pet peeves. Gabriele said the most often heard complaint was that of the messy roommate. Roommates that can talk and laugh things off do not notice little things in their counterparts. Talking things out allows a neat person to live with a slob.

Does this mean that communication is all you need to live with next year's roommate? Maybe not. Some people have pet peeves that have nothing to do with people they know. For instance:

"I can't stand it when people leave their car blinkers on, after they have made a turn," said Carrie Pinkman '98. "I hate it when the traffic light turns green and the person in front doesn't go right away," said Jim Burge '98.



"People touching my face is my pet peeve," said Jess Sonnenmann '98.

There are also pet peeves that have nothing to do with people at all.

"I hate dirty mirrors," said Megan Kull '98.

"My pet peeve is when hotel beds are made so that the sheets are so tucked in you feel strapped in," said Bill Greco '98.

Pet peeves seem most often to be something that one sees. However there is one other sense that seems to be receptive to a pet peeve.

"I hate the sound of people chewing food, or when 'good' is used when it should be 'well,'" said Zoe Susice '98.

"People singing off-key drives me nuts," said Kristen Sandel '98.

Pet peeves are the little things in life that can start to wear you down. So lighten up. Next time you feel like showing the pencil down that pencil tapping fool's throat—stop. Spring is here. Relax, take a deep breath, and whistle a happy tune. Who knows? Maybe the pencil tapper hates whistles.

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Chorale concentrates on American music

In preparation for Senior Week trip, the Concert Chorale performs in Weis

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Preparing for a concert tour is never an easy job, and having the opportunity to perform some of the works before the tour often serves to lighten the rehearsal load a bit. In preparation for its Senior Week trip to Arizona, and in conjunction with Admissions Day, the Bucknell University Concert Chorale will present an evening of diverse, mostly American-oriented music at 8 p.m. on Saturday. Conducting the concert will be Dr. William A. Payn, chair of the department of music.

According to soprano section leader Jeanne Melish '95, most of the program's music falls into three categories: spirituals, pieces that portray the American west, and selections from Handel's *Messiah*, which the group performed nearly in its entirety last December. "This is an audience-pleasing program," Melish stated, adding that the selections focusing on the western part of the country have specifically been chosen for performance in Arizona. Lyrics by American writers will also be showcased in this concert; the text for *A Prairie Sunset* was written by the poet Walt Whitman, and two other works on the program include texts by Native American writers.

The women of the concert chorale will be joined by harpist Elizabeth Eters-Asmus to perform *Choral Hymns from the Rig Veda* by the British composer Gustav Holst. "This piece differs from the others in that, while most of the concert has a distinct American flavor, Holst's work is

based on harmonies and scales from India," Melish said, adding that the audience will be able to differentiate between the American and Indian harmonic styles.

Charles Ives was an American composer known for his unusual harmonic ideas and his use of American folk tune quotations in his works. Saturday night's concert will feature a performance of Ives' *Circus Band* with concert chorale accompanist David Cover and Brian Melkowitz '96 on piano. Written for four hands, the Ives piece will provide an interesting con-

trast to the other vocal works on the evening's program.

Melish stated that the group is looking forward to taking its show on the road for senior week. The tour to Arizona will include several performances and a trip to the Grand Canyon.

Saturday night's concert will be held at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts. The program is free and open to the public. Visiting prospective students with an interest in music are encouraged to attend the event.



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Rehearsing for a performance at 8 p.m. Saturday evening in the Weis Center, the Concert Chorale will be singing mostly American-oriented music.

A cappella and jazz combine in Weis performance

BY JASON SNYDER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The melodious sounds of two Bucknell student musical groups will fill the Weis Center at 7 p.m. this Sunday. For the first time ever, the Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble and The Silhouettes will perform together, as well as perform their own sets.

Both groups are eagerly anticipating the show and have been practicing vigorously. According to Todd Bowers '95, the director and trombonist with BJRE, the "dedicated" group has been "rehearsing three to four hours a week." He reports that the group, which encompasses 18 members from all years and majors, is "looking forward to the show," because there has been much student interest in hearing the group perform. Bowers is also "very excited," not only because he expects a "large turnout" but also because this is BJRE's first concert in the Weis Center.

BJRE will be performing a wide variety of jazz pieces, from big band to modern jazz. Two of the group's numbers will be performed with The Silhouettes.

In the past, BJRE has performed in many other settings. The group has played at Tent Party, Coffeehouse, Spring Weekend, and also in the Gazebo in Lewisburg's park.

Malena Moore '95, a member of the Silhouettes, is very thrilled to be performing in the Weis Center, also for the first time. The Silhouettes have also been

preparing diligently. The group's practice schedule includes two or three two-hour practice sessions per week. For the Silhouettes, an eight-member female vocal troupe, this show serves as a kick-off for the release of their CD, which will be issued around Spring Weekend. Moore says that at the concert, the group will be performing many selections from the album, which range from the 1950's to the present. Selections that the group will perform include The Eagles' "Take It To The Limit," "Oh What A Night" by the Four Seasons, and Billy Joel's "The Longest Time," among others.

Jodie Eash '95, another member of the group, is eager about the upcoming collaboration. She says that the audience will hear "a lot of new music" and that the concert should have a "neat sound" because the Silhouettes have "never sung with instruments before."

The Silhouettes also perform in diverse settings. In the past, they have performed for BAC events such as Coffeehouse, and special events like the Christmas and Valentine's Day dinners in the Bostwick Dining Hall. The group has also sung off campus at the Campus Theatre benefit shows, the Buffalo Valley Nursing Home, and Lewisburg's Victorian Christmas celebration.

The excitement and vigor of these groups will definitely transfer to their performances. This collaboration should make for a fine evening of music and vocal magic.

WWII veteran speaks out against racism and anti-semitism

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

What does an African American army veteran have to say about the Holocaust? Plenty, if that veteran is Dr. Leon Bass.

A former soldier who helped liberate the concentration camp Buchenwald during World War II, Bass has dedicated his life to speaking against both racism and anti-semitism and for civil rights in a variety of ways. Bass will speak at Bucknell Wednesday, April 12 in honor of Holocaust Memorial Day. His lecture, sponsored in part by Hillel, is entitled "Racism, Anti-Semitism, and the Holocaust from the Perspective of an African American Soldier."

Being an African American soldier

training in the South was difficult for Bass, a young Philadelphian who faced racism in his own unit. He didn't realize the importance of his role in the war until his unit was involved in the liberation of Buchenwald. At that time, Bass realized that by becoming an educator, he could work to help prevent future acts of racism and anti-semitism as atrocious as the ones he had seen while a soldier.

After leaving military service, Bass worked to finish his college education in three years. He spent his entire teaching career in Philadelphia, working his way from an elementary school teacher, to elementary school principal, and finally to principal at Benjamin Franklin High School. It was during his tenure at this school that Bass was encouraged by a fel-

low educator to speak out about his experiences in the war. Bass realized that his perspective on the war was a unique one. Bass has spent a large part of his retirement speaking about his experiences.

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A lifelong member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Bass is no stranger to civil rights movements. He participated in Martin Luther King's famous March on Washington and has received numerous humanitarian awards for his work for civil rights and against oppression.

Bass, who is currently the co-chairperson of the Philadelphia chapter of the Interfaith Council on the Holocaust, will speak in the Langone Center Forum for 45 minutes. "Bass is an outstanding speaker," Hillel president Frank DeWoskin '95 stated. DeWoskin added that a question-and-answer period will follow Bass' speech. The evening will conclude with a reception in Walls Lounge.

Violinist and pianist make music for Reverberations



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Internationally recognized and praised, violinist Midori (left) will be performing at 8 p.m. tomorrow evening in the Weis Center. Performing with Midori will be pianist Robert McDonald (right), who has received many honors, including the Gold Medal at the Busoni's International Piano Competition. This performance is part of the Center's Reverberations series. Tickets are

A&E Calendar

Thursday, April 6
RHA Lecture: "AIDS," actor Judd Winick, MTV's "The Real World," 7 p.m., Larson Dining Hall
Pitcairn-Crabbe Lecture: "Contemporary Native American Issues," John Mohawk, 7 p.m., Langone Center Forum
Film: *The Little Rascals*, 10:30 p.m., Langone Center Gallery Theatre, \$1.

Friday, April 7
Hilltop Film Series: *When Father Was Away on Business*, Emir Kusturica, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Weis Center Series 1: Midori, violin; Robert McDonald, piano; 8 p.m., Weis Center

Saturday, April 8
Concert: Bucknell University Concert Chorale, William A. Payn, director, 8 p.m., Weis Center
Film: *The River Wild*, 10:30 p.m., Langone Center Gallery Theatre, \$1.

Sunday, April 9
Concert: Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble and the Silhouettes, 7 p.m., Weis Center

Tuesday, April 11
Concert: Bucknell University Symphonic Band, Donald Stanley, director, 8 p.m., Weis Center

Wednesday, April 12
Coffeehouse: 9 p.m., Bison

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Jeff Graf '96

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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"Ricky [Watters] is the most selfish player in football today, and it has greatly affected his relationships on our team."

—Former 49ers receiver and front office man Dwight Clark

Flash in the Pan



PLAY BALL!!! Opening day has been set for April 26. Peter Angelos, owner of the Baltimore Orioles, commented, "I'm glad this is all over." The season length is 144 games and teams may carry 27 players, three more than usual. There has been a total of 921 games lost since the strike began last year.

USA Combo: Pete Sampras and Andre Agassi have helped the United States reach the Davis Cup semifinals by defeating Italy 5-0.

Sixers Heat Wave: The dismal Philadelphia 76ers nearly beat the Miami Heat for their 21st win of the season. Miami eventually won the game and dropped the sixers further behind division leading Orlando, 33 games ahead.

Capital Gains: The Washington Capitals pulled to within one point of Atlantic division leading Philadelphia with a 5-4 win over the Islanders. The Flyers have 40 points and are on a 5-4-1 streak, whereas the Caps have a 7-2-1 record in the last 10 games.

Huskies Win Again: Connecticut won the NCAA Division I Women's College Basketball title by defeating Tennessee 70-64 on Sunday. The Huskies finished the season undefeated at 35-0, becoming only the second team to accomplish this feat. Texas won the title in 1986 and finished 34-0 as the first squad to set the record.

Goin' Back to Cali: U.C.L.A. won the College men's NCAA Division I title by defeating Arkansas 89-78 Monday night. The Bruins collect their 11th overall title—the first since 1975. The University will receive a portion of \$215.6 million dollars collected from CBS-TV for this season's television rights.

Is it John Doe or John "Williams"?: USA Today pointed in recent survey that most common last name during the 1993-94 season in the NBA was Williams, which appeared 44 times. Johnson was second at 41, followed by Smith at 40.

Tommy Boy: Tommy Martin '97 shot a 75 Monday to lead Bucknell's golf team to a win Swarthmore and Lafayette. Paul Gregory '95 followed with 78 and Jeff Graf '96 with an 81 on the tough Rolling Green course in Philadelphia.

USA Today/CNN Final NCAA Top 20

1. UCLA (32-2)
2. Arkansas (32-7)
3. North Carolina (28-6)
4. Oklahoma State (27-10)
5. Kentucky (28-5)
6. Connecticut (28-5)
7. Massachusetts (29-5)
8. Virginia (25-9)
9. Wake Forest (26-6)
10. Kansas (25-6)
11. Maryland (26-8)
12. Mississippi State (26-8)
13. Arizona State (24-9)
14. Memphis (24-10)
15. Tulsa (24-8)
16. Georgetown (21-10)
17. Syracuse (20-10)
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Baseball, with a 4-15 record, plays Penn State today.

Crew team rows to success in Georgia

The men's lightweight boat takes the gold while the women capture second

BY BRIAN BURKE

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

For much of the Bucknell community, Spring Break means a week's worth of rest, relaxation, and deep, paba-free tans. However, for the crew team, this short hiatus from academic drudgery is an annual opportunity to travel to Augusta, Ga. The break comes at the perfect time, giving the team a chance to participate in both rigorous training and one of the largest regattas of the spring racing season: the Augusta Invitational.

This week is a vitally important part of the training schedule of the Bucknell crew team. It offers the varsity squads a chance to fine-tune their rowing for the upcoming spring races, and more importantly, gives the novice boats invaluable water

time in which to continue learning the subtleties of the perfect stroke. All of this year's team did exactly that, making leaps and bounds in both technique and strength, which paid off in competition at the end of the week.

Mother Nature smiled on the approximately forty teams participating at the 1995 Augusta Invitational Regatta by toning down the wind that had stirred the Savannah River for the previous three days. The racing conditions were nearly ideal with bright sun, temperatures in the seventies, and only a light breeze developing as the day went on.

The two novice men's and one novice women's boats were the first to compete in the morning heats, with only the top qualifiers advancing to the finals being held that afternoon. All of the novice boats, which made significant improvements throughout the week of training, raced hard to disappointing finishes in difficult heats.

Priestaf multiplies mind with running ability

BY JEAN TANIMOTO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Chris Priestaf '95, the senior cross country and track runner has quite a bit to boast about.

He received All-League, All-District, and All-East honors this past fall. He is not only an accomplished athlete; Priestaf was also named the Patriot League Scholar Athlete for Cross Country and is one of the 25 men named to the NCAA Division I All-Academic Cross Country Team.

Priestaf, a double major in math and economics, has been able to maintain a 3.5 GPA despite the demanding schedule of being a two-sport athlete and the added pressure of a job. How does he do it all?

"You learn to do it when you're young," Priestaf says. "You learn to get things done." Although Chris is the first to admit that athletics have been the biggest part of his life here at Bucknell, he always managed to find time to get his books done.

"You place the emphasis on whatever needs to be done at the time. If you have a big test then you concentrate on that, but if a meet is coming up then you focus more on that. You just need to make sure that you get the other things done too," he said.

Priestaf, who started running in the seventh grade, has had quite a successful senior year. Along with all the cross country accolades, he finished the indoor track season by chalking up two first place finishes at the Patriot League Championships. Priestaf

The novice men's A boat finished with the second fastest time out of all of their competition, however, a fast crew from Dartmouth stole the first place finish in the heat which was necessary to advance.

Leading off the varsity competition for the day was the lightweight men's events, in which Bucknell entered both an eight-man and four-man. The eight raced to a first-place finish in their heat, despite a technically unstable row. This secured the squad a place in the finals that afternoon.

However, the efforts put forth by the four were not rewarded in kind; it failed to qualify for the finals.

The varsity women's squad was the next to race, with the Bison racing a lightweight eight and two open fours. In the light event, the top two finishers advanced to the finals, and a sound second

place finish by the women allowed them to do just that. Unfortunately, the fours from Bucknell ran into tough fields of competition, facing close races that led to elimination by small margins.

Closing out the morning heats for Bucknell were the two men's heavyweight fours. Both the crews of heavy men dominated their heats, each boat taking first. These finishes would pit the two squads against one another in the finals later that afternoon.

The afternoon medal round represented the team's first opportunity to bring home hardware this spring, and the qualifying crews jumped at the chance.

In Bucknell's first grand final of the day, the light men's eight was given a chance to capitalize on their spot in the finals. A powerful crew from F.I.T. jumped out to an early lead and maintained it throughout the duration

The Bucknell men were slow off the line, falling into third place 250 meters into the 1500 meter course. However, through the body of the race, the Bison and Big Green began to pull away from the other schools, with Bucknell remaining in second up until 900 meters down. The effects of a strategic flutter (a small, mid-race sprint) wore away at Dartmouth, opening them up to be walked through for the final 500 meters of the race. The Bucknell lightweight men won the gold.

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Photo courtesy of crew team

The lightweight women's crew team celebrate a silver medal-winning performance in Augusta, Georgia during Spring Break. The team members (from left to right): Coxswain Mel Leide '97, stroke Kristin Zaccaro '96, Sara Bloom '97, Morgan Moran '97, Liz Clark '97, Leslie Elder '97, Katy Miller '95, Lara Sobol '98 and bow Tasha Smith '97.



Scholar-athlete Chris Priestaf '95 (middle) runs along with two cross country runners in a meet this past fall.

BISON SCOREBOARD

SOFTBALL

10-14

March 28, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-9
Mt. St. Mary's-1

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

Gombos 2b 3 0 1 0 0 0 2 3

Jones ph 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0

Corr ss 2 1 1 0 0 0 0 2

Jasionowski 3b 3 2 2 0 0 0 1 1

Sandel 1b 3 1 1 0 0 0 0 0

Hollister c 3 1 1 0 0 0 5 0

Kulis rf 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0

Bannister dp 3 0 2 3 0 0 0 0

Delardo 1b 3 1 2 0 0 0 0 0

Mayrhofer cf 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0

Love p 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1

Totals 23 9 11 7 4 0 15 7

R H E

Bucknell 004 05 9 110

Mt. St. Mary's 100 00 1 2 3

March 28, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-10
Mt. St. Mary's-0

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

Corr ss 2 2 1 4 2 0 1 2

Lighthart dp 3 0 1 2 1 1 0 0

Catin dp 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Jasionowski 2b 1 1 1 0 0 0 0

Gerster lf 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 2 1 0 0 1 1

Jones 2b 2 1 1 0 0 0 2 1

Hollister c 2 0 0 0 0 1 2 0

Bannister	ph	1	1	0	0	0	1	1
Delardo	1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gunning	ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stotz	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
Mayrhofer	1	2	1	0	2	0	1	1
Dawson	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals		23	9	11	7	4	0	15 7

Bucknell	222	4						
Mt. St. Mary's	000	00	0	0	3			

March 30, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-2
UMBC-1

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

Gombos 2b 3 1 2 0 1 0 4 1

Corr ss 4 0 0 0 0 1 2 2

Jasionowski lf 4 0 2 1 0 0 1 0

Sandel 3b 3 0 0 0 0 1 2 3

Kulis rf 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0

Gunning pr 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0

Lighthart dp 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0

Hollister c 2 0 0 0 0 0 7 2

Bannister ph 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Delardo 1b 3 0 0 0 0 0 5 1

Mayrhofer cf 3 0 0 0 0 1 1 1

Love p 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1

Totals 28 2 6 2 1 3 24 11

R H E

Bucknell 000 000 11 2 6 1

UMBC 000 001 00 1 7 1

March 30, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-6
UMBC-8

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

Corr ss 2 2 1 4 2 0 1 2

Lighthart dp 3 0 1 2 1 1 0 0

Catin dp 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Jasionowski 2b 1 1 1 0 0 0 0

Gerster lf 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 2 1 0 0 1 1

Jones 2b 2 1 1 0 0 0 2 1

Hollister c 2 0 0 0 0 1 2 0

Bannister	ph	1	1	0	0	0	1	1
Delardo	1b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gunning	ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stotz	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
Mayrhofer	1	2	1	0	2	0	1	1
Dawson	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
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Corr ss 4 0 0 0 0 1 2 2

Jasionowski lf 4 0 2 1 0 0 1 0

Sandel 3b 3 0 0 0 0 1 2 3

Kulis rf 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0

Gunning pr 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0

Lighthart dp 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0

Hollister c 2 0 0 0 0 0 7 2

Bannister ph 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Gerster lf 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 2 1 0 0 1 1

Jones 2b 2 1 1 0 0 0 2 1

Hollister c 2 0 0 0 0 1 2 0

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Corr	ss	3	2	2	0	0	1	3	3
Jasionowski	lf	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	1
Sandel	3b	2	2	1	0	1	0	1	2
Kulis	rf	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Lighthart	dp	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jones	ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delardo	1b	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hollister	c	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mayrhofer	cf	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Dawson	p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		25	6	4	2	2	18	6	

Bucknell	400	020						
UMBC	300	311						

March 31, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-3
LaSalle-4

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

Gombos 2b 5 0 1 0 0 0 5 8

Corr ss 5 1 1 0 0 0 4 3

Jasionowski lf 5 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 1 0 2 2 4 5

Kulis rf 4 0 1 1 0 1 1 1

Gunning pr 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Lighthart dp 5 1 2 0 0 1 0 0

Hollister c 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Bannister ph 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Delardo 1b 3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0

Mayrhofer cf 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Love p 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0

Totals 38 3 9 3 2 9 30 23

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March 29, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-5
Cornell-3

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Gombos 2b 5 0 1 0 0 0 5 8

Corr ss 5 1 1 0 0 0 4 3

Jasionowski lf 5 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 1 0 2 2 4 5

Kulis rf 4 0 1 1 0 1 1 1

Gunning pr 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Lighthart dp 5 1 2 0 0 1 0 0

Hollister c 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Bannister ph 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Delardo 1b 3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0

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Love p 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0

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Jasionowski lf 5 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 1 0 2 2 4 5

Kulis rf 4 0 1 1 0 1 1 1

Gunning pr 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Hollister c 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Bannister ph 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Jasionowski lf 5 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0

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Kulis rf 4 0 1 1 0 1 1 1

Gunning pr 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Hollister c 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Bannister ph 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Jasionowski lf 5 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0

Sandel 3b 3 1 1 0 2 2 4 5

Kulis rf 4 0 1 1 0 1 1 1

Gunning pr 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Lighthart dp 5 1 2 0 0 1 0 0

Hollister c 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Bannister ph 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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Mayrhofer cf 4 0 2 2 0 1 6 2

Love p 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0

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Bucknell-6								
Townsend	5							

April 2, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-6
Townsend-5

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

Gombos 2b 3 0 0 0 1 0 1 5

Corr ss 4 2 3 0 0 1 4 3

Jasionowski lf 1 2 2 0 0 0 0 0

Sandel 3b 4 1 2 3 0 0 0 0

Kulis rf 3 0 1 1 0 0 0 0

Hollister c 4 1 2 1 0 1 4 0

Lighthart dp 3 0 0 0 0 0 12 0

Hollister c 3 0 1 0 1 0 0 2

Jones 2b 3 0 1 0 1 0 0 2

Mayrhofer cf 4 0 2 1 0 1 0 0

Love p 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0

Totals 32 6 13 6 3 3 21 14

R H E

Bucknell 004 002 0 6 132

Townsend 000 001 4 5 7 2

April 1, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-4
Lafayette-5

Pos AB R H RBI BB SO PO A

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Lady Bison sweep Mt. St. Mary's

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bucknell softball team improved its record to 10-14 after going 4-3 this past week. After sweeping a doubleheader with Mount St. Mary's (9-1, 10-0), the Bison sandwiched an extra-inning loss to LaSalle (4-3) in between splits with Maryland, Baltimore County (2-1, 6-8) and Towson State (6-5, 0-10).

The Bison ripped Mount St. Mary's pitching for 19 runs in two games, while Bucknell pitchers Allison Love '95 and Heidi Dawson '95 combined to yield only one run in those two games. Third baseman Kristen Sandel '98 led the offensive barrage in the doubleheader, racking up four hits, three runs, and three RBI's. Tri-captain shortstop Kelly Corr '95 also had a fine series, picking up 4 RBI's to go along with her 4 stolen bases. Bucknell performed well against a strong UMBC (20-8) team, split-

ting up the doubleheader.

Love continued her strong pitching, giving up only one earned run in eight innings. Jen Jasionowski '97 led the team with three hits against UMBC pitching, while driving in the game-winning run in the bottom of the eighth inning in Bucknell's 2-1 triumph.

The toughest loss of the week came at the hands of a 14-10 LaSalle team in 11 innings. The Bison were unable to benefit from yet another impressive performance by Love, who gave up only two earned runs in 10 innings. LaSalle took full advantage of its two unearned runs, using them to tie up the game in the seventh inning, and eventually winning the game on an unearned run. Casey Hollister '96 went two-four, with a double and two RBI's.

Following this past week of play, Corr leads the team in hits, runs, and stolen bases, while Sandel leads the team in RBI's and triples.



Bucknellian file photo

Tri-captain Kelly Corr '95 keeps her eyes on the batter as she awaits a ground ball. The softball team went 4-3 last week with two wins over Mt. St. Mary's, and doubleheader splits with Maryland, Baltimore County and Towson St., to up its record to 10-14.

Bison Calendar

April 8 - 13

Baseball

Sat. 8 V. ARMY 12:00 p.m.
Sun. 9 V. ARMY 12:00 p.m.

Softball

Sat. 8 at Army 1:00 p.m.
Sun. 9 at Fordham 1:00 p.m.
Thur. 13 V. LAFAYETTE 3:30 p.m.

Men's Lacrosse

Sat. 8 V. RADFORD 1:00 p.m.

Women's Lacrosse

Sat. 8 at Lehigh 1:00 p.m.
Sun. 9 V. RICHMOND 12:00 p.m.

Track and Field

Sat. 8 V. TEMPLE, TOWSON STATE, UMBC DELAWARE, KUTZ-TOWN, DUSQUENE, MORAVIAN

Men's Tennis

Sat. 8 at Holy Cross 1:00 p.m.
Sun. 9 at Fordham
Tue. 11 at Delaware 3:30 p.m.

Golf

Sat. 8 at Navy Invitational
Tue. 11 V. F&M, ST. BONAVENTURE 1:00 p.m.

Crew

Sat. 8 at LaSalle Invitational Regatta



Bucknellian file photo

Graham Officer '95 tries to steer away from opponents in an earlier game this season. The Bison defeated Canisius and Holy Cross in the past week to improve its record to 4-1.

Lacrosse off to its fastest start in 16 years

BY FRANK THOMPSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bison picked up a pair of wins this week, notching a victory over Canisius, 13-10, and pounding Patriot League foe, Holy Cross, by a 17-4 count. The two wins lifted Bucknell's record to 4-1, 1-1 in Patriot League. The fast start is the best since the 1979 squad began its season with a 4-1 mark.

Allan Donnelly '96 scored four goals and added an assist in the Canisius win. Donnelly also re-

corded a goal and a pair of assists in the Holy Cross win, giving him 12 goals and seven assists this season to lead the team.

Bucknell's balanced scoring attack is also led by Jon Methven '96 who scored two goals in both games this week and added a pair of assists in the win over Canisius. Methven is second on the team in scoring with 13 goals and three assists.

Dan Kelley '96 rounds out the top three scorers on the squad. Kelley scored two goals against Holy Cross and recorded an assist

in the Canisius win to raise his season total to seven goals and three assists.

Bucknell's defense has also been stellar this season, allowing only 8.6 goals per game and less than 22 shots per game. Team captain, Hugh Donovan '96, anchors the Bison defense and has been a major reason for the team's defensive success. Another cornerstone of the Bison defense has been freshman goalie Mark Stirpe '98, who owns a save percentage of .506 and a goals against average of 8.69 goals per game.

NFL NOTES

Watters comes home to Eagles

BY MARTY BRILL
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Ricky Watters, a native of Harrisburg, Pa is coming home.

Watters has chosen to return to Pennsylvania to continue his football career with the Philadelphia Eagles. This decision came after the Eagles offered him \$6.9 million contract for 3 years. Watters, the former starting half-back for the World Champion San Francisco 49ers, did not get the deal matched by the 49ers. The 49ers were very interested in re-signing Watters, however, they were also concerned about his high price tag given the salary cap. Watters has been eager to return to Pennsylvania, but the real decision came purely from where he would get more money.

In the world we live in today, greed has become extremely common. Watter's decision to head for home was also a decision to kiss the five time Champs good-bye. In this case there was an issue of loyalty sell-out for more money, and the opportunity to return home. Former 49ers receiver and front office man Dwight Clark said, "Ricky is the most selfish player in football today, and it has greatly affected his relationships on our team." This came before the deal was complete. 49ers President, Carmen Policy said, "In many cases, players wanted to get the money while there was still some left and before teams started to run out."

Look for Watters to settle in and have an immediate impact as the starting half-back.

The Eagles were forced to release Herschel Walker to make room for Watter's hefty salary. Walker signed a three year, \$4.8 million dollar deal with the New York Giants. Walker is also returning home in a sense-he played in the Meadowlands as a rookie in 1983 for the New Jersey Generals of the USFL. Walker will be used to fill the loss of Dave Meggett who was sent to New England. He will primarily be a third down back, as well as a receiver out of the backfield.

News, Notes, and Predictions in the area:

Other free agents coming and going in the area: Broderick Thompson leaves Philly and signs with Denver, Eric Green leaves Pittsburgh and signs with Miami, Eric Allen leaves Philly and signs with New Orleans.

Draft rumors have been floating around concerning Penn State stars Ki-Jana Carter, Kerry Collins and Kyle Brady. The Steelers are interested in upgrading their first round (24th pick) selection by trading up to have a shot at Brady.

The expansion Jacksonville Jaguars may be interested in using their first round (2nd pick) selection on either Carter or Collins as well as other candidates. The Vikings are pursuing Carter, but they would have to trade way up in the draft to secure him.

We may hear trade rumors about former All-Pro running back Barry Foster. Watch to see if he is involved in a trade that would help the Steelers upgrade their first round pick to get Brady. If Foster is traded watch Byron "Bam" Morris earn himself a trip to the Pro Bowl for the first time.

For the Eagles to be competitive in 1995, Randall Cunningham must go. They need a franchise quarterback with some decent leadership qualities, and it is definitely time to stop waiting for Randall. Randall is still a superstar quarterback and may end up having more All-Pro years, but do not look for him to win the big one.

The off season has been a busy one. Don't look for it to slow down at all. There are still plenty of free agents available, and this year's draft should be much better than last. The state of football is changing; will the changes be good? 1995 will answer this and many other questions.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Which NHL coach has collected the most career wins?
2. Who has scored the most points in a single NCAA Div. I women's basketball game?
3. Can you name the PGA golfer who raked in almost \$1.5 million last year?
4. Who holds the world record in the men's triple jump?
5. Who holds the American League record for the longest hitting streaks?

Answers:

1. Scott Bowman - (878); 2. Cindy Brown collected 60 for Long Beach State v. San Jose State in 1987; 3. Nick Price; 4. Willie Banks - 58 ft. 11.5 in.; 5. (1941) Joe Dimaggio - 56 games

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Eric Shortz, Sports Editor

Lady Bison sweep
Mt. St. Mary's

BY JEFF CAMPAGNA
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bucknell softball team improved its record to 10-14 after going 4-3 this past week. After sweeping a doubleheader with Mount St. Mary's (9-1, 10-0), the Bison sandwiched an extra-inning loss to LaSalle (4-3) in between splits with Maryland, Baltimore County (2-1, 6-8) and Towson State (6-5, 0-10).

The Bison ripped Mount St. Mary's pitching for 19 runs in two games, while Bucknell pitchers Allison Love '95 and Heidi Dawson '95 combined to yield only one run in those two games. Third baseman Kristen Sandel '98 led the offensive barrage in the doubleheader, racking up four hits, three runs, and three RBI's. Tri-captain shortstop Kelly Corr '95 also had a fine series, picking up 4 RBI's to go along with her 4 stolen bases. Bucknell performed well against a strong UMBC (20-8) team, split-

ting up the doubleheader.

Love continued her strong pitching, giving up only one earned run in eight innings. Jen Jasionowski '97 led the team with three hits against UMBC pitching, while driving in the game-winning run in the bottom of the eighth inning in Bucknell's 2-1 triumph.

The toughest loss of the week came at the hands of a 14-10 LaSalle team in 11 innings. The Bison were unable to benefit from yet another impressive performance by Love, who gave up only two earned runs in 10 innings. LaSalle took full advantage of its two unearned runs, using them to tie up the game in the seventh inning, and eventually winning the game on an unearned run. Casey Hollister '96 went two-four, with a double and two RBI's.

Following this past week of play, Corr leads the team in hits, runs, and stolen bases, while Sandel leads the team in RBI's and triples.



Bucknellian file photo

Tri-captain Kelly Corr '95 keeps her eyes on the batter as she awaits a ground ball. The softball team went 4-3 last week with two wins over Mt. St. Mary's, and doubleheader splits with Maryland-Baltimore County and Towson St., to up its record to 10-14.

Bison Calendar

April 8 - 13

Baseball

Sat. 8	V. ARMY	12:00 p.m.
Sun. 9	V. ARMY	12:00 p.m.

Softball

Sat. 8	at Army	1:00 p.m.
Sun. 9	at Fordham	1:00 p.m.
Thur. 13	V. LAFAYETTE	3:30 p.m.

Men's Lacrosse

Sat. 8	V. RADFORD	1:00 p.m.
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Women's Lacrosse

Sat. 8	at Lehigh	1:00 p.m.
Sun. 9	V. RICHMOND	12:00 p.m.

Track and Field

Sat. 8	V. TEMPLE, TOWSON STATE, UMBC DELAWARE, KUTZ-TOWN, DUSQUE, MORAVIAN	
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Men's Tennis

Sat. 8	at Holy Cross	1:00 p.m.
Sun. 9	at Fordham	
Tue. 11	at Delaware	3:30 p.m.

Golf

Sat. 8	at Navy Invitational	
Tue. 11	V. F&M, ST. BONAVENTURE	1:00 p.m.

Crew

Sat. 8	at LaSalle Invitational Regatta	
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Bucknellian file photo

Graham Officer '95 tries to steer away from opponents in an earlier game this season. The Bison defeated Canisius and Holy Cross in the past week to improve its record to 4-1.

Lacrosse off to its fastest start in 16 years

BY FRANK THOMPSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bison picked up a pair of wins this week, notching a victory over Canisius, 13-10, and pounding Patriot League foe, Holy Cross, by a 17-4 count. The two wins lifted Bucknell's record to 4-1, 1-1 in Patriot League. The fast start is the best since the 1979 squad began its season with a 4-1 mark.

Allan Donnelly '96 scored four goals and added an assist in the Canisius win. Donnelly also re-

corded a goal and a pair of assists in the Holy Cross win, giving him 12 goals and seven assists this season to lead the team.

Bucknell's balanced scoring attack is also led by Jon Methven '96 who scored two goals in both games this week and added a pair of assists in the win over Canisius. Methven is second on the team in scoring with 13 goals and three assists.

Dan Kelley '96 rounds out the top three scorers on the squad. Kelley scored two goals against Holy Cross and recorded an assist

in the Canisius win to raise his season total to seven goals and three assists.

Bucknell's defense has also been stellar this season, allowing only 8.6 goals per game and less than 22 shots per game. Team captain, Hugh Donovan '96, anchors the Bison defense and has been a major reason for the team's defensive success. Another cornerstone of the Bison defense has been freshman goalie Mark Sturpe '98, who owns a save percentage of .506 and a goals against average of 8.69 goals per game.

NFL NOTES

Watters comes home to Eagles

BY MARTY BRILL
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Ricky Watters, a native of Harrisburg, Pa is coming home.

Watters has chosen to return to Pennsylvania to continue his football career with the Philadelphia Eagles. This decision came after the Eagles offered him \$6.9 million contract for 3 years. Watters, the former starting half-back for the World Champion San Francisco 49ers, did not get the deal matched by the 49ers. The 49ers were very interested in re-signing Watters, however, they were also concerned about his high price tag given the salary cap. Watters has been eager to return to Pennsylvania, but the real decision came purely from where he would get more money.

In the world we live in today, greed has become extremely common. Watter's decision to head for home was also a decision to kiss the five time Champs good-bye. In this case there was an issue of loyalty sell-out for more money, and the opportunity to return home. Former 49ers receiver and front office man Dwight Clark said, "Ricky is the most selfish player in football today, and it has greatly affected his relationships on our team." This came before the deal was complete. 49ers President, Carmen Policy said, "In many cases, players wanted to get the money while there was still some left and before teams started to run out."

Look for Watters to settle in and have an immediate impact as the starting half-back.

The Eagles were forced to release Herschel Walker to make room for Watter's hefty salary. Walker signed a three year, \$4.8 million dollar deal with the New York Giants. Walker is also returning home in a sense—he played in the Meadowlands as a rookie in 1983 for the New Jersey Generals of the USFL. Walker will be used to fill the loss of Dave Meggett who was sent to New England. He will primarily be a third down back, as well as a receiver out of the backfield.

News, Notes, and Predictions in the area:

Other free agents coming and going in the area: Broderick Thompson leaves Philly and signs with Denver, Eric Green leaves Pittsburgh and signs with Miami, Eric Allen leaves Philly and signs with New Orleans.

Draft rumors have been floating around concerning Penn State stars Ki-Jana Carter, Kerry Collins and Kyle Brady. The Steelers are interested in upgrading their first round (24th pick) selection by trading up to have a shot at Brady.

The expansion Jacksonville Jaguars may be interested in using their first round (2nd pick) selection on either Carter or Collins as well as other candidates. The Vikings are pursuing Carter, but they would have to trade way up in the draft to secure him.

We may hear trade rumors about former All-Pro running back Barry Foster. Watch to see if he is involved in a trade that would help the Steelers upgrade their first round pick to get Brady. If Foster is traded watch Byron "Bam" Morris earn himself a trip to the Pro Bowl for the first time.

For the Eagles to be competitive in 1995, Randall Cunningham must go. They need a franchise quarterback with some decent leadership qualities, and it is definitely time to stop waiting for Randall. Randall is still a superstar quarterback and may end up having more All-Pro years, but do not look for him to win the big one.

The off season has been a busy one. Don't look for it to slow down at all. There are still plenty of free agents available, and this year's draft should be much better than last. The state of football is changing; will the changes be good? 1995 will answer this and many other questions.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Which NHL coach has collected the most career wins?
2. Who has scored the most points in a single NCAA Div. I women's basketball game?
3. Can you name the PGA golfer who raked in almost \$1.5 million last year?
4. Who holds the world record in the men's triple jump?
5. Who holds the American League record for the longest hitting streaks?

Answers:

1. Scott Bowman - (878); 2. Cindy Brown collected 60 for Long Beach State v. San Jose State in 1987; 3. Nick Price; 4. Willie Banks - 58 ft. 11.5 in.; 5. (1941) Joe Dimaggio - 56 games

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Forty percent chance of showers, high near 50.
Friday night—Mostly cloudy. Chance of sprinkles or flurries. Highs in the low to mid-40s.
Saturday—Increasing cloudiness. Lows in the 30s, highs near 50.
Sunday—Mostly sunny. Lows in the 30s, highs near 50.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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Smoke fogs University search and seizure policy

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Vincent DeCerio, director of Public Safety, said there has been a "marked increase" in the possession and use of marijuana and other illegal drugs on campus. The 11 incidents in the last four months, he says, "exceeds the total number of cases in the past three years."

Questioning reasons behind the increase may shed some light on the situation, but the one question some students are asking remains untouched and unanswered: Is Bucknell's search and seizure policy appropriate, and is it being used properly?

Bucknell's room search policy, as outlined by the Student Handbook, states that the University "reserves the right to enter any residence unit or room in an emergency or if there is reasonable cause to conclude that a violation of University policy, or state or federal law, is occurring."

Any member of the Residential Life or Public Safety staff may enter a student's room, with or without the occupant present, if they have reasonable suspicion that a violation is taking place.

In the recent cases dealing

with marijuana, the odor of marijuana and/or incense has provided Public Safety and Residential Life reasonable cause for entry into a student's room to conduct a plain view search.

Last week Public Safety officers and the Lewisburg Police reported to Carey House for the "possible odor of marijuana." Though no marijuana was found and no charges were filed, tweezers, a paper clip, and an ashtray were confiscated.

"It's ridiculous," said Ken Suenaga '97, the occupant of the room. "They searched my room, then asked permission."

Suenaga says his room was "clean" and that the items confiscated were not connected to the reported smell of marijuana. The 'butts,' he claims, were hand-rolled cigarette stubs and the odor was a combination of incense and tobacco smoke.

"I'm Buddhist," Suenaga said. "I do Za Zen and use incense. I don't leave it burning when I'm not there, so what was the violation? Where was the hazard?"

Suenaga said the search, and the report in the Safety Log was "slander without conviction."

Shane Tanzymore '95, who was in the room at the time of the search, said the reasonable proof was ridiculous. "An ashtray with

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Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian

Socialism anyone?

Erin Forbes and Connie Allen distributed information and literature on socialism in the Langone Center mall yesterday. Their table was supported by The Catalyst.

COI's new decision is to keep old policy

BY NICOLE COBBAN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Committee on Instruction (COI) announced a decision at the April Faculty Meeting not to propose a new policy regarding extracurricular activities.

The committee had been asked by President Sojka to discuss implementing a minimum GPA requirement in order for students to participate in extracurricular activities, particularly athletics. The question stemmed from an incident in which the Patriot League considered barring a football player from participating in games due to a low GPA. Although the Patriot League dropped their investigation, convinced that the student was making progress towards his degree, Sojka was not so easily satisfied.

In their April report at the faculty meeting, COI cited four general reasons for their decision: students are old enough to be able to make their own decisions about academics; the number of students in academic trouble is small; many other activities are beyond the committee's control; and enforcement would be difficult and uneven.

The committee added, however, that "coaches and advisors of extracurricular activities should be alert to students' academic problems, and they should urge a redirection of energies to the scholastic task where appropriate."

Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography and member of COI, felt there were several issues the debate addressed. Crucial to the discussion was the number one reason listed in the COI report to faculty: students are old enough to make their own decisions.

"I think the compelling argument was that we're dealing with people who are old enough to vote, old enough to own firearms, and old enough to drive cars,"



Amy McGee—The Bucknellian
 Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography, supports the COI decision regarding extracurricular activities. Marsh said, "If they want to make extensive choices which jeopardize their education, it's not our business."

Another concern which COI discussed was that student athletes, Marsh said, are "the most public students" and that as such, "they should match the standards of the University."

Also, COI had trouble distinguishing which activities would fall under the guidelines of extracurricular or co-curricular. Would a student participating in the French club have to meet a minimum GPA, like student athletes, in order to eat lunch at the French table?

COI concluded that there are so many activities outside the realm of governable activities, it would be unfair to restrict the one area of student life to which COI has access.

"The fact that we have access to one part of some of the students' outside classroom time doesn't mean that we should grab that," Marsh said.

In conducting their investigation, John Pyper, Associate Dean of Arts and sciences and a member of COI, conducted an informal survey of other schools' policies

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Students take 'action' in the community

BY NICOLE COBBAN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Lewisburg residents and Bucknell students need to reach out and touch someone said three students in the Anthropology in Action class who studied the relationship between town residents and student renters.

The students, Matthew Eng '97, Kristen Gardella '95, and Lynda Smith SP, chose to focus on a seven-block area of South Sixth, South Seventh, and St. Catherine streets for their semester-long project. After gathering information and assessing the problems, the team made several suggestions for improvement—communication being the major focus.

According to the report, "Students do not communicate to residents when they move in that they are new neighbors and, if there are ever any problems, their neighbors should give them a call. On the flip side, many residents do not approach students at the beginning of the year to do the same. A lack of communication represents a lack of understanding for each other's lifestyle, and leads the two parties to immediately suspect each other when something goes wrong."

Eng stated that many residents and student renters fail to recognize the differences between the two groups. "We have two very different types of people," Eng said. "They differ from very basic things—like what time they get up in the morning—to the very deep rooted things—



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Lynda Smith SP, Matthew Eng '97, and Kristen Gardella '97 investigated resident/student renter relationships for their Anthropology in Action project.

end and the morning after. The group distributed fliers to all the residents in the area and then interviewed students door-to-door.

According to Smith, the results of the project showed that residents and students were concerned with different issues.

"Residents complained about noise, litter, property damage, parking problems, fast driving, and bad language caused by the students," Smith said. "The students, on the other hand, complained about the lack of maintenance on their rental properties."

Smith also said that their investigation yielded several interesting

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What's your sign?

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

I love you. Good job. Okay. Yes. No. I don't know. All these phrases can be easily conveyed through simple sign language—universal in the hearing world as well as in deaf culture.

Several students decided for a variety of reasons that they want to know more. "Not being able to communicate is very tough. Having this on hand is helpful," said Katie Lavery '97.

Lavery is now taking Beginning American Sign Language taught by Dr. Samuel Slike, lecturer in modern language.

Slike, who has a bachelor's degree from Penn State University in deaf education, a masters degree in elementary education from the University of Scranton, and from Penn State University a doctorate in education administration, presently trains teachers of the deaf at Bloomsburg

University as well as working part time at Bucknell. Previously he taught at the Scranton State School for the Deaf.

Slike's goal in teaching this half credit course is "to familiarize students with deaf culture and the use of sign language on a basic level and to get students to the point that they feel comfortable communicating with deaf people."

Slike co-authored the "visual book" used in his class. Along with a traditional workbook, there is an interactive video disk text available in the library. "With this book you can actually see the movements," Slike said. The technology is used on the Macintosh computer with a laser disk player.

Slike considers this technology "part of the appeal of the class." Though this video disk is "state of the art" as Slike said he wants to begin working on a CD-ROM for the same subject.

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Dr. Samuel Slike, lecturer in modern language, instructs his sign language class.

COI re-evaluates final evaluations schedule

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

In an effort to provide students with more than one day of reading period, the Committee on Instruction (COI) proposes to change final exam schedule, said Laura Stilson '96, a member of COI.

COI proposes to cancel the final exam during the 7-10 p.m. time slot on Friday of the first exam week, adding a final exam to Thursday, the last day of finals. This proposal accounts for the Jewish Sabbath, and attempts to decrease exams in the first few days. It does not change the total number of periods available—students will not have more back-to-

back exams.

Additionally, COI proposes that no assignments, other than routine quizzes, lab reports, and homework worth less than five percent of the total course grade may be due or administered during the last two days of the semester.

Ben Marsh, associate professor of geography, and a member of COI said the committee recognized that besides faculty members scheduling "significant work" during the last few days of the semester, exams on the Jewish Sabbath are a problem. "It has been a major contributor to the pressure on students during the beginning

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facts: only two of the 13 residents interviewed had heard of the Town/Gown Committee; three of the 13 residents said they would call their students neighbors if there were problems, the other ten said they would call the police first, because either they didn't know their neighbors or they were afraid of them, especially if they were drinking.

At a recent Town/Gown meeting, the team members offered several suggestions to improve relations, including: an off-campus student representative on the Town/Gown Committee; a block party or pot luck dinner for the area to be held at the beginning of the fall semester; enforcement of the borough ordinance against more than three unrelated persons living in a single housing unit; more careful screening of off-campus applicants by the University; and a campus newsletter.

During the same meeting, Joe LaFalce '95 reported on a proposed group, Coalition for Bucknellians and Lewisburg Residents (COBLER) which the Bucknell Student Government (BSG) had suggested.

The idea, LaFalce said, originated from the fact that BSG felt there was a "need for respectful communication."

According to the proposal, COBLER would include five students, including a representative from student government and three student renters, three community representatives, a faculty member, and a Bucknell adminis-

trator.

All of the members of the project felt that Town/Gown was receptive to the ideas they presented, partly because this is a problem they have been addressing for years.

"For years and years the Town/Gown Committee has been fighting the same battle—trying to improve the current situation—but nothing ever really changes," Gardella said. "I think they were very happy to hear that someone was taking the initiative to do an in-depth study that involved talking to the actual people affected by these problems."

Greaves felt the anthropology team had done "an excellent job in the time available during the semester. They laid the groundwork for further research that can exploit some of the good ideas that came out of this study."

Eng and Gardella have been granted a Knight Fellowship to continue their research this summer. Greaves will supervise the study, and said that Eng and Gardella would mostly be gathering information on what other universities do to improve relations between town residents and student renters.

"I very much look forward to the results of this summer's work," Greaves said. "The problems of Sixth and Seventh streets are repeated all over the nation in towns with colleges. Out there will be some good ideas we might not have thought of."

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regarding extracurricular activities. Of the 23 schools that responded, the results seemed random at best. Thirteen did not require a minimum GPA to participate in extracurricular activities, five required students to be in "good standing" to participate in sports only, and five required students to be in "good standing" to participate in any extracurricular or co-curricular activities.

However, Marsh says, there was no pattern to the policies. "It was not the best institutions that were the most rigorous nor were they the loosest," Marsh said. "What that said to us is that there's no obvious policy about it and we should make our best decision."

The issue of extracurricular activities opens up a broader question in which students become caught between opposing view points. While the COI decision looked only at students in academic trouble, the problem of prioritizing academics and extracurricular activities constantly arises for students. The University maintains a strict policy of stressing academics as a student's first priority, however employers consistently look for the "well-rounded" student.

"The University's goal is not to make the most employable students," Marsh said. "The University's goal is to provide a strong education."

However, according to Pam Keiser, associate director of the Career Development Center, employers are "weighing" extracurricular activities and summer internships more heavily now than in previous years. The result, Keiser says, leaves students "in a hard place."

But the solution may lie in careful planning on the student's part. "I think that students need to make a responsible and well thought-out decision," Keiser said. "Extracurriculars certainly play a part in a well-balanced experience here at Bucknell, but they need to choose their obligations wisely."

Wendy Esham '95 agrees. As a leader in several campus organizations, Esham supports the COI decision that students should be able to decide for themselves.

"I think it's up to the student to find a balance," Esham said. "Everybody knows how much they can and cannot do. It's very difficult for some people to find that balance at times, but it's all a question of you knowing your limits."

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—Wendy Esham '95

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Thursday, April 6

A student in Vedder reported that someone had tampered with his room door lock causing him to be unable to open his door. The door was forced open by Public Safety Officers and a locksmith was notified to repair lock.

Saturday, April 8

Public Safety Officers responded to Kress hall for a report of a person lying on the bathroom floor on the fourth floor. Officers found a visitor there who was alert but intoxicated. Lewisburg Police responded to Kress and charges were filed against the visitor for underage drinking. Further investigation revealed that a student who is of legal age had furnished the alcohol to the minor. External charges are pending against that student.

Officers responded to Harris hall for a fire alarm activation and found that unknown person(s) had discharged an extinguisher on the first floor for no reason.

Officers were on patrol in the Seventh Street area and noticed a female carrying a clear cup containing beer. When the female was questioned, it was determined that she was a student and was under the age of 21. Student received a citation for underage drinking.

Sunday, April 9

A Public Safety Officer responded to Tustin Gym for a report of a broken window. The Officer found that a window in the exterior door facing the Gateways had been broken at an unknown time. Work order filed to repair.

At approximately 10:15 p.m., Public Safety received a call from an R.A. in Swartz Hall concerning a student who had injured himself and needed medical assistance. An ambulance and police were also notified. Student was transported to Evangelical Hospital where he was treated and admitted. Student is satisfactory. The cause of the injury is presently under investigation by East Buffalo Township Police and Public Safety.

Monday, April 10

Administrative Services reported that the license plate on the mail room van had been stolen sometime during the weekend.

An Elaine Langone Center custodian advised that there was an individual crawling in the ceiling above the Bostwick dining room. A thorough check of the area was conducted but the subject was not located.

Tuesday, April 11

A Physical Plant employee reported to Public Safety that a Brown Radio Shack tape player was missing from the press box at the Stadium.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted.

Beginning Friday April 14

Campus Theater tickets make great Easter basket stuffers!!

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Walking in the President's shadow

On Wednesday April 12, I followed President Adams throughout his day and, despite having just stepped into the presidency a month ago, he carried himself like a seasoned Bucknellian. Even though the position was much sought after, there are few who would envy the daily grind of the endless meetings and greetings. I found myself exhausted trying to match his pace for what is just another average day in the life of a college president...

All photos by Nicole Cobban



Above left: President Adams and George Kester, professor of management, proceed toward the Langone Center for a dinner with students and faculty.

Above right: Trustee Ted Ammon, Adams, and Michael Moore, associate professor of economics, sit in the Presidential Dining Room.

Right: Adams used his free lunch time to run a few miles before returning to another busy afternoon.



Left: President Adams and Jerry Rackoff, director of advancement services and special university events, discuss plans for the upcoming inauguration.

Right: The meeting of the executive minds. Scott Charles, BSG president, and Adams share reactions to Tuesday night's BSG faculty/student forum.



Wednesday, April 12, 1995

- 5 a.m. Wake-up, work at home
- 8 a.m. Get to the office
- 8:30 a.m. Meeting with Joan D'Angelo re: board meeting
- 9 a.m. Meeting with Karen Crays, R.N. for insurance policy testing
- 9:30 a.m. Meeting with Jerry Rackoff re: Inaugural planning
- 11 a.m. Meeting with Robb Frederick, *The Daily Item* interview
- 12 p.m. Jogging followed by lunch
- 1:30 p.m. Meeting with Scott Charles '96, BSG President
- 2:30 p.m. Meeting with Helen Morris-Keitel, modern languages
- 3 p.m. Committee on Instruction subcommittee on Admissions & Financial Aid, Freas Lounge
- 4 p.m. Meeting with Kevin Kaminski '95, chair, Committee on Complementary Activities
- 5:15 p.m. Meeting with Trustee Ted Ammon
- 5:30 p.m. Dinner with Ted Ammon, management faculty & students, President's Dining Room
- 6:30 p.m. Tour management department, Taylor Hall
- 7 p.m. Attend management class for Lecture by Ted Ammon, Taylor Hall
- 10 p.m. Head home
- 11 p.m. Bedtime

ANALYSIS

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paper in it, a towel on the floor behind the door, a paper clip and some tweezers. Are guys not allowed to have tweezers and paper clips? And can't a towel fall from the rack bolted to the back of the door?" Tanzymore asked.

He also said that putting his name in the Safety Log was "malicious and uncalled for."

"I have an X on my chest. It's like a scarlet letter," Tanzymore said. "My name was put in the Security Log and people just assume I got busted."

A plain view search that meets with no evidence does not necessarily conclude an investigation. A formal search may be conducted with the student's permission. If the student refuses, and the staff member present has "reason to believe" that a violation has been committed, a formal search may be conducted with authorization from the dean of students.

Members of the University staff are encouraged, but not required, to have other witnesses present during a search.

Scott Kachmarik, assistant director of Residential Life, said that it is not always possible to have staff members present "when you happen upon a situation by yourself." In such cases "you use your best judgment on how to handle the situation."

Gerald Commerford, associate dean of students, said that he strongly advises having witnesses, though it is not a written rule. Saying that he trusted the staff to make wise decisions and truthful observations, Commerford said that such a rule is not necessary.

But what happens when, in one of those rare situations, a staff member is alone during a search, and conflicting stories concerning the search result? Whose account is taken as truth—a member of the University staff or a student accused of wrongdoing?

Shaun Nanavati '95 was found guilty of internal charges stemming from a search that took place before Spring Break. Nanavati admits his guilt regarding possession of marijuana and paraphernalia, but questions the methods used in obtaining the items. His version of what happened conflicted with Kachmarik's, who conducted the search. Kachmarik was alone with Nanavati during the search, and said in a report that Nanavati consented to the search.

Nanavati disagreed, asking "why would I consent if I didn't have to, and I was in possession? It's ludicrous."

"Everybody is entitled to their own opinion," Kachmarik said. "The outcome of the hearing confirmed that it was done properly."

In addition to performing 20 hours of community service and

writing a paper, Nanavati's sanctions included a mandate to write a letter to *The Bucknellian* explaining the consequences of his violation. Nanavati refused to write the letter, saying "I broke their law and will graciously serve the community. They can give me 20 lashes if they like, but I will not write what I don't believe. If they're going to kick me out, fine. It's their prerogative."

DeCerio and Commerford maintain that every search has been done 'by the book' and in accordance with the housing contract signed by on-campus residents. But in questioning the University's methods, it is not the manner of the search but the merit of 'the book' they follow that should be scrutinized.

Kachmarik acknowledged that there was a "difference between a person's constitutional rights and contractual rights," but said the two were not in conflict. But when the gray area of 'reasonable cause' encompasses the smell of incense or the sight of a candle as justification to enter and search a student's room, have constitutional rights as a citizen been pushed aside by the contractual rights of the University?

As a resident of University housing, every on-campus student is required to sign the contract, but do students realize that their rights as students are not the same rights they hold as citizens? That the same protections offered by state and federal law are not necessarily offered by the University?

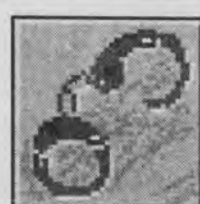
Suenaga said the procedures followed in the search of his room surprised him because he was not aware of what the University, by the book, was allowed to do.

The number of cases involving drugs have undeniably increased, but why? Has consumption increased, or are students less cautious about the odor? Are students, frustrated by the smell, turning in hallmates? Or is the University cracking down on a growing problem?

Nanavati called the latest action a witchhunt, but DeCerio said that fellow students are initiating the investigations by reporting the smell of marijuana. "In most of these cases, the odor of marijuana is so strong, distinct, and permeating that it can easily be detected on the hall floor," DeCerio said. "We're not looking for it. It comes looking for us."

Denying that the University is involved in a drug crackdown on campus, Commerford said "Residential Life is not involved in a covert operation to ferret out drug users. It is the behavior that is reported by other students that triggers the investigation, not University policies."

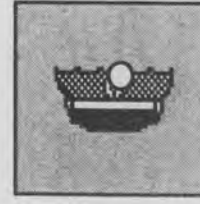
Search and Seizure Survey



Yes 38%

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No 40% No Comment 22%



Yes 44%

Do you think the University should be allowed to conduct full searches of rooms, given reasonable cause, with the occupant present?

No 50% No Comment 6%



Yes 26%

Do you think that marijuana should be legalized?

No 30% No Comment 44%

Results based on a telephone survey of 50 randomly selected students. Survey conducted by Ali Leslie '98. Graphic by Nicole Cobban '95.

FINALS

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of finals," Marsh said.

"We are proposing an adjustment... somewhat short of the draconian Dead Week of the past."

Marsh said this measure provides more time for students to prepare for finals, permitting them to pay better attention to other people's classes during the last year. He added that it does not "severely distort faculty's ability to give a third hourly or have an assignment due near the end of the semester."

Stilson wrote the proposal because there was a feeling among students that a one-day reading period does not provide enough time to prepare for final exams, especially those on the Thursday and Friday immediately following the reading day. Exams and comprehensive papers in some

courses during the last two days of class exacerbated the problem, Stilson said.

"It truly restricted students to that one reading day," she said.

Although the faculty will not vote to accept the proposal until September 1995, the Bucknell Student Government (BSG) voted informally on April 2 on COI's proposal options. A majority of students attending the meeting favored a Wednesday reading day with no morning exams Thursday, one of the options COI had discussed but ultimately did not endorse.

If the faculty votes to change the exam schedule, Marsh said, it may affect the Fall 1995 exam schedule, but would definitely impact the Spring '96 calendar and subsequent semesters.

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News Briefs

World News

Iraq hides biological warfare effort

The United Nations official who is monitoring Iraq's weapons of mass destruction said in a report on Monday that Baghdad might have been concealing a biological warfare program since the late 1980's.

In a six-month review of Iraqi compliance with Security Council resolutions on weapons control imposed in 1991 after the Persian Gulf war, the official, Rolf Ekeus, said that Iraqi missile systems and chemical warfare agents were accounted for under a functioning surveillance system.

But Ekeus, who heads a special commission created by the Security Council to destroy or account for Iraqi arms, came closer than he has in the past to saying that the presence of large quantities of imported media for growing bacteria indicated the possibility that Iraq was making biological weapons.

The Ekeus report will deal a blow to Iraq's hopes of winning an early easing of sanctions that prohibit Baghdad from selling oil until it has met all requirements to abolish weapons and cooperate with the monitoring system.

—The New York Times

National News

Trump to sell Plaza Hotel to foreign investors

The Plaza Hotel, long a symbol of luxury and grandeur in New York and more recently the crown jewel in Donald J. Trump's shaky business empire, is being sold to two of the world's richest men: a Saudi Arabian Prince and one of Singapore's leading entrepreneurs.

The price for the landmark at 59th Street and Fifth Avenue near Central Park is said to be about \$325 million—some \$75 million less than Mr. Trump paid for it in 1988.

While he will retain a say in the hotel's operations as a minority partner, Mr. Trump's surrender of control is a defeat for the real estate and casino developer who in the heady days of the late 1980's proclaimed the Plaza "the ultimate trophy in the world."

—The New York Times

C.I.A. asks Congress for \$19 million

The C.I.A. has asked Congress for \$19 million next year to continue covert operations to destabilize Iraq and to curb what the Administration calls Iran's expansionist ambitions.

The operations, with about \$15 million to be spent on Iraq and about \$4 million on Iran, are designed to support the Clinton Administration's state policy goal of "dual containment."

The policy is aimed at weakening but not specifically overthrowing Iraq's President, Saddam Hussein; keeping together an anti-Iraq coalition at the United Nations, and strangling Iran's economy as it tries to rebuild its military muscle.

—The New York Times

Other Campuses

Yale transfer student accused of deception

Lon Grammer boasted top-notch credentials when he transferred to Yale from a California community college two years ago: a nearly perfect grade-point average of 3.9, a high class rank, and laudatory recommendation letters from two college instructors and a dean.

But a month before Grammer is to graduate from the Ivy League university with a political science degree, he has been expelled, and is to be arraigned next week on charges that he took \$61,475 in educational loans and scholarships under false pretenses.

The news of the accusation has caused a stir around Yale's campus, with students asking a simple question: Is it possible that a person could completely fabricate an academic background without anyone at Yale's admission's office noticing?

The other thing that has struck many people is that Grammer managed to become a B student at a university as prestigious as Yale even though he had only C grades while attending Cuesta Community College in San Luis Obispo, Calif.

—The New York Times

Students protest a university's newspaper

Students at DePaul University, in the sixth day of a sit-in at the offices of the campus newspaper, said Monday that they would continue their protest over language and news coverage that they consider demeaning to African-Americans.

The protesters said that the paper perpetuated negative stereotypes about black students in an article about a disturbance at a dance sponsored by a black student group.

The article relied exclusively on "M-B" for black males or females and "M-W" or "F-W" for white males or females. The students argued that the use of the term perpetuated degrading stereotypes.

The newspaper's editor, Zack Martin, said last week that he stood by the article. The university administration, however, decided to prohibit the newspaper from publishing until its staff agreed to some of the protesters' demands. A spokeswoman for the university, Leda Hanin, said Monday that the decision not to publish "was an agreement" between the administration and the newspaper staff members.

—The New York Times

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

LIFESTYLES

International students weave Bucknell into diverse tapestry

BY DEBORAH ASTIN

India. Japan. Turkey. Spain. Like an exquisite tapestry woven with brilliant strands from all over the globe, Bucknell University weaves international students from all over the world throughout its student body.

The reasons for these students coming to the University are as diverse as the students themselves, and their first initiation into the fiber of Bucknell life binds them to the fabric of the community.

Venkatesh "Benky" Rajaraman GR is from Bombay, India. He heard about the University through one of his friends. Rajaraman is here studying for his Masters in Chemical Engineering.

While at Bucknell, Rajaraman wants to help other international students with their transition to the campus. He applied to work at Orientation next year. "The Orientation week helped me build a good relationship with the institution and the students," Rajaraman said.

"It was difficult for me in the beginning because it was a different environment," Rajaraman said. "I came from an institution where I knew practically everyone; it was difficult having no friends at all here."

In addition, Rajaraman had not been out of Bombay in twenty years. "I needed an Orientation Program to get to know others," Rajaraman said. "Susan Zingale-Baird and other graduate students helped me a lot." Zingale-Baird is the International Student and Study Abroad Advisor.

According to Rajaraman, "The

environment here is a lot more informal than in India. However, Bucknell students need more awareness about those who are not from the same culture." Rajaraman mentioned alcohol and the behaviors some students acquire after drinking as an American cultural practice with which he has difficulty meshing. "It is awkward to see students act certain ways," Rajaraman said.

Sometimes it takes more than one stitch before the true patterns can emerge. Keiko "Kay" Asada, a student here for one year from Japan, said that relating to Americans was different than relating to her from her own culture. "In America, people say hi but don't continue the conversation," Asada said. "In Japan, people don't talk as much, but when they do, they talk for awhile."

Although she was born in Japan, Asada had been to America several times before her enrollment at Bucknell. As a business major, she came to Bucknell through a management exchange program on campus; Bucknell was the only school that she knew of offered this program. Asada also credits the Orientation Program with helping her adjust to and feel comfortable at Bucknell. "In the beginning I was worried about making friends," said Asada, "but I think Bucknell handles international students well because it is a small school."

Asada said she is pleased with the activities the international office provides for international students. She said, "I have a host family in the community, and they help me feel connected, especially

during the holidays."

It is only when the various threads are blended and knotted together on the underside that the tapestry will not unravel. Asada feels there should be more interaction between international and American students on campus so that American students can better understand different cultures.

"In Japan, the job market is bad," said Asada, "especially for females. There are equal opportunities, but women are still expected to fulfill traditional roles and get married after a few years of employment. Because I'm not going back until the end of the semester, I'm already behind in my job search."

Asada spends most of her time trying to keep up with her "extensive" workload. "There is so much reading," she said, adding, "I only get between four and five hours of sleep each night."

Each strand provides a unique reason for being in the complete tapestry, but occasionally there are snags which may break the threads.

Vadim Turkoglu '98 came to Bucknell from Istanbul, Turkey, precisely because an American education was considered preferable to a Turkish education. Turkoglu heard about Bucknell through his friends.

Turkoglu was in the United States attending high school for three years before he enrolled at Bucknell. He is a member of the swim team and an intern at the Office of Student Activities.

"If more financial aid were available for international students, there would be more stu-

dents here from other countries," Turkoglu said. "There are no direct scholarships for international students. Inflation in Turkey rose 150% in one year; students can not come to Bucknell when faced with that kind of economy."

Turkoglu came to Bucknell because he felt the Economics and Management majors were superior. "However," he said, "I would argue that the Engineering and Science majors are better in Turkey."

As the strands are woven together over a period of time, they create the overall picture. David Barneda '96 believes that it is being in a different environment that "prompts you to do a lot more work than you do when you're in your own environment." Barneda, originally from Spain, has been in the United States since 1988; he came to Bucknell to major in Art and International Relations.

Barneda feels "there is a strong international community here at Bucknell," but his views of community extend beyond the Bucknell campus.

"I don't focus on ethnic diversity," said Barneda, "because I believe everyone is different. In Spain, everyone was Spanish, yet everyone was different. You need people from different backgrounds for different ideas which foster exchange on many levels."

All people are human beings, and Barneda feels each has something to give the other. Each person adds to the canvas. He said, "Jobs and money don't mean anything if you can't provide something for other people."

Barneda considers himself a world citizen. However, he said, "You have to start small; connections take time. You plant a seed, and let it grow. Keep a positive attitude and be open."

Barneda believes in the bigger picture which includes strands of each person in the hands of a divine craftsman. Laughing, he said, "If you want to make God laugh, tell Him your plans."

All of these international students see themselves as important pieces of the whole—international threads adding individual colors and textures as they are woven throughout the traditional Bucknell tapestry.

Editors note: This is part two of a three part series on non-traditional students at Bucknell. See next week for another article.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

International student Keiko Asada, a business major, is a one-year student at Bucknell from Japan. She came to campus through a management exchange program.

A&E Calendar

Thursday, April 13
Women's Film Series: *In the Life—The Funny Tape*, 7:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center

Piano Recital: Marissa Fabio '95 and Christina Smith GR, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Film: *The River Wild*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Friday, April 14
Hilltop Film Series: *The Wicker Man*, Robin Hardy, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium

Saturday, April 15
International Festival: hosted by International Spectrum, 1-4 p.m., Terrace Room, Langone Center

Kappa Alpha Psi Step Show: 8 p.m., Davis Gym

Film: *I Love Trouble*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Monday, April 17
Lecture: "An Evening with Langston and Martin," actors Danny Glover and Felix Justice, 7 p.m., Wels Center

Traditional Japanese Tea Ceremony: Noriko Narita, instructor, Japanese and East

Asian Studies, 7:30 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center

Senior Composition Recital: Karissa Krenz and James Smith, 8:30 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Tuesday, April 18
Second Annual Women's Poetry Reading: Bucknell faculty, staff, and students, 7:30 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Gallery Series: Mikel Rouse, composer/performer, 8 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center

Lecture: "Women of the Water: Sirens and Undines From Homer to Giraudoux," Guy Tessier, professor of comparative literature, Universite Francois Rabelais, Tours, France, 8 p.m., Smith Library, Vaughan Literature Building

Wednesday, April 19
Lecture: "The Metamorphoses of Don Juan: From Tirso to Quebec Theatre," Guy Tessier, professor of comparative literature, Universite Francois Rabelais, Tours, France, 8 p.m., Smith Library, Vaughan Literature Building

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EDITORIAL

Why The Bucknellian won't help sanction students

The nature of a free press mandates that it have no ties to government. To be maximally effective, the press cannot be an arm of the law enforcement agencies in our society, nor can it aid the courts in sanctioning people for crimes.

The reasoning behind this stems from the idea that the press should serve as a chronicler of the communities it represents, retelling the outcomes of situations as a detached observer.

But for the past few semesters, the University Judicial Board has as one of its sanctions a requirement that forced students who broke University behavior codes to write a letter to the Editor of *The Bucknellian*. The goal of these letters was to educate the Bucknell community about the consequences of violating University regulations.

Concerning various campus crimes like discharging fire extinguishers, or misuse of campus computing systems, the letters were all alike: students said they had erred in judgment and can now, as a result of punishment, see the light.

The *Bucknellian* printed several of these letters without realizing they weren't voluntary attempts to educate the campus community, but punishments inflicted upon students by the University Judicial Board.

Without our realizing it, we were helping the University to punish students. We became the mouthpiece, of this University law enforcement agency.

Last week, the editorial staff of *The Bucknellian* decided we would publish no more letters to the Editor that are the result of University Judicial Board sanctions.

Our Letters page provides a forum for free campus expression. It is an arena in which members of the Bucknell community may share views on a variety of subjects, respond to articles and opinions pieces published in *The Bucknellian*, or try to educate others about any concerns they may have about numerous campus, local, state, national, and international issues.

The editorial board of *The Bucknellian* believes that individual opinion and a sincere desire to correct misconceptions or educate others, not an ulterior motive to satisfy requirements placed on authors from University administration, should spur these letters.

By sanctioning students in this way, the University Judicial Board implies that writing letters to the Editor is a punishment and that *The Bucknellian* is in some way connected with the Board. Also implicit in this sanction is the assumption that *The Bucknellian* has no better opinions pieces or letters to publish; that we will print any letter we

receive, regardless of authors' motives.

In no way is this the situation. *The Bucknellian* is an independent publication with no ties to the University Judicial System. We take no responsibility for the Board's decision in these cases.

In our society, writes Don R. Pember, author of *Mass Media Law*, the press is supposed to represent a neutral entity as it gathers and publishes news and information. When the government or anyone else intrudes into the newsroom or the reporter's notebook, it compromises this neutrality.

Sanctioning students with this activity, under the guise of educating the Bucknell community about consequences of illegal actions, undermines the independence of *The Bucknellian*. This sanction also diminishes the importance of letters to the Editor as vital to the democratic process, reducing letters to threatening consequences of misconduct rather than opportunities for shared education.

By publishing letters such as these, written for no other purpose than to satisfy judicial sanctions, we become the mouthpiece of the University Judicial Board—a position we do not want, and will not, assume.

OPINIONS

The death penalty: To err is human, to forgive divine

BY JOHN STITH

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Three stories need retelling this week.

In 1965 George Wallace was the Governor of Alabama. The Black civil rights movement was in full swing. Hundreds of protesters marched from Selma to Montgomery, AL, in support of the Voting Rights Act. Wallace led the opposition declaring, "Segregation now, segregation tomorrow, segregation forever!" Wallace personally blocked the doors of the University of Alabama, attempting to stop Blacks from registering there. He repeatedly sent his state troopers out to break up marches, often with violent methods.

A few weeks ago, hundreds of people joined together to re-enact the historic march from Selma to Montgomery. Waiting there in Montgomery to greet them was George Wallace.

Wallace is a different man today. Since an assassination attempt in 1972 he has been in a wheelchair, and has grown almost completely mute and deaf. He has also repented for his actions in the 1960s, and has apologized for them. It was his idea to greet the marchers in Montgomery. Unable to deliver his own speech, he had an aide read a statement he had written, including the lines, "May your message be heard. May your lessons never be forgotten."

Not everyone in the crowd forgave Wallace for the past. One man told a *New York Times* reporter, "Seeing him say that he's sorry ain't gonna do me no good at all." Yet there Wallace was, a newly humble man, trying to sing along when they sang "We Shall Overcome."

A reconciliation of a different kind took place last December between Cardinal Joseph Bernardin, the Roman Catholic archbishop of Chicago, and Steven

Cook, a man who the year before had accused the archbishop of sexually abusing him in the 1970s.

For years the Catholic Church preferred to reassign a child-abusing priest to another position rather than permanently keeping him away from children. Hundreds of priests guilty of sexual abuse have been identified in the last few years, and the Church has taken important steps to deal with these cases. When Bernardin was first accused, it seemed that his name would only be the most prominent on an otherwise lengthy list. Progressive Catholics were especially disturbed, for Bernardin had been a leading voice against war and sexism.

Yet only a few months later, Steven Cook dropped his civil suit. He explained that his memories had been "recovered" by an unlicensed "New Age" therapist, and that he was no longer sure they were true. By this time, of course, Bernardin's name had been dragged through the mud by the media, even though there was never any hard evidence against him.

Through intermediaries, Bernardin sought to meet with his former accuser. It turned out that Cook wanted the meeting just as much. Bernardin later said, "Never in my 43 years as a priest have I witnessed a more profound reconciliation. It was a manifestation of God's love, forgiveness and healing which I will never forget." According to *America* magazine, Cook later told a reporter, "It almost feels like I have a new friend now in Cardinal Bernardin."

Reconciliation is wondrous because it is so honest and renewing. I have often mused on the old line, "Forgive and forget." Although many times we should remember the past rather than forget it, to forgive is necessary if we are to ever move forward.

The final story is one nowhere near reconciliation. It is of Mumia Abu-Jamal, who today sits on

death row in a Pennsylvania prison.

In 1982 Mumia, as his friends always call him, was convicted of shooting and killing a police officer who had been struggling with Mumia's brother. Many people disagree about whether Mumia actually pulled the trigger. Mumia has always stated that he did not, and many people who have regularly visited Mumia in prison believe that he is innocent. Some believe he was framed because of his previous activities with radical groups. Friends of Mumia claim that the police officer was beating his brother, and that dozens of eyewitnesses testify that Mumia wasn't the culprit. Officer Michael Lutz, president of the Philadelphia Fraternal Order of Police, responded to the *New York Times*, "He should be dead. He should be dead. He should have been dead a long time ago."

Even though Mumia was a prize-winning journalist and known for his peaceful personality, the jury gave him the death penalty. I wonder if the jury really felt Mumia would kill again, or if they were just scared of a black activist and hungry for punishment. Pennsylvania's new governor, Tom Ridge, is eager to sign death warrants, and so Mumia will likely be killed very soon.

Our justice system should be founded on the safety of society, the rehabilitation of criminals, and eventual reconciliation with victims. Yet the death penalty makes reconciliation impossible. Even Mumia actually is guilty, there are undoubtedly others on death row who are not. Every year or two it is found that society has killed someone by mistake.

If Mumia is innocent, I wonder whether he is capable of forgiving those who will not forgive him. Will Mumia, as he is being electrocuted be able to proclaim, "Forgive them, for they know not what they do?"

Affirmative Action is unconstitutional

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

The issue of race is rising with raging force in the 1996 presidential campaign as Right-wing Republicans hope the affirmative action issue will drive a wedge between liberal Democrats and white "swing" voters. The decline in the white male vote may be rekindled in favor of the Republican with the anti-affirmative action stance to abolish racial and gender preferences.

This is a debate that threatens to divide the country. The Clinton Administration is doing the usual: emitting a discordance of mixed signals. They feel the anti-affirmative action backlash is being fueled by white economic anxiety. Recently, Leon Panetta, White House Chief of Staff, announced that President Clinton gives the right to succeed on the basis of merit and implies that not all will succeed equally. The institutionalization of preferential treatment undermines the Constitution and the ideas of a free society. It encourages failure rather than overcomes it. A person's fate depends on others rather than on whether they seize the opportunities available to all Americans. The initiative to "get ahead" is therefore hindered by the knowledge that success depends upon whether or not he or she fills the quota.

When does "fairness" become reverse discrimination? When is it "fair" to discriminate on the basis of race and/or gender. In a free society, this is not fair. It is time for equal opportunity to become a reality.

Sen. Robert Dole (R-KS) and Sen. Phil Gramm (R-TX) both GOP presidential hopefuls, have called for an outright elimination of affirmative action programs. Dole has promised to introduce legislation banning racial and gender preferences designed to provide equal opportunity began the drift to 'quotas', forcing corporations, colleges etc., to accept (at times) under-qualified women and minorities

should depend upon intelligence, skills, character, perseverance, and plain old luck. The Constitution gives the right to succeed on the basis of merit and implies that not all will succeed equally. The institutionalization of preferential treatment undermines the Constitution and the ideas of a free society. It encourages failure rather than overcomes it. A person's fate depends on others rather than on whether they seize the opportunities available to all Americans. The initiative to "get ahead" is therefore hindered by the knowledge that success depends upon whether or not he or she fills the quota.

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LETTERS

WVBU also responsible

TO THE EDITOR:

We as members of BSG, BAC, GAMMA, IFC, RHA, and the Panhellenic Council would like to address several points made in Keith Nigro's article, "WVBU turned off by treatment." First and foremost, Saturday's 'All Campus Party' held in the Fieldhouse on Come and Saturday Weekend was coordinated by all of the aforementioned groups including WVBU. The event was envisioned in response to several requests by many student organizations to diversify the social scene at Bucknell by shifting the emphasis away from alcohol. EVERY organization previously mentioned was included in the decision making process for this event.

Rather than focusing on the positive aspects of hosting such a radical first-time event, the author chose to concentrate on a conflict that did not exist until Saturday night. If there was a problem with management, of which WVBU was included, there was no indication of such "a screw job" mentioned during the apparent "poor preparation" of the event.

Realistically, when one tries to put on an event of such magnitude, problems are bound to arise. During bi-weekly planning meetings for the 'All Campus Party', we all tried to foresee some of these problems. It was unfortunate that some problems occurred, but it was out of the hands of all the groups involved.

WVBU was as responsible for organizing the event as was BSG, BAC, GAMMA, IFC, RHA, and the Panhellenic Council. In terms of being "sighted," WVBU never indicated this during the entire preparation for the event. Rather than learn from the experience and accept the joint responsibility for the poor attendance, WVBU chose to lash out at the other organizations in *The Bucknellian*. Perhaps the more appropriate and productive way for WVBU to vent their frustration would have been through dialogue with the specific organizations involved.

It is unfortunate that WVBU chose to ignore this path and instead decided to inform the community of a supposed conspiracy against them through *The Bucknellian*. Realistically, we should all focus on the major purpose of this event: to provide an effective option to the alcohol based social scene on our campus. Right now, BSG, BAC, GAMMA, IFC, RHA, and the Panhellenic Council are actively preparing to do more events revolving around this theme. Starting next semester, these same organizations will sponsor similar events on a monthly basis. How can we be more genuine?

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Playboy is good journalism

TO THE EDITOR:

I realized something earlier this semester that some of the magazines that had been in the Bookstore were no longer there. The article in this past week's *The Bucknellian* confirmed my suspicions.

There is a label that many people associate with pictures of nude women or men: pornography. The problem with this label is that it is all-encompassing. It contains the grotesque along with the artistic nudes that many enjoy admiring. As a photographer, I enjoy *Playboy* for what it has to offer photographically. As for *Penthouse*, I don't find it to be as good a magazine. Its pictures do not appeal to me. I would never try to deny someone else the opportunity to read what they found interesting though. For these reasons I will focus on *Playboy* since I feel I can offer the most input there.

I would like to dispel a few misconceptions that I feel many have when it comes to *Playboy*. In five issues, which amounted to 936 pages of *Playboy*, 179 had nude pictures on them (Obsession advertisements included). That is over five pages of writing about fashion, entertainment, interviews and many other things, for every page that has a naked woman on it.

How much nudity is not the issue though. The real issue is what the pictures about and what do they say about women and men. Are they degrading toward women? I don't think so. Personally, I'm not someone that is afraid of nudity or the human body in its natural form. I think that looking at nude pictures can be a form of admiration not degradation. I don't think this is shallow. I think that people need to get away from the tendency to slander sex and things that are sexual. If I think that a person is attractive sexually, that is all that I think about them. I can admire them for that, as well as I can admire someone else for their own individual characteristics.

Playboy is an institution that goes far beyond issues of nudity. The Hugh M. Hefner First Amendment Award is one that has been given out since 1979. It is given to individuals who help in the battle against contemporary censorship. Likewise, *Playboy*'s interviews alone are some of the best ones conducted on diverse topics. They often times delve much deeper than typical interviews in both length and content. Recently they have published a CD-ROM disk of manuscripts of all their interviews for the past 30 years. These include: Bob Dylan, David Letterman, Malcolm X, Jimmy Carter, and Yoko Ono. There are over 350 people on the disk. Is that degrading toward women?

Nadine Strossen, the current president of the American Civil Liberties Union has published a book defending pornography. In a recent interview she said "The common understanding of pornography differs from its dictionary or legal definition. It has come to be just an epithet—essentially the way that the word Communist was used in the McCarthy period."

Camille Paglia, a feminist author and often times controversial voice, is a fan of *Playboy* and other magazines that have been dictated as inappropriate by the Bookstore.

Basically what I'm trying to say is that there are many reasons to read this magazine that are not in conflict with the mission of the school. Enrichment of character can come only from making one's own decisions and learning what one will from those. By denying people the opportunity to purchase a magazine, the school is not doing the community any favors. Likewise, how is not having them visible any different as long as the Bookstore still has them? If they really want to make that leap and say they are bad, talk to the distributor and stop carrying them. As for me, I will not buy a magazine that is behind the counter, not because I am embarrassed but because I disagree with the Bookstore's policy. I urge anyone who hasn't seen a copy of *Playboy* to seek one out and make the decision for themselves. Don't let others or what you have heard make up your mind for you. Look before you leap.

CHRIS NICHOLS '98
APRIL 10, 1995



WVBU article was vicious

TO THE EDITOR:

We are submitting this letter to the editor to express our complete disgust with the article "WVBU turned off by treatment" which appeared in the April 6 issue of *The Bucknellian*.

In the article, Tom Klem and Will Taylor criticized an event that was sponsored by IFC, Panhel, RHA, BAC, BSG, as well as WVBU. The event in question was an all campus, alcohol free dance party, which featured the band, *The Empties*. Unfortunately, the event was not as successful as all organizations involved would have hoped. However, it is impossible to assign blame for the event's failure.

Tom Klem and Will Taylor blamed the failure of the event on all parties involved except for WVBU. We believe that assigning blame accomplishes nothing and, in fact, only damages the foundations of any future relationship which may develop between WVBU, IFC, BSG, Panhel, RHA, and BAC. The letter failed to mention or credit these organizations for the tremendous efforts which they contributed to the planning and actual staffing of the event.

Klem failed to mention that the entire Greek system agreed not to hold any registered parties on campus for the night of the non-alcoholic dance party in order to draw more individuals to the event. Nor did Klem mention the work BAC did in advertising the event, or BSG and RHA's funding of the event, and their efforts in staffing the actual alcohol free dance party. Instead of praising these organizations for all their efforts, Klem and Taylor complained that the field house looked "like a track meet," and was not conducive to dancing. This was simply a small factor which contributed to the failure of the event and it should not have resulted in the vicious editorial which WVBU presented to *The Bucknellian*.

Klem also explicitly accused in all parties involved, except WVBU of course, of not being genuine in their efforts to hold a successful non-alcoholic event. Furthermore, Klem went on to say that these "other parties" were only interested in Public Relations.

Klem believes that WVBU was shorted in the entire affair, and that the radio station deserves an apology from the other organizations. We believe that this statement could not be further from the truth. In fact, Klem should apologize to IFC, Panhel, BSG, RHA, and BAC for his accusatory statements in the last issue of *The Bucknellian*. Furthermore, we believe Klem's accusations damage the spirit of cooperation that must exist between all campus organizations. We sincerely hope that future campus activities involving campus organizations and WVBU succeed; but in the unfortunate event that they fail, we would also hope that WVBU would acknowledge and appreciate all the hard work that went into the events and not assign blame.

JERRY COX '96
JASON SHERLOCK '96
APRIL 10, 1995

Protect the environment

TO THE EDITOR:

In the upcoming week, the United States will celebrate the 25th anniversary of Earth Day, a day set aside in celebration of our planet as well as a day reserved for action. The members of the Student Environmental Action Coalition and the Earth Day Planning Committee plus other concerned students are coming together over the next two weeks as a part of the Free the Planet national-wide campaign. Drafted in recognition of this Earth Day anniversary year, *An Environmental Petition to Newt Gingrich* calls for both an Environmental Bill of Rights and an Earth Day 1995 Action Agenda. Five principles have been outlined aiming to prevent pollution, preserve America's natural heritage, and the giveaways of public assets, conserve America's natural resources and "get the big money out of politics." The action agenda is a list of 25 simple, sensible, long-overdue actions to preserve our environment and protect public health, addressing important steps towards protecting the environment now. Beginning Monday the 17th through Bucknell's own Earth Day celebration April 29, this petition will be in the L.C. and around campus. An intense and effective push to "free the planet" at and around Bucknell will not only contribute to the success of this campaign but jumpstart an excellent Earth Day celebration. PLEASE SIGN THE PETITION NOW!!

TRACEY WILLIS '96
STUDENT ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION COALITION
APRIL 10, 1995

"The CIA needs a check-up": Student thinks not

TO THE EDITOR:

I am writing in response to a column entitled "The C.I.A. needs a check-up" by John Stith in last week's *The Bucknellian*. I would like to say that I agree with Mr. Stith, or at least with part of what he said. I believe that the CIA is too autonomous and needs greater monitoring, but I don't think that it would be a very good idea to open up all of its activities to the world by opening it up to every member of Congress. First of all, members of Congress have no obligation to preserve government secrets, which, when released to the media, can have a greater impact than they may care to consider. Second of all, members of Congress are not required to undergo the sort of background check and security clearance to obtain their jobs that relatively low-ranking government employees must undergo. It was stated recently that many foreign agents who provide information to the U.S. would not do so if they knew that their names would be released to Congress. How would we ever be able to run an effective intelligence-gathering organization without foreign agents?

An assertion made by Stith is, "the CIA's appropriate job is to gather intelligence." Does this then preclude any other covert activities that do not strictly pertain to gathering intelligence? Should we then discard all agents and allocation used for possibly subverting states which pose a threat to us? Yes, that does sound a bit strange. Why would we want to subvert governments of other states? What gives us the right? Perhaps World War II would have been more humane had we not engaged in assassination attempts to "murder" the leader of the German state. It probably would have been more principled to have refrained from using morally questionable, subversive tactics to bring down a state that, it could be argued, did not pose a direct security threat. Well, we won that war, and while not all of our morally questionable tactics worked, many did. Now should we consider our efforts in World War II misguided? Please Mr. Stith, tell the survivors who we saved with our morally questionable tactics that we should not have tried so hard to fight for them.

Stith pursues his "misguided" argument by telling us that the CIA under President Clinton tries to behave itself, while under previous Republican Presidents it would be an instrument of absolute evil. This is unrealistic and naive. The CIA under Clinton obviously isn't a paragon of government virtue, and to imply that it will be an evil organization under a Republican is silly, partisan politics. To place the bulk of the blame on Republican president, or possible presidents is to ignore a couple of not-so-saintly Democratic administrations.

Mr. Stith needs to step back and remove the plank from his eye before he does so for others. He asserts that as a democratic state which purportedly supports democracy globally, we are hypocritical because of the methods we use to preserve our security. I declare that we are a hypocritical state. I am also a hypocrite. I challenge all of you to find a person, or a state that isn't hypocritical. If the people who constitute the state aren't perfect, how can the state be? Self-preservation is not a paradigm inspired by capitalism, it is simply survival. I will not pretend to support the policies pursued independently by the CIA in Guatemala, or the government those policies supported. I think they were both misguided and wrong. This is where I agree with Stith. It is with his larger argument that I find numerous faults. I am also not going to claim that the CIA promotes all of our "American values." But then again is that even related to its purpose? Not really. Propaganda is only a small portion of the CIA's responsibility. It is not just an organization for intelligence gathering; it is an instrument to subvert states that pose a serious threat to our security, and to perform other covert activities which aren't completely specified. The CIA needs to be monitored by the President, not by Congress. The problem in the past was that neither Clinton, nor Bush (to the chagrin of those who demonize Republicans) knew that the CIA was funneling money to Guatemala. That needs to be corrected and stopped.

TOBY ANDERSON '97
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LIFESTYLES

Orchestra jazzes Weis with all-American pop tunes

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Next Wednesday, the University orchestra will perform what is probably the most famous piece of American music that exists. Gershwin's jazzy *Rhapsody in Blue* is just one highlight of the all-American pops program scheduled to take place at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts. Under the direction of Christopher Para, assistant professor of music, the evening will be a unique combination of familiar twentieth century music composed completely by Americans.

According to violist Katie Leuck '97, this is the first time that the orchestra will perform a program of this type. "It will be different because it consists completely of contemporary music. But I think it will be

a fun concert because we will be doing things that people recognize," she said. Music from the film score *Superman* and *Rhapsody in Blue* in particular, she said, are well-known.

George Gershwin had his start in the world of popular and commercial music and by the 1920's was the foremost composer of the Broadway theater. Beginning with *Rhapsody in Blue*, a multi-sectioned work written for orchestra and solo piano, he turned his attention increasingly to the prospect of fusing "jazz" with "concert music." The composer thought of the work on a train ride from the West Coast to New York, and was inspired by the sounds of the train. Counter rhythms in the violas and percussion give the feel of a train moving through. Professor of music Barry Hannigan, who will join the ensemble on piano, calls Gershwin's piece

"one of the greatest written by an American composer."

Playing with a soloist is challenging, according to Para, and it's more than just the notes that make it difficult. "Tempo is everything in this particular piece," he explained. "The orchestra has to enter at the right tempo for the right section. There is always a give and take between the ensemble and the soloist."

Hannigan is not new to Gershwin's music; he has performed *Rhapsody in Blue* under Para's direction once before. "I played the piano solo with the Genesee Symphony four or five years ago, and it was a success," he said, adding that he is greatly looking forward to playing this dynamic work with the students.

The piece is also a favorite among members of the orchestra. Ken Miller '95, who plays the clarinet, said that he prefers to play jazz-oriented pieces, and *Rhapsody* fits the bill. "It's a classical orchestral jazz piece, not something that I get to do on the clarinet all of the time."

Ernest Bloch's *Concerto Grosso* No. 1 is also a work for strings and solo piano. In this piece, Christina Smith GR will perform the solo. Violinist Noah Jenkins '95 commented on the unusual style of Bloch's work, composed in 1925. "It has some of the dissonant qualities of twentieth century music, yet with a Baroque style, creating a unique fusion of styles," he said.

Aaron Copland also employed a fusion of styles in his music. Known by many for his suite from the ballet *Appalachian Spring*, Copland makes use of American folk music and jazz. He devised the orchestral suite for the opera *The Tender Land* from which the orchestra will be performing *Party Scene*, and the *Promise of Living*. Set in the 1930's, *The Tender Land* involves a farm family—a mother, her two daughters and a grandfather—at spring harvest time. Like *Appalachian Spring*, the music has an open, spread-out texture, and uses a full range of instruments, said Brian Melkowitz '96, a member of the brass section. "The tuba, in particular, has some really high notes," he said, adding that it is the most difficult piece on the program for the brass players.

According to Para, the brass have their most exciting part in music by John Williams from the film score *Superman*. Melkowitz agreed. "The brass players have a big part in *Superman*," he said, and added



Photo by Debra Cook

Kendall Lehman '96 is part of the diverse orchestra, which includes faculty, local residents, and students from both Bucknell and Susquehanna.

that it will be a fun for students to hear film music that they've already seen in the movies.

Wednesday's performance will be the orchestra's final concert of the year, with the exception of an encore presentation of *Rhapsody in Blue* at the annual Prism concert during Parent's Weekend. Although the ensemble consists primarily of Bucknell students, it also includes several

members of the faculty, some residents of the Lewisburg community, and a small group of students from Susquehanna University, making it one of the most distinct groups on campus. This diversity is an asset that is sure to reflect in its music.

Admission is free and open to the public.

Tricks not so tricky for underage drinking

BY JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board has warned all Bucknell students that they are returning with renewed fervor to "get" us this year, commented one Greek sorority president. "So be very careful," she warned with an ominous stare.

One can only wonder what all the fuss is. The unfortunate instance with sophomore Mike Mullin's death due to a young person drinking and driving this past school year brought the issue of alcohol consumption by young people to a renewed level of consciousness. But the Liquor Control Board is interested in bringing something else to a new level of consciousness—underage drinking—and reprimanding the activity that plagues the college subculture. We asked various students on campus how easy or hard it was, as a minor, to get alcohol.

"Oh my God!" laughed a junior. "It was so easy! I could always find an upperclassman to buy it for me." She cited another plus as having an upperclassman boyfriend who could purchase alcohol for her and create an added incentive to sneak into bars with him.

Another senior female looked back on her underage years and remarked, "Never once was there a night when I wanted alcohol and couldn't get it."

The consensus among students at Bucknell is that it is very easy to get alcohol even if one is underage. A junior male remarked, "I believe in having a drinking age. You have to start somewhere. But everyone is college is around 'that age'—21, so it's a Catch 22. Kids are just trying to have a good time and having a good time un-

fortunately involves breaking the law. That's the way our society is."

Students get older friends to purchase alcohol for them. Most students pride themselves on having had a wild and drunken freshman year. Students get nostalgic as they recall the days of sneaking cases of beer to their dorm rooms in backpacks and big overnight duffel bags. One junior female recalls other first year students who had help from their RA in carrying a keg into a dorm room. "And kegs are illegal!" Another added "Yeah, we had our RA come in once and

having alcohol on his person. "When I had to go talk to someone [in the administration] I just denied the charges...said I didn't have anything and nothing happened."

Parents must find polls saying that Bucknell has the hardest alcohol drinkers disconcerting. A junior female who openly admits to underage drinking said, "I don't think our school is worse off than any other schools. It's all part of the college experience and knowing your limits."

Students cited knowing one's

"Never once was there a night when I wanted alcohol and couldn't get it."
—senior female

do jello shots with us. He hung out and partied with us."

A senior male added that he's glad that RAs have been diplomatic in the past in enforcing the drinking policy. "We all are just trying to have a good time. It's college. People are gonna drink, so do it in the safety of your room."

The fact that Bucknell is a small campus and most parties are within walking distance does not inhibit students from consuming alcohol. One student cites acts of vandalism and perhaps sexual harassment as common problems that result from excessive alcohol consumption. A junior female remarked that her fake ID was good enough to have allowed her into local bars a number of times and even buy alcohol for her friends her first year. Another senior female attributed her underage success to "just looking 21 and being a girl." A senior male remarked that he had gotten caught twice his freshman year by an RA for

limit as being especially important for social occasions. Many cite the Greek system as a facilitator of underage drinking at Bucknell, but some say that it has been harder and harder to get alcohol at fraternity parties without a wristband indicating 21 year old status. A junior student remarked "they [the brothers] know that they're responsible for it, so they act responsibly in handing out wristbands."

Local bars have a harder time identifying fake ID's, especially those from out of state where drivers are not required to renew photos every four years as Pennsylvania requires. One local bouncer cites difficulties with siblings using expired older siblings ID's because the height and weight indicated are sometimes of 16-year-old students and the person may have grown and gotten a different haircut in the meantime.

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light on the new PA driver's licenses, students would call the PA Department of Transportation claiming they had "lost" their license. The replacement would require only that a photo be inserted and "frankly that woman taking pictures doesn't require any additional ID for someone to come in and sign it [the replacement]. And so everything will check out right."

A local beer distributor personnel claims that 90-95 % of their business is Bucknell students, "and it is obvious that they are buying with someone who is older and has the ID." But the employees explain that they have no control over who consumes the alcohol once it leaves their parking lot. "Sometimes kids will get someone older on the street and the buyer in turn makes a little profit off of the kid," comments one employee. If there is any doubt about the validity of an ID, the individual has to fill out a declaration of age card to verify the information on the license. If the patron makes an error, then he or she has an opportunity to confess. A first offense warrants a citation if the patron is cooperative. However, in the past, students have tried to run, in which case the police have had to track them down and the result has been additional citations and possible fines up to \$500.

Although the establishment has a pamphlet outlining what warrants punishment, another employee quips that he has seen "every trick in the book" in the 16 years he has worked at the distributor. "And they get better and better!"

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LIFESTYLES

A sunny experience rises for students and kids

BY CAREY WIAIT

The sight of bunches of preschoolers, jungle gyms, and strollers may seem out of place on a college campus, but not at Bucknell.

These youngsters are here because of Sunflower, Bucknell's day care center for infants to six year-olds. Located in Tustin Gym, Sunflower is a year-round service provided by Bucknell to faculty and staff and the entire Lewisburg community.

Sunflower's purpose is not confined only to providing a service for parents. It is the setting for valuable hands on experience for students in Child Development, a course offered by the Psychology Department.

As a requirement for the class, students must volunteer one hour a week at Sunflower. During the hour they are to observe the children and apply concepts and strategies discussed in class. Students then have a weekly class discussion concerning their experiences.

Paula Butkovsky, assistant professor of psychology, teaches the Child Development course. She feels that the weekly volunteering at Sunflower is an integral part of the course. "Some students haven't dealt first-hand with children before and this gives them the opportunity," she said. Butkovsky also noted that the opportunity to observe the children in a natural setting helps students understand concepts the text book covers as well as those it does not.

Tracy Bell '97, a current volunteer, feels that her experience at Sunflower is helpful in gain-

ing a thorough understanding of the course's subject matter. "Working with the children makes classwork more meaningful. It is easier to remember course material that you have observed first-hand," she said.

Sarah Damico '96, an elementary education major, was previously a volunteer at Sunflower. "One thing I really enjoyed was that even though I was only there one hour a week, toddlers would remember me and smile as I walked in the door."

The everyday sight of these youngsters may become less common. As soon as the blueprints are finished, Sunflower is planning to move to a modular building near the art barn. This move is necessary because the current facilities in Tustin failed to meet state regulations, forcing Sunflower to petition for waivers to remain in Tustin until the move can be made.

Patricia Ringkamp, Director of Sunflower, feels the move will be a positive one. In their new position, Sunflower will have windows, more space, running water in all the rooms, and sufficient parking. One drawback of the move that Ringkamp mentioned is that Sunflower will not have access to the town and the main part of the campus.

Even though they may become a less noticeable presence on campus because of their new location, Sunflower will continue to provide children with day care and Bucknell students with preparation for a career.

Editor's note: This is part one of a series on volunteering.



Karin Davidson—The Bucknellian

A full year service, Sunflowers is a day care for children of faculty, staff, and local residents. It also offers on-the-job experience for students in the Child Development course.

Two students share musical niche

Fabio '95 and Smith GR work hard to the finish preparing for recital

BY SHARON SAUDER

Common advice given to second semester seniors is to take advantage of the remaining time and enjoy themselves. Many students interpret this to mean eliminating extraneous activities and coasting to the finish. For Marissa Fabio '95, however, time well-spent requires hours and hours of practice in preparation for her upcoming recital tonight at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall. Joining her for the other half of the recital is graduate student Christina Smith GR.

Featuring works by Beethoven, Prokofiev, and Chopin, Fabio's music selections reflect her interest in a wide range of musical styles. Under the tutelage of Professor Lois Svard, she has put together a program that highlights her individual talent and enables

her to reap the benefits of performing. Preparing for a recital also has provided her with many valuable lessons about musical performance beyond the artistic realm of the practice room. "I never realized how many different things go into planning a recital. Fortunately Professor Svard has been helping me along," Fabio said.

Also a student of Svard, Smith rounds out tonight's performance with the addition of three pieces by Brahms (Opus 116, Numbers 3, 4, 7) and *Variations in F* by Beethoven. For her, preparation for this event has also been invaluable.

"Preparing for a recital really makes you focus," Smith said. This kind of intense concentration on music has been Smith's niche at Bucknell this year. Having com-

Failing Kansas to offer opera success

Mikel Rouse's multi-media opera combines murder, music, and poetry in Center Gallery

BY JENNIFER DECAMP
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Murder. Music. Poetry. Opera. How often do we get a chance to see all that in one show? And the chance to see only the second performance of the opera to boot? Luckily for us, composer/musician Mikel Rouse will be in the Center Gallery Tuesday for the second performance of his opera *Failing Kansas*. Originally scheduled under the title *In Cold Blood*, the opera, which is this year's final Gallery Series performance, was inspired by the novel of the same name by Truman Capote.

Rouse makes the distinction that *Failing Kansas* was inspired by, but not based on, Capote's nonfiction novel about the murder of the Cutters, an average small-town family, by two malintentioned drifters. While knowing the story line of Capote's book may help to catch the references, Rouse does not follow the original text.

In order to display his opera, a multi-media program complete with film, music and poetry, Rouse will provide the audience with an example of a technique which he calls counterpoetry. Based on multiple unpitched voices running in strict metric counterpoint, the voices often recite poetry, which is where the name originates. Writer Kyle Gann of *The Village Voice* explained the method in an interview with Rouse. Gann writes, "He overdubs himself speaking in rhythm so that the listener hears several texts simultaneously, or else the same text in different rhythmic settings at once."

Rouse's counterpoetry comes out of a new form of composition named by many artists as "totalist." Totalism was coined as a musical term because artists like Rouse were tired of mistakenly being considered minimalist composers and writers. He told Gann, "Totalism...focuses more on the overall structure of the piece, something that minimalism lacked."

While *Failing Kansas* was born out of Rouse's last five years of work on his counterpoetry technique, it is also possible to get a feel for totalism as a style in the sixth section of the opera. In this section, three phrases are cycled over and over in four different pitches. The format of the entire opera consists of four major scenes with five interludes containing the counterpoetry technique.

Failing Kansas is the result of many years of work and research on Capote and his writing. But Rouse still found time for other things. After graduating from the University of Missouri at Kansas City with a B.F.A. in music theory and filmmaking, he moved to New York City with the first of his two musical groups, Tirez Tirez. Considered a new wave rock band, Tirez Tirez was the only band progressive enough to open for Talking Heads when they came to Kansas City in 1978. They have produced numerous albums, most recently *Against All Flags*, which when released in 1988, was the *New York Times*' Pop Album of the Week.

Because some considered Tirez Tirez to be more like a modern chamber ensemble, Rouse got the idea to create just such a group.

His contemporary chamber ensemble, called Broken Consort, consists of percussion, saxophone, electric guitar and keyboard. Like Tirez Tirez, Broken Consort also has many recordings, including *A Walk in the Woods*, which was on the *New York Times*' list of the ten

best albums of 1985. Their most recent album is a suite of six pieces called *A Lincoln Portrait*.

There will be a great deal of talent and a lot to see this Tuesday in the Center Gallery. The performance will start at 8:00 p.m. and is free and open to the public.



Photo courtesy of Office of Public Relations

Composer/musician Mikel Rouse will present his multi-media opera *Failing Kansas* at 8 p.m. on Tuesday in the Center Gallery. The opera was inspired by Capote's *In Cold Blood*.

A skeptic's story: Weis Center event not so beastly

BY JOSH HARTMAN

For the most part, Weis Center performances are not part of my comfort zone. It was with great difficulty that I decided to attend the Philip Glass performance on March 31. I even asked some of my friends to go with me so I wouldn't feel so uncomfortable. One friend said he would "rather do nothing than go to that." Therefore at quarter to eight, I walked into the Weis Center by myself and sat down to await ninety minutes of misery.

As I was sitting there waiting, I began to think that maybe I too would rather be doing nothing at all than be here. But as the lights went down I realized that it was this exterior attitude of indifference towards the arts that allowed me to ignore them for twenty years. Having always assumed the arts were for artsy people, a group in which I do not include myself, I never gave any of the performances a chance. Going to a play had always consisted of little more than trying to find a comfortable way to recline in those bolted down seats. In that ten seconds of guilt-ridden thought I had suddenly created within myself at least a passing interest in the show. That interest was very nearly lost, however, when a technical problem delayed the start of the show by ten minutes. Fortunately I had a pen and began scribbling my profound introspections on the playbill during the delay. I convinced myself to examine with my senses the performance I was awaiting.

When *La Belle et La Bête* finally began after the aforementioned problem was fixed, I spent the first few minutes trying to understand the set. On the front of the stage, the conductor stood with his back to the audience and directed an orchestra that included a wind section and several other musicians, including Glass, seated at electrical sound systems. In the rear of the stage there was an enormous screen that showed the full-length film *La Belle et La Bête* without sound. Between the orchestra and the screen was an area where the opera singers sang the lines to the film in French. The English translation appeared at the top of the screen for the foreign language neophytes in the audience.

While one might imagine it easy to become distracted or even confused by the multi-media presentation, the various elements in the show blended amazingly well. Even a layman such as myself was able to appreciate the complexity of the interactions among the three elements. Both the instrumentalists and the opera singers had to nimbly keep up with the pace of the film, which clearly could neither be hastened nor delayed. The singers had to enter and exit the stage subtly to avoid drawing the attention of the audience away from the film. The ensemble somehow managed to successfully make a fifty year old black and white film seem very contemporary.

One of the more amazing aspects of the show was the relationship between *La Belle*, sung by mezzo-soprano Janice Felty, and *La Bête*, sung by baritone John Kuether. Hearing the parts sung live made watching Jean Cocteau's classic 1946 black and white film truly unique.

As I left the theater, I remembered how I had always laughed at people who cried when looking at an art exhibit or performance. While I wasn't anywhere near the point of tears, I could see how someone might be so moved as to cry. The performance of *La Belle et La Bête* was something that I will probably recall fondly in the years to come. Still, I was only half way across the lawn when I remembered with a smile that the NCAA Final Four, something much easier to stomach, was the next day.

Editor's note: This is part one of a three part series in which a reluctant newcomer to the artistic scene reveals his feelings about certain events.



Photo courtesy of The Department of Theatre and Dance

The labors of love

Sarah Brown (Kimberly Kalaher '98) and Sky Masteron (Randy Faust '98) argue over what their love will be like in *The Department of Theatre and Dance production of Guys and Dolls*. The show will open during Spring Weekend on Friday, April 21 and will run through Monday April 24. Tickets are \$4 (\$3 April 23 and 24 with BUID). Buy tickets for your parents today! For more information, call the Department of Theatre and Dance at x1235.

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LIFESTYLES

A sign of the times—class holds culture in hands

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John Denius, Slike's assistant, provides another interesting teaching strategy. Denius is a deaf man from the Lewisburg area and a native signer who has been "a nice addition to the class" for ten years, Slike said.

Besides being a creative teaching strategy, Slike said, "People are taking sign language because it's current, visually interesting, fun and a unique way to communicate."

Slike thinks the popularity of the course could be attributed to the increasing awareness of the deaf culture. He mentioned the American Disability Act, which is federal legislation requiring things such as ramps and telecommunications for the hearing impaired. In addition, the deaf actress Marlee Matlin and the current Miss America contribute to making people more aware. All of this is coming together to add to interest

and awareness. Slike said, "I think it's a trend of the time. It's visual, it's different, it's finally being recognized as a language."

Lavery's interest is rooted in a relative who teaches the deaf. She said, "My aunt is a sign language teacher and ever since I was little I've been interested in learning."

Tom Klem '96 has a deaf aunt and uncle. His goal in taking this course is "to be able to communicate with them," he said. Klem had known something about signing before he took the class, like finger spelling and a few basic signs, but he says that this class has definitely rendered improvement to his abilities. "I'm able to sign to them [aunt and uncle] and I understand when they sign back," Klem said.

Liz Lancto '96 has prior experience with sign language but wanted to learn more. "A good friend of mine from high school is deaf so I knew the basics, but I wanted to know more," she said.

"I'm also involved in a lot of service projects and events and I look at this as another opportunity (working with the deaf community)."

Besides learning sign language, Lavery said, "You get a bit of an insight into deaf culture and how deaf persons perceive the hearing world." One aspect of the class that Lancto especially appreciates is having Denius come into her class. Lancto said that she can tell she's learned more through this class because she communicates successfully with him. "I can communicate with my friend from high school better," Lancto said.

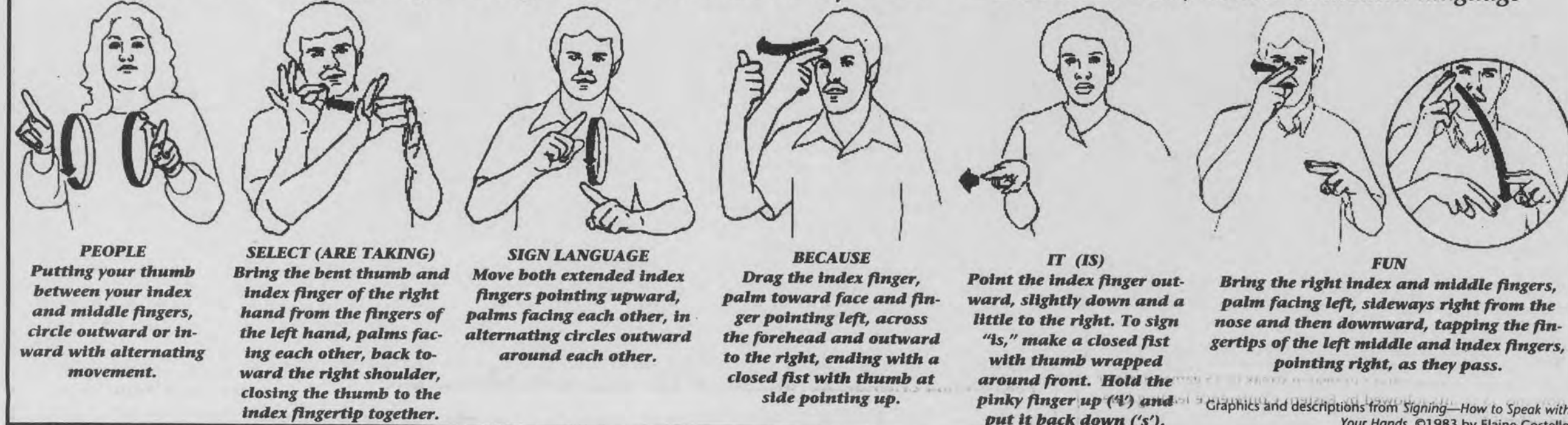
Both students were complimentary of the class and the instructor. "He's hilarious, it's a great class; it's fun," Lavery said. Slike said, "I love teaching sign language. We have a lot of fun in class."



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

A student in the 3 p.m. sign language class, Missi Bellavia '96 practices her sign language. Because of its popularity and the necessity of smaller groups, the class is broken into two sections which are held from 3 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. on Wednesdays. In these classes, the students learn and improve their sign language abilities, in addition to learning about the deaf culture. Students take the class for a variety of reasons, from learning how to communicate better with deaf friends and relatives to satisfying curiosity about what sign language and the deaf culture is all about.

"People are taking sign language because it's fun..." —Dr. Samuel Slike, lecturer in modern language



Getting fed up with being stuffed up

BY KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Is the warming weather making your life difficult? Are you finding it difficult to motivate yourself due to annoying sniffing, sneezing, itchy-eyes and nasal congestion? Well, in case you didn't already know, you are one of the unlucky 40-50 million people in this country who suffer from allergies. Dr. Stechshulte, medical director at Student Health Services, describes people with allergies as "having hypersensitive air waves and tend to overreact to normal conditions."

The last time the air outside of Marts Hall was measured, there were 26,000 particles per cubic foot. This seemingly high number is considered normal and means that our bodies are constantly being bombarded by these elements. Right now, billions of tiny ragweed pollen grains are filtering through our noses and eyes and will continue to do so until there is enough frost to flush out the environment.

In a drastic attempt to alleviate these annoying symptoms, many of us will find ourselves rushing to the Bookstore to pick up the first box of medicine that says "allergy relief" on it. The danger of these over-the-counter (OTC) medications is that they can cause undesirable side effects that can be even more debilitating than the allergy symptoms themselves.

For students, side effects such as drowsiness and impaired judgment and performance reduce the ability to read and cause classroom participation and attentiveness to suffer. For athletes, these medications can also cause athletic performance to diminish due to the

learn. A significant amount of hand-eye coordination and the ability to react quickly.

If you decide to use OTC medications because you want immediate relief, stay away from what are known as "traditional" antihistamines that have the ability to cross the body's "blood brain barrier". What this means is that these medications have easy entry into the brain resulting in impairing side effects. An excellent ex-

ample of this is Benedryl.

There are newer antihistamines out there that are not OTC, but are also non-sedating because they do not readily cross the "blood brain barrier." One of the more popular of these medications is Seldane.

Allergy News Bureau from Merrell Dow, Inc., the maker of anti-allergy products, has put together some tips for treating allergies.

•Avoid "traditional" OTC antihistamines to avoid a reduction in the ability to concentrate and

learn. •Ask a physician or a pharmacist about non-sedating alternatives available that will treat seasonal allergy symptoms without causing unwanted central nervous system side effects.

•Always read the warning labels on all medications—and heed these warnings.

•Tell your doctor about all the drugs you are taking—including OTC drugs—to avoid potentially

learn. An early visit to the school infirmary may save time and unnecessary allergy misery.

If after following all of these guidelines your symptoms still persist, there is another more serious form of treatment available through your local allergist. This treatment is called an allergy test, which is a process of having about 134 shots of antigens, something that causes allergies, such as different types of ragweeds, grass, dust, trees, molds, and animals. The shots are injected right underneath the skin of your arm.

The size of the bumps left on the patient's arm after the shots are taken are read 15 minutes later, determining what antigens a person is allergic to and to what degree. From this data, the allergist will make up a concentrated serum that the patient will receive once a week.

The average price for a testing to be done is about \$300-400 and the cost of each vial of serum ranges from \$8-10. The only downfall to this method of treatment would be the high costs, but the result are well worth it.

Not everyone needs to have the testing done. According to a professional allergist, "Whoever has symptoms of allergies that cannot be treated with other medications would be greatly benefited by the testing and weekly shots."

As the summer fast approaches, Dr. Stechshulte suggests, "Vacuum rugs with a water entrapment dust sweeper. Air conditioning helps because the air is filtered and dehumidified which minimizes the number of spores being produced."

Our reaction to Hootie was very typical of the members of the audience who had come specifically to see Toad. It was obvious that there were many concert-goers who had come just to see Hootie, whose appeal is

Concert Review:

Toad causes some warts

BY JASON SNYDER
AND JAMES MARTIN
Bucknellian Staff Writers

When opening act Hootie and the Blowfish finished, the Recreation Hall at Penn State was flooded with applause, but we were observing a silent protest of an extremely mediocre and unimpressive performance from an unimaginative band. Hootie's repetitive songs are all about love, and the lead singer belted them out in an "overpowering voice," said Matt Eng '97.

After a brief intermission, during which the audience around us chose to crowd surf (an action for which they were reprimanded by Toad lead singer Glen Phillips), Toad the Wet Sprocket took the stage. The talented band not only played hits like "Walk on the Ocean," "All I Want," "Stupid," "Something's Always Wrong," and "Fall Down" from their last two albums, *Fear and Dulcinea*, but they also reached far into their repertoire to bring out lesser-known tunes such as "Come Back Down" from *Pale* and "Brother" from the *So I Married an Axe Murderer* soundtrack. It was refreshing, after Hootie's love-drenched set, to hear numbers dealing with such politically charged topics as drug abuse in "Come Back Down," rape ("Hold Her Down"), separation anxiety ("Walk on the Ocean"), as well as old-fashioned love songs like "I Will Not Take These Things For Granted," in which Hootie's singer marched back onto the stage to the delight of some members of the audience, but to our dismay, to duet with Toad.

Also disappointing was Phillips' banter between songs, in which he shamelessly promoted the band's t-shirts and other merchandise, as well as Penn State athletics. However, he redeemed himself by promoting a national rape and violence hotline, as well as showing his concern that no one was injured by crowd surfers.

All in all, except for our run-ins with officers of the law who did not approve of driving 66 in a 40 mph zone, dazed and confused scrunchie-wearing women who felt the need to obstruct everyone's view by perching themselves on the shoulders of their boyfriends, ubiquitous and prolific marijuana smoke from audience members around us, and of course, the superfluous presence of Hootie and the Blowfish, Toad The Wet Sprocket's show in State College was an invigorating and fitting closure to the band's tour.

Upcoming:

Men and Women's
LacrosseGolf team tries to
advance.

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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"The results we got here today really helped our team morale. It's given us the positive attitude we will need to qualify for Nationals"

—Women's Captain Yajko after the team's victory.

Flash in the Pan



Master of His Domain: Ben Crenshaw captured his second Green Jacket Sunday at the Masters, posting a 14-under par, 274 total, one stroke better than Davis Love III. It was an especially emotional victory for Crenshaw as his long-time mentor Harvey Penick died on April 2. Crenshaw returned home to Austin, Texas the Wednesday before the Masters started to be a pall bearer in Penick's funeral. After tapping in for bogey and claiming victory on the final hole, Crenshaw dropped his putter, broke down and cried. U.S. Amateur champion and 19-year old phenom Tiger Woods tied for 41st with a 293 total.

NBA-bound: Junior Corliss Williamson announced his intentions last weekend to leave Arkansas and make himself eligible for the NBA draft. Williamson led the Razorbacks to the 1994 NCAA title and to the finals before losing to UCLA, 89-78. The Razorbacks will now await the decision of junior Scotty Thurman as to whether or not he will also turn pro.

Mr. Robinson Stands Tall: David Robinson and the San Antonio Spurs have risen to the top of the Western Conference by winning 14 straight games. Robinson has averaged more than 30 points in his last three games, including a road victory over the Los Angeles Lakers last Sunday. The Spurs, who have not lost in almost a month, also have the best record in the NBA, passing a slumping Orlando.

Red Hot: With only 10 games remaining for each team in the NHL regular season, the Detroit Red Wings took over the league's best record. Detroit defeated Chicago 4-1 last Sunday to extend goalie Mike Vernon's unbeaten streak to 15 games. Detroit now has 55 points followed by Eastern Conference leading Quebec with 54.

Big Green Machine: Although Dartmouth didn't make the women's college lacrosse finals last year, they have posted a 5-1 record this season, and defeated National Champion Princeton on April 1. "They found a way to pull it out the last couple of games. I guess lady luck was on our side this time," said coach Amy Patton in an interview with USA Today. Lauren Holleran has 21 goals and seven assists for Dartmouth this year.

I'm No. 1: Andre Agassi surpassed Pete Sampras in the men's tennis rankings this week. Sampras had the top spot for 82 consecutive weeks, and now is 187 points behind Agassi after refusing to defend his Japan Open title.

Let's Make a Deal: Michael Jordan recently signed his first endorsement since returning to the NBA, with Rayovac, the third best batterymaker for a reported \$10 million dollar deal.

Sober Probert?: Bob Probert, Chicago Blackhawks right winger says he has made progress on his battle with drugs and alcohol. He is eager to lace-up since he signed a four-year \$6.6 million dollar deal with the Blackhawks. His marriage in 1993 and baby daughter are among the reasons he gives for the change in his attitude.

Dead Issue?: After a second autopsy of the late Cetus star Reggie Lewis, doctors claim cocaine use was not a cause of his sudden death on July 27, 1993. The Wall Street Journal originally reported that the drug might be a cause, however questions still remain about use during the mid 1980's.

Top Ten Worst Sports Films

1. The Cutting Edge
2. The Fish that Saved Pittsburgh
3. Rocky III (only the WWF part)
4. Over the Top
5. Angels in the Outfield
6. The Champ
7. Rookie of the Year
8. Mighty Ducks 2
9. Vision Quest
10. Hot Dog: The Movie

Honoroble Mention:

Caddyshack 2
Mr. Baseball
Aspen Extreme

Bison rebound from disappointing home race

Men's A sweeps top four positions in criterium, Yajko captures women's race

BY CHRIS NEUMANN
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The Cycling Team competed in the University of Pennsylvania Criterium last Sunday. Eric Fredericks '96 led the team to a top four sweep in the 22 mile men's A event. Nikki Yajko '95

out sprinted a rider from U Penn to take the women's A race.

The team was hungry for a victory after disappointing results at home the previous weekend. They went into the race with an aggressive attacking strategy. In the

men's A race, Fredericks and Michael Kuhn '96 attacked from the field of riders at the beginning of mile two, but riders from other schools chased them down. At mile four, Fredericks and Chris Neumann '95 attacked and quickly gained a 20 second lead over the main field.

The two Bucknell riders were never seen again as they eventually worked up to a two and a half

minute lead taking all of the sprints along the way. Eighteen miles later, at the finish, Fredericks and Neumann celebrated in first and second, respectively.

Meanwhile, back in the pack, Kuhn attacked at mile ten to clinch third place. George Bicking '95 remained in the field for the majority of the race but sprinted past other competitors to claim fourth place, completing the Bucknell sweep.

In the Women's A race Yajko and a rider from the University of Pennsylvania attacked from the field early in the race to compete closely in the sprints for a victory.

Yajko proved to be more powerful and narrowly defeated her opponent. Bucknell proved its depth of talent as Mark Ducharme '98 placed second in the Men's B race. The event was fiercely contested by riders from Bloomsburg, Georgetown, U. Penn., and American University.

Bucknell riders also proved their strength in races sanctioned by the United States Cycling Federation. Ducharme finished second again in the Category 5 race.

Kuhn and Fredericks helped Adam Wright '96 sprint to second place in the Category 4 race. Fredericks held on for fifth place despite his morning efforts. Neumann showed no signs of fatigue from his morning efforts as he sprinted his way to a commanding victory in the Category 2/3 race.

"The results we got here today really helped our team morale. It's given us the positive attitude we will need to qualify for Nationals," women's captain Yajko said after her victory.

The Bucknell Cycling Team will travel to the University of Pittsburgh this weekend.



photo courtesy Eric Fredericks

Eric Fredericks '96 and Chris Neumann '95 celebrate a one-two victory at the University of Pennsylvania Criterium last weekend. The team travels to Pittsburgh this week.

Bikers enjoy moderate success at Blue Marsh

BY MICHAEL McLANE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bucknell Mountain Bike Team traveled to the Blue Marsh Off Road Time Trials in Reading, Pa. last Sunday; worthy of note are Brian Hill '98, Brian Over '97, and Michael McLane '98 who came through with excellent performances at both the Sport and Beginner levels of competition.

Marsh starts a racer every 15 seconds on the same course. Each racer is timed individually for two laps. When the last racer finishes the times are catalogued and the winners are determined. With such a narrow course and so many competitors, this method of racing is much safer.

Bucknell's results were quite good: in the

Senior Sport category (73 racers total) Hill placed 12th with a time of 47:03 minutes, only 4:16 behind the winner. Over placed

34th with a time of 50:22, only 3:19 behind Hill. In the Senior Beginner category McLane finished with a time of 65:55 minutes. McLane was slowed considerably on the first lap by a spectacular front tire blow-out. After a very make-shift repair, he placed 81st out of well over 160 competitors in his category, completing his first race ever.

Next weekend will see Team Bucknell all fired-up to compete in the Gambrell Rambler All-Terrain Bike Challenge in Frederick, Md.

Bison splits doubleheaders with top league team Army

BY BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bison split four games with Army, winning the first game of a doubleheader last Saturday, and again on Sunday. The Bison won Saturday's first game 6-2.

Dave Scranton '95 went the distance for the Bison, pitching all seven innings, and giving up only one run on six hits. First baseman

Kyle Morris '95 went one for two with two RBI's, and one run. Catcher Chad DeHart '96 went two for two with two runs and two walks. Outfielder Alex Inclan '97 went one for three with a double and a run scored.

The Bison lost Saturday's second game 5-3. Doug Hoffman '97, who started the game, gave up five runs on eight hits, and striking out two in five innings pitched. Mike Anders '98 finished the game. In two innings, he allowed just four hits while striking out two. Shortstop Pete Gorski '96 went two for two with one run scored, third baseman Kevin Silverman '96 went two for four with an RBI, and Morris went one for three with two RBI's.

The Bison won Sunday's first game by a score of 9-5. Matt Gorski '97 pitched a complete game, allowing three earned runs on four hits while striking out two. Pete Gorski went two for four with two



Waiting for the ball: Bucknell's first baseman gets ready earlier this season. The Bison will face Lehigh on Friday.

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SPORTS

Commentary

Will there be
a full
baseball
season?

After a 232-day strike, Major League Baseball players are returning to play the 1995 season.

Opening Day is scheduled for April 26. This gives the players three weeks of spring training to prepare themselves for the entire season. The big question is if there will be an entire season?

The owners and players have not yet come to a labor agreement on whether or not a salary cap should be installed. U.S. district court judge Sonia Sotomayor decided that baseball would resume under the same policy as it has in the years past. This does not mean that the salary cap issue has been resolved. Acting baseball commissioner Bud Selig has a fear of either another strike by the players, or a possible lockout by the owners.

The year 1995 could be an amazing year for baseball. Cal Ripken Jr. is on schedule to break Lou Gehrig's record for consecutive games played. With the current schedule, Ripken will break Gehrig's record Sept. 8, in Cleveland. Last year's strike not only ended the season shy of the Playoffs, but ended the season with many records that may have been broken.

The baseball season is scheduled to begin in less than three weeks and most teams are well short of having their full 40 man rosters filled. Free agents have been filling these vacant spots, and in the next few weeks watch for many deals to be signed. Baseball fans have had various reactions about the Major League players return to the game after being on strike for over two-thirds of a year.

Some people think that the players will go on strike, just as they did last year. Others think the Major League owners will lock the players out before they have the chance to strike. The more typical reaction is to be glad to have the game back. The fans enjoy the stars of the game and will most likely welcome them back as if they were returning home from vacation.

In my opinion, the players have taken the fans for granted. Without the fans, the players would not be anything. They would be tobacco chewing, unshaven, men who have an unusual ability to hit a ball with a bat. There would be no \$100,000 cars, there would be no four million dollar homes, and there would be no baseball if it were not for the fans.

Baseball is a business. Businesses survive by taking in revenue and hopefully making a profit. Fans are the revenue that enables Major League Organizations to survive. Season ticket sales are an investment for fans can get to be very expensive. If I were a fan considering making the investment of season tickets, I would be extremely cautious. At any point there could be another season ending strike or a season ending lock out.

The replacement players that had hopes of filling the

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Marty Brill
Marty Brill, Staff Writer



photo courtesy of Jackie Williams

The equestrian team huddles around its award-winning ribbons after a strong showing at the Regional Championships. Beth Acly '98 and Melissa Buhrmann '95 advanced to the Zone Championships this weekend.

Acly, Buhrmann
capture Regional title

BY KAITLIN SHEPPARD

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Beth Acly '98 and Melissa Buhrmann '95 advanced to the Zones Championship to be held in Philadelphia next week. Acly and Buhrmann qualified by winning the Advanced Walk Trot Canter class last week at Regional Finals at Wilson College.

The two swept the top 12 competitors in the region by taking first and second, respectively. Acly and Buhrmann will compete against winners from the other two Regionals at Zones. The winners of Zones move on to Nationals in Fort Collins, Co.

Also competing at Sunday's Regionals were Holly Lynch '95, Amy Brent '95, Kaitlin Sheppard '97 and Jackie Williams '98. Lynch finished sixth in the Intermediate Fences while Sheppard and Williams captured fifth and sixth, respectively, over the Novice Fences. Sheppard also took fifth in the Novice Flat class.

Equestrian

Lacrosse trounces Radford

BY ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's lacrosse team rolled to its fifth win of the season last Saturday at home by defeating an out-matched Radford squad, 17-3.

Jon Methven '96 led the scoring attack with four goals, while Mark DelGrosso '98 added three goals and dished out two assists.

After taking a one goal lead

into the second period, they scored 14 of the next 15 goal to put Radford away. The Orange and Blue also held Radford scoreless in the second half.

All told, 11 Bison players scored while Mark Stirpe '98 allowed only three goals in 45 minutes of play.

The team travels to Lehigh Saturday for a Patriot League game and plays host to Penn State on Wednesday.

Men's Lacrosse

Bison Calendar

Softball			
Thur. 13	VS. LAFAYETTE		3:30 pm
Sat. 15	VS. LEHIGH		1:00 pm
Baseball			
Fri. 14	VS. LEHIGH(2)		1:00 pm
Sat. 15	VS. LEHIGH(2)		1:00 pm
Tues. 18	at St. Bonaventure		3:00 pm
Men's Lacrosse			
Sat. 15	at Lehigh		2:00 pm
Wed. 19	VS. PENN STATE		7:00 pm
Women's Lacrosse			
Sat. 15	at Colgate		1:00 pm
Tues. 18	at Drexel		4:00 pm
Men's Tennis			
Sat. 15	VS. COLGATE		1:00 pm
Tues. 18	VS. VILLANOVA		3:30 pm
Wed. 19	VS. ST. FRANCIS, PA		3:30 pm
Golf			
Sat. 15	at Penn State Invitational		
Sun. 16	at Penn State Invitational		
Wed. 19	VS. SUSQUEHANNA, MT. ST. MARY'S, TOWSON STATE		
Track and Field			
Fri. 18	at Shippensburg		

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Meg Hallahan '97 and Kate McIlvain '97 vie for the ball. The Lady Bison face Colgate on Saturday and Drexel on Tuesday which will determine their post-season status this season.

Lady Bison comeback falls short

BY KRISTIN CANNON

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Lady Bison played an impressive game on Sunday, April 9, despite a narrow loss of 16-15 to Richmond.

This year's team has united together with a positive attitude and strong effort to give their opponents a worthy foe.

Women's Lacrosse

The team, comprised of three seniors, a junior, eight sophomores, and six freshmen, show motivation and strong work ethics in their time during the games and

practices.

Their rebound from a rough last season has enabled them to play strong offensive and defensive games.

With a score at half-time of 8-6, the Bisons fought hard to score nine more points. Leigh Owens '95 and Alison Cox '97 each scored an impressive three goals. Other

top scorers include Jennifer Kangas '95 and Kate McIlvain '97 with four goals a piece, and Tracey Freeman '95 with one goal, making it a good season for

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COMMENTARY

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Congratulations to Bucknell's crew team.

Many times the job of a sports writer is to "knock" certain athletes and teams for their mistakes, but there are always exceptions.

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The Orange and Blue are having a great season. The highlights have been the Augusta race where the men's

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For example, Brown's heavyweight men's team have dominated by winning the Triple Crown (IRA, Collegiate Nationals, and Eastern Sprints) for two consecutive years.

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And in case your wondering, the end is not in sight—the men's heavyweights are not losing any rowers and there are only a few seniors on the team that are graduating.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who was second in goals scored for the Bucknell Men's lacrosse team last season?
2. What current baseball manager has been in the Major Leagues the longest?
3. Can you name the vessel Dennis Conner is leading in this year's America's Cup?
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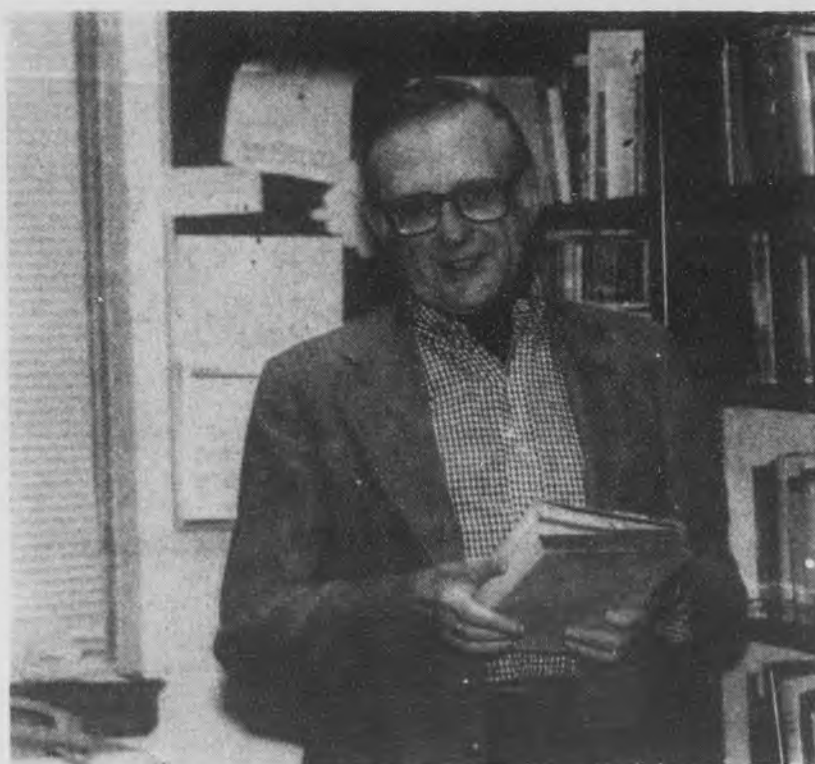
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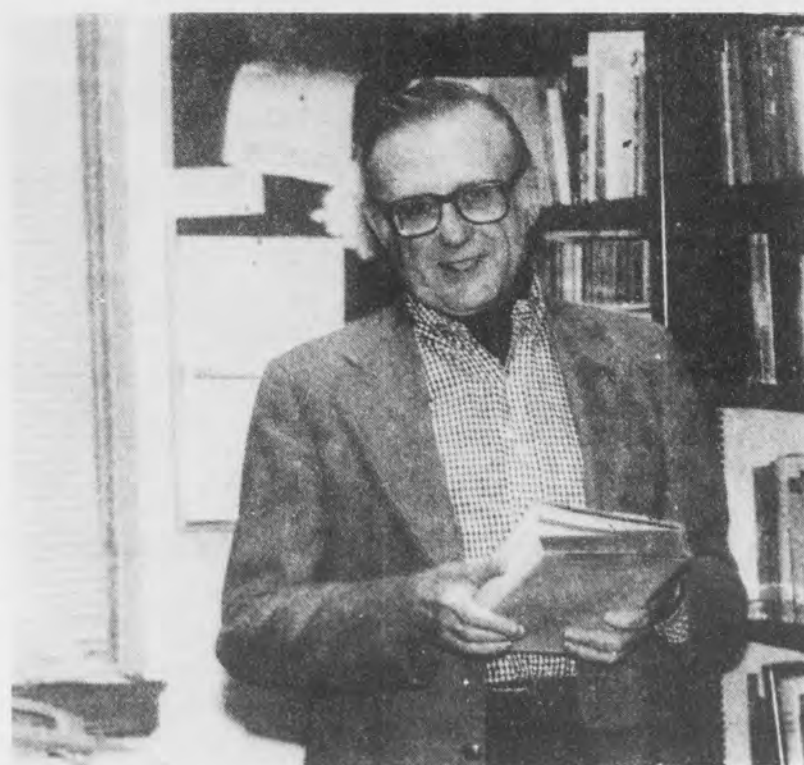
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10 p.m.: Harley: The Professional Lunatic, The Bison, Langone Center

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Bucknell in Cuba
Bucknell's Greek Systems: Is It Still *Animal House*?
Create Your Own Jewelry
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Indians and Casinos: Who's Winning?
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National Public Radio's Cube Painting Problem
Public Safety on Campus
Puzzles of British Pre-History
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Russia's Third Time of Trouble
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Taking a Look at College Drinking
The Library Without Walls
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7:30 a.m.; a.m.-11 a.m.; "Scramble" Golf Tournament, Bucknell Golf Course; advance registration only (\$20 or \$40 per person)
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Forty gray t-shirts were reported missing from the equipment room at the Fieldhouse.

Public Safety discovered one side of the Bucknell West gate missing.

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Saturday, April 15

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Public Safety officers discovered that unknown person(s) had broken the window of a door in Larson hall. Work order was filed to repair damage.

A student reported that his wallet had been stolen from the floor of the weight room. Student was advised to cancel all credit cards and related items in wallet.

Sunday, April 16

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The pen still mightier than the sword for women poets

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All photos by Colleen Rush '95

"Moon" by Alik Barnstone

Who in her right mind talks to the moon? I do.
I have looked to the moon to pray: let someone far away

Whose faith is strong. But doubt is trees, parked cars.

And still houses rendered shadows (even under the full moon)
Whose shapes I fill in, while I sever the whole

Neighborhood (where I live) from the light-cut lake
Mirroring the moon's solitary look.

Tonight I make my request: help me with this loss.
And the moon steadily fills the dark with itself.

Its face open-mouthed as if calling out in suffering
Long ago, its expression remained fixed and its light

Kept changing as tonight its familiar visage plays
On the waters of the lake brightens the summer

Ripples moving in a slight breeze and humid heat--
Such quickness and such heaviness--blades of white

Shifting against each other like a fast handed crowd
Sharpening knives, and like my mind slicing away excess



"Knowing Loss" by Jodie Eash

I leave you with sleeping women
in construction kit identical beds,
where you curl your legs around
their plump, sunburned thighs
and lick their straight, shiny hair.

The girl with the sunflower head
calls my name and I answer
through a mouthful of grass
that I pretend is chocolate.
This is a sure sign of spring.

She smells hyacinth growing in rows
on cracked Saturday sidewalks
and cupcakes dancing on bookshelves
in boxes of sugar and flour and
cream that gets in my eyes.

I wake with the well-mannered person
I've built out of sweaters and socks
to occupy half my space and
to blame for mistakes I might
make while dreaming.



"Second Coming" by Jen Gulbin

My head is a bowling ball,
and my lover is a gay
black Jesus with a crown of
candy hearts. When we make love,
I pick them off, one by one,
kiss me, will you, I'm yours. He
says forgive me and I feel
crucified. My mother calls this intimacy.
The boy ascends to heaven
and is seated at the right
hand of life, where he is served a martini for his
efforts.
I kiss his wounds. He jams three
fingers into my head to decide what to believe.



"Random Venus" by Andrea Krackow

Sunday morning in her kitchen.
Mama crying in peaches and tins
about the stale husbands that never got cooking
and the linoleum stains of Saturday Nite Men;
those burnt-out cigarette butts stuck like mold
in her Wonderbread.

She woke dead, but kept walking
and I learned the muscle of this woman to sweat
in the iron breast she fed her children.

With her bra strap crooked and her peroxide head
she was the undiscovered Barbie, that random
Venus, who rose for her babies, but
never found Ken.



Untitled by Timek Williams

I silently begged the stars to help me,
but known where out tonight,
only the moon, shining on his face
never letting me forget,
this night
or him.

As my own tears flowed
down...
down...
to my breasts
as I
just layed there
drowning
in
his love
my silence
and our death.



from "Women's Lib" by Jacqueline Vadjunec

you sing songs of praise
about my vagina for that
is what makes me a woman

no
my stretch marks a trophy
of my anorexic youth
the history of my struggle
mapped out on flesh
the strength behind my over-
looked eyes or the erect head
straight shoulders in my stride

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SPORTS**Bison pull off upset victory over Villanova**

BY ERIC SHORTZ
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It has been an up and down season for the men's tennis team, but with three dual matches and the Patriot League Tournament remaining, the squad seems to be peaking at the right time.

The Bison rolled to a convincing 7-0 victory yesterday at home against non-league foe St. Francis (Pa.). The team swept the six singles matches, winning all 12 sets, 11 by a 6-0 or 6-1 margin.

Bucknell upped its record to 9-7 overall, 2-2 in Patriot League. Captain Mark McGuire '95 recorded his 11th win of the season in both

Men's Tennis

singles and doubles, giving up a just one game in his singles and match and teaming with John Newman '96 to take the doubles match.

Coach Robert Hammerlee and his squad recorded their biggest win of the season Tuesday, squeaking out a 4-3 victory at home against Villanova.

Despite losing more games to the Wildcats in singles matches, the Bison were able to come away with a split, and then pulled out the victory by taking two of three doubles matches. The teams of McGuire/Newman and Ryan McAlleer '97/John McLean '97 each took 9-7 wins to offset the loss to Villanova in the other doubles match.

Bucknellian file photo
Captain Mark McGuire '95 practices before an earlier match.

No. 1 singles player McGuire came up big with a three set victory. After losing the first set 6-3, McGuire came back to take the next two 6-4, 6-3 to help lead the

Bison to victory. The Bison travel to Mt. St. Mary's tomorrow and host Loyola (Md.) on Monday. The Patriot League Tournament takes place next weekend.

Bucknellian file photo
Bucknell rugger fight for the ball in a game earlier this season. Their record is currently 2-1.**Lady Bison record back to back victories**

BY ERIKA YENCHA
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The women's rugby team improved its record to 2-1 with victories over Franklin & Marshall and Bloomsburg this weekend.

A tough season opener two weeks ago left the women rugger without the help of key starters Holly Fisher '96, Paula Blinney '96 and Chris Tuveson '98. Despite these injuries, the "All Blacks" rallied back and dominated both games.

In the first game, the women rugger came out strong and quick, overpowering Franklin &

Marshall for much of the first half. Jen Andrews '96 was able to put the ball in the try zone, helping the All Blacks to a 5-0 half-time lead.

The second half continued the Bucknell domination. The Bison relentlessly pushed back any attempts by Franklin & Marshall. Good strategies and well executed plays kept the rugger on F & M's side of the field, where Bucknell easily scored one try after another. Andrews scored an early try in the second half and the Bison never looked back. Freshmen players proved invaluable with Dawn Lonslinger '98 scoring two tries and Zoe Susice '98 adding one.

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The second game played off much like the first. In the top of the eighth, Lehigh once again scored six runs to break the 3-3 tie and pick up the 9-3 win.

The loss dropped the Bison to 13-19 overall, 3-3 in league.

The squad split a doubleheader with Lafayette at home last Saturday that took its league record to 3-1 at the time.

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SPORTS

Bison pull off upset victory over Villanova

BY ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Staff Writer

It has been an up and down season for the men's tennis team, but with three dual matches and the Patriot League Tournament remaining, the squad seems to be peaking at the right time.

The Bison rolled to a convincing 7-0 victory yesterday at home against non-league foe St. Francis (Pa.). The team swept the six singles matches, winning all 12 sets, 11 by a 6-0 or 6-1 margin.

Bucknell upped its record to 9-7 overall, 2-2 in Patriot League.

Captain Mark McGuire '95 recorded his 11th win of the season in both

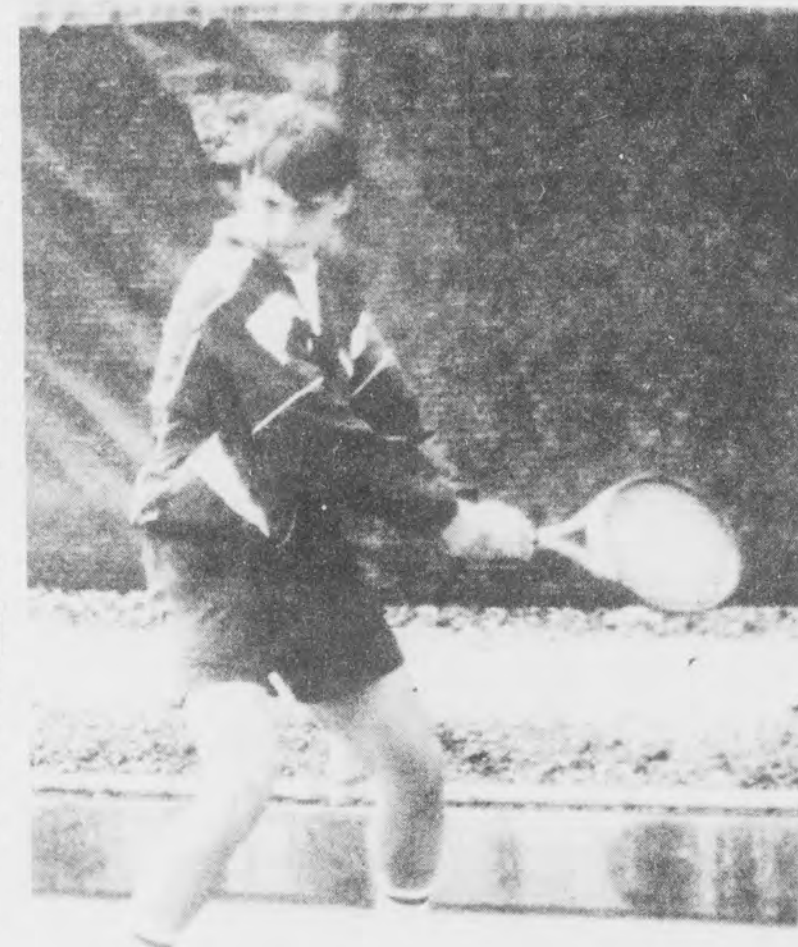
Men's Tennis

singles and doubles, giving up a just one game in his singles and match and teaming with John Newman '96 to take the doubles match.

Coach Robert Hammerlee and his squad recorded their biggest win of the season Tuesday, squeaking out a 4-3 victory at home against Villanova.

Despite losing more games to the Wildcats in singles matches, the Bison were able to come away with a split, and then pulled out the victory by taking two of three doubles matches. The teams of McGuire/Newman and Ryan McAlleer '97/John McLin '97 each took

9-7 wins to offset the loss to Villanova in the other doubles match.



Bucknellian file photo
Captain Mark McGuire '95 practices before an earlier match.

No. 1 singles player McGuire came up big with a three set victory. After losing the first set 6-3, McGuire came back to take the next two 6-4, 6-3 to help lead the

Softball loses double-header to Lehigh

BY ERIC SHORTZ

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The softball team has experienced mixed results in Patriot League play this season. The team dropped both games of a double-header to Lehigh last Saturday at home.

The Lady Bison led the first game 5-2, but the Engineers scored six runs in the top of the seventh to pull off the come-

back, 8-5.

The second game played off much like the first. In the top of the eighth, Lehigh once again scored six runs to break the 3-3 tie and pick up the 9-3 win.

The loss dropped the Bison to 13-19 overall, 3-3 in league.

The squad split a double-header with Lafayette at home last Saturday that took its league record to 3-1 at the time.

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Bucknell rugger fight for the ball in a game earlier this season. Their record is currently 2-1.

Lady Bison record back to back victories

BY ERIKA YENCHA

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The women's rugby team improved its record to 2-1 with victories over Franklin & Marshall and Bloomsburg this weekend.

A tough season opener two weeks ago left the women rugger without the help of key starters Holly Fisher '96, Paula

Rugby

Blumebury '96 and Chris Tuveson '98. Despite these injuries, the "All Blacks" rallied back and dominated both games.

In the first game, the women rugger came out strong and quick, overpowering Franklin &

Marshall for much of the first half. Jen Andrews '96 was able to put the ball in the try zone, helping the All Blacks to a 5-0 half-time lead.

The second half continued the Bucknell domination. The Bison relentlessly pushed back any attempts by Franklin & Marshall. Good strategies and well executed plays kept the rugger on F & M's side of the field, where Bucknell easily scored one try after another.

Andrews scored an early try in the second half and the Bison never looked back. Freshmen players proved invaluable with Dawn Lonsinger '98 scoring two tries and Zoe Susice '98 adding one.

The rugger finished the game in style, defeating Franklin & Marshall, 25-0.

The second game was a B side match-up where the newer players went up against Bloomsburg. Under the guidance of some veteran players, these inexperienced rugger controlled the game from kick-off to the last whistle.

Despite this, Bloomsburg was able to hold on and keep Bucknell out of the try zone for the first half. However, Bucknell turned it around in the second half. Veteran players Karin Roethke '97 and Lisa Metzke '97 scored back to back tries and the All Blacks shut out Bloomsburg, 10-0.

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EDITORIAL

Sojka appropriate choice for commencement speaker

For future keynote speakers we need good balance of celebrity and knowledge of University

For those of us who will graduate this year, the decision to include President Gary Sojka as the keynote speaker at Commencement provides a nice closure to four or more years spent with him at Bucknell's helm.

With the majority of our undergraduate or graduate experiences shaped by one president, Sojka's presence at Commencement affirms the presence of an administration that largely informed the course of our Bucknell education.

The list of possible candidates for keynote speakers including Hillary Clinton, Bob Dole, and James Earl Jones, among others. And while it might have been interesting to hear what insights about life after college these very public figures had to share with graduates and their families, Sojka is still the better choice.

As a president who has led the University during the class of 1995's time on campus, but who left the position almost immediately before our departure, Sojka has played a major role in many of our college careers. Getting to know students,

forming relationships with them, and greatly influencing students' lives, Sojka is the presence students would have missed greatly had he not been present, or involved with graduation in some way.

Because he is connected so strongly with Bucknell and the students, Sojka promises to deliver a keynote address that will tailor itself most precisely to the most relevant issues facing graduating students. A visiting speaker, no matter how well-known, or commanding of presence, would not be able to do the same.

General comments about life after college might suffice for some graduates; for undergraduate and graduate members of Bucknell's class of 1995, a specific address by one who is most familiar with the workings of the University is most appropriate and welcome.

But while choosing a member of the campus community is quite appropriate for this year's commencement, given that this is the year a president relinquished the office after a successful administration, this tactic may not be as effective in suc-

ceeding years.

Continually selecting members of the campus community may trivialize the importance of the ceremony, suggesting that unlike other colleges and universities, Bucknell cannot attract public figures to speak at commencement. Yet inviting "big name" celebrities with no working knowledge of the trials Bucknell graduates may face after leaving the University lends no relevance to a final message for students to carry away with them.

We applaud the choice of Sojka as the speaker to send the Class of 1995 into the realm of life after Bucknell, but hesitate to recommend the practice of choosing an active member of the campus community every year. It should be a last resort, not an easy way out of the difficult task of selecting the Commencement speaker.

Hopefully, succeeding commencement speakers will comprise a healthy mixture of these two elements.

LETTERS

Female students respond to abortion letter

Women have the right to make their own choices about unwanted pregnancies

TO THE EDITOR:

We would like to answer the letter by Kelly Bennett "The Abortion issue: pro-choicers forget the baby's rights" for the April '94 issue of *The Bucknellian*. The title of her article is: "The Abortion issue: pro-choicers forget the baby's rights". In the fourth paragraph, she says that "the issue is over whether or not life begins at conception." We are sorry to inform her that yes, life probably begins at conception, but that is NOT the issue of abortion. The issue is something very different; it has to do with a woman's right to have control over her body, to have the opportunity to choose what is best for her at any one point in her life. We don't like abortion. We are not pro-abortion; we are pro-choice. We would be very happy if no women needed to get an abortion. It would be perfect if all the babies in this world were wanted and loved. But life is very different and we have to think about realistic solutions for real problems such as unwanted pregnancies.

Bennett says that "as far as control goes, we, as women, have control over our bodies long before we ever get pregnant." Please, stop being hypocritical! This is very easy to say for a Bucknellian, probably from a family with money enough to make a decent living, with a house of their own, a dog and a bird. A daughter or a son from that kind of family gets, at a private and expensive university like Bucknell, a great education and lots of information about sexuality, contraceptive methods, and safe

sex.

But did she think about all those girls and women out there like prostitutes and women addicted to drugs because someone gave them bad advice? What about a teenager with an alcoholic father and an unhappy mother or a young girl lost in a society that doesn't give her any advice? They don't have the possibility to determine their own lives; everything is already set for them.

Ethiopians have a similar problem. They have been hungry for all their lives. They don't even know that on the other side of the planet, a country, the United States, mindlessly wastes and squanders the necessities of life. But the list doesn't end there. What about all the women that have been raised thinking that their only purpose in life is to get a good husband and have babies? Open your eyes America, this still exists! And think about the women who are manipulated by their husbands, with five babies to take care of, without any education and, of course, no possibility to get a job? This is the real world, the world in which we live. Life exists outside this smooth bubble of Bucknell. Besides, if pro-lifers are so interested in saving lives, why don't they dedicate themselves to saving people who are already in this world, suffering from hunger, wars, and injustice?

When Bennett writes that as we women have control over our bodies long before we ever get pregnant, she is implying that if a woman gets pregnant without wanting it, it is her responsibility.

so, she has to stick with it. This statement resembles the old-fashioned conservatism that defends pretty much the same idea: if you are poor, ask yourself what you have done; don't blame the rich people or society. If you are poor, it is just your fault.

At the end of the second column of her article, Kelly Bennett says that a lot of people that support abortion, "have no idea what it really involves or entails." We know perfectly well what abortion means. Nonetheless, aware of what it entails, we support the right of having the choice.

Bennett also talks about the baby's rights: the baby's right to be loved, to have a decent life with in the family. Unfortunately not all women can afford to support a baby. It is not only the economic issue or whatever reason a woman can give, but her choice over her own body. If she doesn't want to have a baby, she doesn't want to. This is a fact.

Contrary to what Bennett defends in the second paragraph of the third column, we don't need to bring up the issue of rape to defend the choice of all women to have control over their bodies. We don't need to say that "some choices are just wrong." We say, we believe, we scream out loud that every choice, whether or not it is to get an abortion or to keep the baby, is just right.

GORETTI OLIVÉ
PEGGY DEVAUX
APRIL 17, 1995

WVBU not responsible for failure of "joint" event

TO THE EDITOR:

We feel that the Bucknell community needs to be aware of the events that led up to the failure of the "joint" party between WVBU and BSG, IFC, Panhel, BAC, & RHA on April 1. The basis for our feeling that we had been slighted could not be included in the original article because the claims we made when interviewed could not be substantiated, not because they were untrue, but because, in order to save face and maintain the illusion that the event was successful, the leaders of these organizations whom Keith Nigro contacted either failed to comment or falsely denied any knowledge of any problems with the event.

WVBU originally scheduled to host an alcohol-free dance party in Larison Dining Hall on April 1 with the intention of giving something back to all the students of the Bucknell community. We did not become aware of any other group with a similar idea until we were told by Jeanne Hafer in the scheduling office that IFC and the Panhellenic council had tried on two separate occasions to oust us from our reservation, so that they instead might host their own dance party in Larison. It was not until AFTER these two unsuccessful attempts that they approached WVBU with the idea of "working together." After discovering the incredulous attempts of IFC and Panhel, we were understandably hesitant about working together with them.

It was only after the absolute insistence of BSG, BAC, RHA, IFC, and Panhel that there be a single event that WVBU agreed to work with them. We felt obliged to comply, as BSG funds WVBU, and as we did not wish to form bad relations with any of the other organizations. We all agreed to have a joint event in the Fieldhouse with a dance party from 8 to 11 p.m. and a band from 11 p.m. to 2 a.m. However, it was a mistake on our part to hope that they would

remain cooperative with WVBU and sincere in their intentions.

The main reason there was a conflict and why we feel that WVBU was slighted was because the one simple request that we asked of these organizations during the planning process was either ignored or flat-out denied.

Wendy Esham and Ted Capeless had planned to have Tech Services arrive at 7 p.m. on the night of the party. Tom pointed out to them that this would conflict with WVBU's part of the party, and repeatedly asked that all of the equipment for the band be completely setup by 6:00 p.m., so as not to conflict with the dance party portion of the event. Tom was assured this would be taken care of. However, Dale Hour-lan, director of technical services, informed Will after the event that Tech Services was never notified of this change. Had Esham and Capeless followed through with the agreement, the lights would not have needed to remain on, and therefore, the dance party portion of the joint event would not have been such a flop.

The groups said in their letter it would have been more appropriate for WVBU to seek them out rather than to "vent [our] frustration" in *The Bucknellian*. They conveniently "overlook" that we did talk directly to several leaders of these organizations. When WVBU had been told to stop playing music for twenty minutes for what was later described as an "unpleasant sound check," we spoke with Jen Salatchik and Esham. It was then that we voiced our complaints that the lights had remained on and that the setup for the band was interfering. Esham then stated that *The Empties* had priority, as they were being paid \$5000, implying that WVBU, and our complaints, were irrelevant and unimportant to the success of the event. If this is what they

felt, then they should not have insisted upon doing a joint event. We had hoped that Esham would take some responsibility for the organizations' failure to honor the agreement, however she refused to do so. Shortly afterwards, Tom expressed to Scott Charles, BSG President, that he felt WVBU had been screwed, and Charles voiced his agreement with Tom's feelings. For these groups to then say they were unaware of WVBU's complaints is a blatant lie, and to further say that we should have approached them, when we had already tried, is offensive.

Finally, we find it insulting that these organizations continue to maintain that they cannot be held responsible for any of the foul-ups that occurred that evening. The irony of it all is that had the agreement been fulfilled and the lights been off, many of those who came for the dance party probably would have stuck around for the entirety of the event, rather than turning around and walking right back out the door.

While the following was not the source of our complaints and allegations, in response to Cox & Sherlock's comment that the Greeks had agreed not to host any "registered parties" that night, we would ask, where were the Greeks then? We all know that fraternity parties on campus occur whether or not they are registered. Assuming that all of the individuals who came to the event were Greek, which was clearly not the case, the number of people in attendance would account for less than 10% of the Greek population. How can IFC and Panhel say the Greeks are so interested in actually having alcohol-free parties when very few Greeks bothered to show up? Perhaps IFC and Panhel should have encouraged more of their members to attend.

WVBU was involved in the decision

making process for this event. However our agreements were not honored by these organizations. Additionally, if IFC and Panhel were genuinely interested in alcohol-free events, then more Greeks would have attended. Thus the problems which occurred were not "out of the hands of all the groups involved," but instead were a direct result of bad management on the part of these organizations. We have no interest in "[damaging] the foundations of any future relationship which may develop between WVBU, IFC, BSG, Panhel, RHA, and BAC" as Cox and Sherlock stated. In fact, our original intentions, upon agreeing with these organizations, was to establish a "spirit of co-operation that must exist between all campus organizations." We simply feel that these organizations should responsibly acknowledge the actions, or lack thereof, which led to the failure of this event. We were focused on the "major purpose of the event: to provide an effective option to the alcohol-based social scene on our campus." The failure of the organizations to honor our agreements or to accept responsibility for their mistakes proves that their focus remains elsewhere.

Finally, we would like to emphasize our disappointment that some elected student leaders have exhibited a willingness to take advantage of other students for their own benefit. As student leaders, we would hope that they would wisely use the power with which they have been entrusted for the best interests of all students. We hope a situation like this, in which student leaders with power abuse that power to advance their own agendas, does not happen again.

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OPINIONS

The CIA: Disastrous for Democracy

BY MICHAEL O'HEANEY

Bucknellian Staff Columnist

In January 1993 I stood over a small stone marker, placed with 13 others, to commemorate where men, women, and children had fallen dead from fatal gunshot wounds inflicted by soldiers of the Guatemalan military on the night of Dec. 2, 1990. These people had been part of a massive demonstration to resist the oppressive military presence in Santiago-Atitlan when the defense forces opened fire. This particular marker signified the spot on which Jeronimo Sojuel Sisay, a ten year old Mayan boy, had been killed. Still, this little boy's memorial was only one striking reminder of the estimated 100,000 people who died during the reign of terror in Guatemala. It continues to some extent today.

When news reports started to surface in the last several weeks that the CIA had not been totally up front about the role it played in the Guatemalan conflict, I was hardly surprised. This past January I watched with interest as Jennifer Harbury, an American lawyer, staged a personal hunger strike in front of the National Palace in Guatemala City, to try to draw attention to her effort to find the whereabouts of her husband, a Guatemalan rebel leader. When Harbury asked the U.S. State Department and President Clinton for assistance, they told her they had no information on her husband.

In fact, they did not. However, the CIA did. It was revealed last week by Representative Robert Torricelli of New Jersey that the CIA had links with a Guatemalan colonel who allegedly ordered the deaths of both Harbury's husband and an American citizen living and working in Guatemala, Michael DeVine. When DeVine was murdered, in 1990, the same year as the massacre in Santiago-Atitlan, the Bush Administration cut military aid to Guatemala. However, this was not the end of U.S. support for one of the most brutally repressive militaries in Latin America.

U.S. aid to Guatemala's military continued up until this past week under a highly secretive liaison program between the CIA and foreign intelligence and military agencies. Under this program, the Guatemalan military has received up to \$7 million a year, including \$4 million in 1990. The liaison program was so secretive that information on its existence was withheld from both the President and Congress.

When I returned from Guatemala after two weeks in that country, I told many people how shocked I was that no one seemed to harbor ill feelings towards me as an American. It is no secret in Guatemala that the U.S. government supported the military regimes in that country from their inception in 1954. Several people in Guatemala explained to me that because the people there have no control over their own government, they assume that it is much the same case in the U.S. How, after all, could people like ourselves be supportive of a government that helped pay for the Guatemalan military's scorched earth campaign?

Last week, the sentiment in that response came back to me with glaring intensity. What control do we have over our government? Is it reasonable to call our system of government a democracy if particular government agencies are not held accountable to the public through our representatives? The national security and secrecy arguments supported these past

two weeks by the CIA and among others, Newt Gingrich, interferes with our right to understand what our government is doing. Had the American people not been blinded by a conspiracy of silence and

Had the American people not been blinded by a conspiracy of silence and lies for the last 30 years, perhaps some of the 100,000 dead in Guatemala could have been saved.

lies for the last 30 years, perhaps some of the 100,000 dead in Guatemala, like the ten-year old in Santiago-Atitlan, could have been saved.

As Bill Moyers wrote in *The Secret Government*, quoting the Congressional report on another scandal involving Central America and U.S. Foreign Policy, "policies that are known can be subjected to the test of reason, and mistakes can be corrected...policies that are secret become the preserve of the few, mistakes are perpetuated, and the public loses control of government."

President Clinton and Congress have a duty to uncover the truth behind what is still a very cloudy situation. They also have an obligation to act on this opportunity to rein in a faulty, misguided, and undemocratic Central Intelligence Agency. This may cause embarrassment and controversy, but the consequences of an unbridled secret government are disastrous for democracy and peace, both here and abroad.

100 Days of Progress for the new Republican Congress

BY JEREMY MCKOWN

The protest against The Contract with America. What was that and what was the real purpose? Education cuts? No, more like self-aggrandizement by several faculty and students. The less than factual propaganda was at first entertaining, then disgusting. I have no qualms about fighting for education, since education and a strong family are two components at the base of a strong foundation. But, then the deviation began and people started getting off on the Republican call to cut taxes on capital gains and suggested that capitalism is the root of all problems known to man. This culminated with the put down of the white male and then men in general. This was more of a platform than a protest against America on any issue which happened to bother and frustrate Americans.

Before I go off on a tangent, I'll regain my focus and get back to the topic at hand. I suggest we all take an economics class to learn what capital gains are, etc. before crying foul. Let's try and work towards bettering society rather than scapegoating capitalism, white men, and the blue sky.

I guess this is the root of my frustration. Bucknell is a highly respected academic institution where higher education is supposedly being taught and then consumed by we, the consumer. But last week's episode throws that into question. Let's think about a couple of things. Back in 1992, the country elected Bill Clinton with less than half the popular vote (I'll save the numbers and statistics, since they don't mean a whole heck of a lot). In this past election, Republicans did very well, as people were deeply



Active Involuntary Euthanasia: Code for murder

BY JOHN SMITH

Bucknellian Columnist

How do you want to die? We all hope to go peacefully. Most of us would be willing to tough it out, even through a painful disease, and go down fighting.

But there's one possibility we rarely think about: that a doctor could decide it was time for us to go and end it all for us—without our consent. This isn't Star Trek. It happens today in the Netherlands, and maybe once in awhile here in the U.S. as well.

According to a 1990 Dutch government report, about 5,000 deaths each year (4% of all deaths in that nation) are cases of "active involuntary euthanasia." This means a doctor gave a large dose of morphine to kill the patient without his or her consent. Many of the families of these relatives. Yet, in one case, charges against a Dutch doctor, who killed a young girl with multiple sclerosis who was not terminally ill, were dismissed because the condition was "incurable," and therefore considered by the court a good reason to die.

Debates about euthanasia are complex and emotional. Some people feel that any suicide is immoral. Yet there are clearly some people near death who are in great pain and who feel that an assisted suicide is the best way. Perhaps the law can be written so that these people can legally fulfill their wishes. But those of us who want to keep control of our own lives should carefully consider the dangers of changing the law on euthanasia.

Consider that if you are unconscious, a doctor will be judging the nature of your case, not you. A doctor might decide that your chances are too slim and obtain your family's consent for euthanasia, in a case where you would have wanted to wait.

Consider the sad truth that many elderly Americans suffer from domestic abuse. None of us think this will happen to us. Yet many elderly people are victims of theft, harassment, neglect, physical abuse, and occasionally murder by their own family members. Allowing the family to decide a patient's fate could lead to more cases of death by abuse than death by mercy.

Consider that many of us are prone to suicidal tendencies. We all

know people who have attempted suicide; you may have tried it yourself. Under the stress of an illness, you may someday request death. You may have soon changed your mind. If euthanasia is legalized, you will never know.

Finally, consider the next steps that groups like the pro-euthanasia Hemlock Society may want us to take. Should people who aren't going to die but are really depressed be able to go to a "death clinic"? Should newborn babies with disabilities or health problems be killed? Should doctors, families, or government authorities be able to decide that we should die, whether we want to or not? Does this sound like genocide yet?

I've been watching the laws and court rulings, and they scare me. I fear we are creating a culture in which elderly people are a burden rather than a blessing. One woman taking care of her ill mother at home wrote that friends and doctors told her she was "wasting her life" in helping her mother. A doctor yelled at her—how dare she keep a sick mother at home?

Another woman has several disabilities and is a well-known speaker and writer. She tells me that upon going to the hospital she has had to talk the doctor into treating her. He had figured that a woman who is blind, partially deaf, and a wheelchair user certainly couldn't want to live. Examples like these suggest that a society which accepts euthanasia actually threatens to take our freedom away, as the control over our own lives is slowly eroded.

I personally believe that no person should commit suicide. To do so is to give up on the great challenge of continuing the "circle of life" to the very end. Considering that many of us have suicidal feelings at times, I question whether anyone in a healthy state of mind would really want to die. Yet, if a terminally ill person wants for weeks on end to be killed, that request should be granted. The big question is: Can any law be written that will protect the rest of us?

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SPORTS

Commentary

Montana:
The greatest
quarterback
ever?

Football great Joe Montana was joined by friends, family, former coaches, and 25,000 fans to announce that his NFL quarterback days were over last Tuesday. The ceremony was held in the city of San Francisco, the team in which Montana helped win four Super bowls, during his lucrative career. The Mayor of San Francisco, Frank Jordan declared Tuesday, April 18, 1995, "Joe Montana Day."

"This guy is the greatest quarterback who ever played the game," was confidently proclaimed by sports commentator John Madden in *USA Today*.

But, is it fair to call Montana the greatest quarterback of all time? Many argue that it is impossible to compare athletes of different eras because the game changes so fast. Sure Montana doesn't possess the most powerful arm in football, his release can't be compared to that of Dan Marino and his looks often resemble Barry Manilow, but when it comes to grace, presence and lightning quick visions of open receivers, there is no one greater.

Perhaps Montana is best known for his fourth quarter comebacks, for which he delivered over 30 in his lustrous career. This feat led to the deserving nickname of "Joe Cool."

"I don't know when I ever saw him panic," commented ex-49ers receiver Dwight Clark to the Associated Press. Montana's comeback victories did not start in San Francisco though.

When Montana played for Notre Dame, he battled a flu and led the Irish to a 22 point comeback in the Cotton Bowl. Montana's most prolific comeback was during Super Bowl XXIII in which Montana drove the 49ers 92 yards in less than three and a half minutes to defeat the Cincinnati Bengals.

Another one of Montana's great abilities is that of overcoming injuries. In 1986, he challenged a career-threatening back injury and later played through two years of a torn elbow tendon.

We'll never know how Montana would have fared against great quarterbacks from the past, such as Joe Namath, Johnny Unitas, and Roger Staubach, but when comparing Montana to quarterbacks from his era, he is undoubtedly the best. During his era, many quarterbacks have fallen to the wrath of injury while Montana showed his greatness in his ability of overcoming injury and keeping healthy. Joe had a heart for the game that complimented his ability to achieve great levels.

"My career was like living a dream," Montana concluded in his farewell ceremony. Now as quarterbacks, Steve McNair and Kerry Collins are ready to enter the NFL with extreme levels of ability and athleticism, we will only be able to see how they respond to the powerful and injury-prone NFL. Only time will tell.

Jeffrey W. Clark

Jeffrey Clark, Guest Columnist

Bison split with Lehigh;
lose to St. Bonaventure

Pitching and fielding still hurting Bison

BY BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

On April 19th, the Bison lost 10-6 at St. Bonaventure, making their overall record 9-21. Their Patriot League record stands at 4-8.

Dave Scranton '95, who started the game, gave up six earned runs on eight hits while striking out one in four innings of pitching. Steve Rutkowski '97 finished the game, giving up two earned runs on two hits while striking

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out one in four innings pitched. Outfielder Dwight Steward '95 went two for four with a double, a run, and an RBI.

Thirdbaseman Kevin Silverman '96 went two for five with one run, firstbaseman Kyle Morris '95 went three for five with a double, three RBI's and a run, and catcher Peter Cann '97 went one for four with a triple, a run, and an RBI. The Bison made three errors and allowed two unearned runs.

Last weekend, the Bison split two doubleheaders with Lehigh. On Friday, they lost the first game 5-3 and won the second game 5-4. Scranton, who started in the first game, pitched a complete game. In seven innings of pitching, he allowed five runs on five hits and struck out six. Silverman went one for three with a double, a run, and an RBI. Rutkowski, the DH in both games, went two for three with a run. Kyle Morris '95 went one for three with a run.

Scott VanDalen '96 started the second game of Friday's doubleheader.

In five innings of pitching, Van Dalen allowed two earned runs on two hits while striking

out three. Doug Hoffman '97 finished the game. In two innings, Hoffman allowed no runs and no hits. Morris went one for three with a double and two RBI's. Silverman went two for four with a run, and shortstop Pete Gorski '96 went one for four with a run and an RBI. Secondbaseman Brian Kubicki '96 went two for four. The Bison managed to win the game, but did allow two earned runs.

On Saturday, the Bison split another doubleheader with Lehigh, losing the first game 10-6, and winning the second game 8-2. Matt Gorski '97, who started the game, only pitched one and two thirds innings. He allowed three runs on two hits. Mike Anders '98 pitched three and two thirds innings, allowing two earned runs on six hits while striking out one.

Jason Pannennevecker '97 pitched one and two thirds innings, allowing one earned run on three hits while striking out one. Hoffman finished the game allowing no hits in the last one third inning. Catcher Chad DeHart '96 went three for three with a double, and two runs.

Silverman went two for three with a double, two RBI's, and a run. Morris and Peter Gorski also did well at the plate. Morris, who started the second game, pitched a complete game. In seven innings, he allowed two runs on six hits while striking out five. Pete Gorski went three for four with two RBI's and two runs. Rutkowski went two for four with three RBI's and a run. In addition, Cann and Kubicki both had good days at the plate.

The Bison will play at Bloomsburg tomorrow, and will be at Fordham for four games this weekend.

Bison Calendar

Baseball

Thurs.20	at Bloomsburg	3:30p.m.
Sat.22	at Fordham(2)	12:00noon
Sun.23	at Fordham(2)	12:00noon
Wed.26	VS. Mt. St. Mary's	3:30p.m.

Men's Tennis

Fri.21	at Mt. St. Mary's	3:00p.m.
Mon.24	VS. LOYOLA	3:30p.m.
Wed.26	at Lafayette	3:30p.m.

Softball

Sat.22	at Colgate	1:00p.m.
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Men's Lacrosse

Sat.22	at Colgate	2:00p.m.
Wed.26	VS. DREXEL	7:00p.m.

Crew

Sat.22	at Murphy Cup Regatta, Schuylkill River, Phila. Pa	
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Golf

Fri.21	at Princeton Invitational	
Sat.22	at Princeton Invitational	

Track and Field

Sat.22	at Lafayette Invitational	
Tues.25	at Penn Relays	
Wed.26	at Penn Relays	

Women's Lacrosse

Sat.22	VS. ST. JOSEPH'S	12:00noon
Sun.23	at Hofstra	1:00p.m.

Neumann wins Pitt criterium,
Yajko edged at the finish line

BY CHRIS NEUMANN
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The cycling team traveled to Pittsburgh to compete in the UPitt criterium and came up with mixed results. The course was a 2.1 mile lap, half uphill and half downhill, making for a very challenging race.

In the first race of the day, the 14 lap men's A/B, 25 starters started off at a quick pace, with the powerful Penn State team launching several breakaway attempts. On the third lap, one was successful, and included Bucknell rider Chris Neumann '95 and a lone Penn State rider. The duo quickly gained a minute over the main field.

During the ensuing laps, several attempts were made to catch the two, resulting in several groups of chase riders ahead of the main field of riders. The only

problem was that none of these riders were from Bucknell. At the end, Neumann was able to beat his breakaway companion in the sprint, but the next best Bucknell rider was Tim Gerrits '98 in seventh, who won the field sprint.

Following the race, Mike Kuhn '96 commented "We had the goal of winning the team overall today, and with all of those places up ahead of us, we didn't achieve that goal."

The final collegiate event was the women's race. Nikki Yajko '95 along with Sue George from Penn State quickly broke away from the rest of the women. The two worked together until the end, when the more experienced George rode behind Yajko, letting her break the wind until the final sprint, when she came around Yajko, who then dug down to try and

regain the lead across the line, but was not able to.

"That's it. I'm bitter this time. I've been getting second to her all season long, and I'm not going to let that happen again at the championships. "I want to win," said Yajko after the race.

Kristin Soto '98 rode a strong race to come in third, not bad for only her second race. Unfortunately, the team will lose Soto for the championships due to mandatory off-season varsity sport competitions. Not part of the collegiate program, but noteworthy nevertheless was the men's USCF Category 4 race, where Kuhn scored a convincing win with a solo breakaway, aided by Eric Fredericks '96 and Adam Wright '96.

The team also got a boost in the news that Whit Yost '99 has chosen to come to Bucknell next year. Yost is a versatile rider who has already started his own cycling team in his hometown.



photo courtesy of Stephanie Staino
Nikki Yajko '95 is nudged at the finish line by Penn State's Sue George at the University of Pittsburgh criteriums last weekend. Chris Neumann '95 captured the men's A race.

Golf finishes season with flourish

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

In what has been a disappointing spring season for the men's golf team, Jeff Graf '96 and Tommy Martin '97 have been the lone bright spots on the Bison squad. The two continued to shine brightly yesterday in the team's final tournament of the season, a tri-match against Susquehanna and Mt. St. Mary's.

Graf captured medalist honors and posted a career-low 75 on the par 70 Bucknell Golf Course while

Martin followed with a 76, his fifth sub-80 round of the season, to lead Bucknell to victory. The Bison posted a 389 in the seven man, count five format. Susquehanna finished second with a 416 total followed by Mt. St. Mary's with 432.

Martin went out in even-par 36, saddled by a two-putt birdie at the waterlogged par 5 ninth. Graf finished his round with a bang with a birdie on the par 4 18th. Both Graf and Martin averaged a snippet over 80 in 10 rounds this spring. In his last tournament of

his collegiate career, Paul Gregory '95 carded an 81, which was equaled by Mark McGlinchey '97. The squad had hoped to qualify for the Scotty Duncan Invitational next weekend, which takes the top 17 teams in District, but with a poor showing at the Penn State/Rutherford Invitational, the Bison's season ended unexpectedly early. The Bison needed to defeat Patriot League foes Colgate and Lehigh at the tournament, but fell short. Gregory was the low Bison at the tournament, posting 82-81=163.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who is currently the I.B.C. heavyweight champion of Boxing?
2. In what year did Joe Montana have his highest completion ratio (1992, 1989, or 1982)?
3. Can you the team name for Syracuse?
4. Who led the Philadelphia Flyers in scoring last year?
5. What Sports Figure was named "Sportsman of the Year" by *Sports Illustrated* in 1994?

Answers:

1. Tim Luter
2. Montana played one game in '92 posting a 71.4 completion percentage.
3. The Orangemen
4. Mark Recchi with 107 points
5. Don Shula

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Lifestyles

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A South African
graduate student
crosses continental lines
cultural barriers to
enjoy life at Bucknell.
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A glimpse of the
The Bucknell Adventure

Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Amanda Swarr '95, accompanied by David Cover, practices for tonight's recital. For more information about the recital, see page B3.



Karin Davidson—The Bucknellian
Ken Brusilovski '98 does his laundry at 12:40 a.m. in Smith Hall. Find out what other people do between midnight and six a.m. on pages B4-5.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Stephen Lamont displays a piece of his own handcrafted furniture. For more details about the artistic creations from his garage converted workshop, see page B5.

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—Bill Boswell, advisor of Spring Weekend planning committee

LIFESTYLES

Student crosses countries and cultures

BY DEBORAH ASTIN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bhekumusa Jabulani Ximba GR, known simply as B.J. on campus, is one of the many international students who adds to the diversity of the student body.

Ximba came to Bucknell University last semester without any preconceived ideas about the campus or its students. "I only knew the state of Pennsylvania from what I had seen on a map," said Ximba, "I did not know Lewisburg or Bucknell."

As part of the United States College Aid Program, Ximba was one of seventy-two students who came to the States from South Africa. The students spent two weeks at Lincoln University for orientation before they dispersed and enrolled in various institutions throughout the United States. "They taught us some American social skills concerning the different sexes here," explained Ximba, "Like approaching women and accepting gays."

Even though he had a brief orientation period, Ximba said his adjustment to the Bucknell environment has been somewhat of a culture shock. In addition to adapting to the types of food and the general environment in the United States, Ximba said he has had to make adjustments in other areas also. "Here, people just greet those whom they know," he said, "In South Africa, you give a greeting to everyone. There is more of a communal life in South Africa; whereas, here people want more space between them."

Ximba is currently working toward receiving his masters degree in chemistry and is working as a teaching assistant in that department.

He has daily contact with Bucknell students and shares in informal discussions with them about his life in South Africa. Ximba, born and raised in Durban, a Kwa-Zulu Natal Province in South Africa, brings a wealth of information with him to the Lewisburg area. As a member of the African National Congress (ANC) since the 1970's, Ximba has many stories to share from his own perspectives and experiences about topics and situations in South Africa, which most of students in the States have only heard about through the American media and various textbooks.

According to Ximba, "Americans are naive; they know very little beyond their own borders," he said. He likes sharing his own experiences with students because he feels his perspectives give students new insights into South African history, issues, and culture. Ximba said, "Students need a more world-wide approach; they should not rely on the media only. They must get information from different groups inside other countries."

He stressed the need for various perspectives when comparing the U.S. reports which students receive. For example, Americans have been well-informed of the tensions that have plagued Africa

since the late nineteenth century when European nations raced to build African empires. And they heard that after the institution of black majority rule in Zimbabwe in 1980, South Africa became the only country with a white minority government and was under increasing international pressure to relinquish control of Namibia. However, the American media had a tendency to portray the events in South Africa as more racially motivated than they actually were.

"It wasn't a racial issue," said Ximba, "It was a government issue. There were whites and blacks on both sides." Ximba gives students a clearer picture of what was involved in the uprisings in South Africa as he shares his life experiences in the country.

He said, "Blacks were not allowed to vote, and they did not have positions in parliament." Ximba said they were downgraded and not given proper education, and they had to get permits to seek jobs in the mines and industries of cities and towns which were owned by whites.

"The black workers could not move their families from rural areas to the cities; therefore, workers were made to live in compounds called hostels," said Ximba, "All of the better jobs were reserved for the whites. There were junior jobs in all departments; blacks could not hold the

supervisory positions over whites."

Due to the dissatisfaction with the government, detentions of blacks without trials were frequent. "These detentions often resulted in prison deaths which were falsely explained as suicides," Ximba said.

Now, in 1995, South Africa has implemented a new government. With a proud smile, Ximba explains the differences, "Everyone now has the right to vote. The number of blacks in parliament is more proportional to the actual groups in the South African population." Under the new government, blacks who are qualified in education, experience, and specialization can now get higher positions.

"There are currently both black and white juniors," said Ximba, "And blacks can now hold positions over whites."

In addition, now there are United States College Aid recruiting agencies in South Africa that help students from disadvantaged communities come to the United States to obtain an education which they can take back and share with their homelands. Upon graduating from Bucknell, Ximba plans to further his education and obtain a Ph.D. before returning to his "home, sweet home" of South Africa to teach and conduct research.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Bhekumusa "BJ" Jabulani Ximba GR came to Bucknell last semester from South Africa as part of the United States College Aid Program.

Skeptic presses luck at poetry reading

BY JOSH HARTMAN

As the music came hurtling out at me from the stage of the Weis Center, I was sure of only two things: first that it wasn't Hank Williams and second, that a ticket to see Midori play in New York would run about fifty bucks. If anyone saw me, which was unlikely as I was hiding under my seat, I must have looked almost as clueless watching Midori play the violin as a two year old would look at a lecture on differential equations.

I just clapped when everybody else did and nodded like I knew what was going on. Although I could tell that I was watching something very special and will always be able to say that I saw Midori play, I couldn't tell you which was the figure and which was the minuet for the life of me. Feeling very ignorant and frustrated by not being able to appreciate one of the greatest international violinists, I sought out something else that did not need a vast amount of prerequisite knowledge.

It was a few days later when I saw Danny Glover's picture on the walls of the Langone Center and decided to go to his poetry reading. In an attempt to avoid those feelings of ignorance, I first went to a student poetry reading in Bucknell Hall to brush up on my listening skills.

The two poets, Andrea Krackow and Dreyja Johannsen, are here only for the Spring as Stadler Semester Poets. Krackow's poems were strikingly frank. Her stories shifted rapidly from dreamy musings

to hysterical detail to horrifying reflections on childhood.

Her series of poems included one that she admitted was about nothing. This made me quite happy because I didn't have to worry about understanding it.

Johannsen's work often seemed to have a graver sentiment to it. Several of her poems were about childhood; one that was particularly strong was about the things we regret about our childhood when we are older. She also vividly demonstrated her sense of humor in her

In an attempt to avoid those feelings of ignorance, I first went to a student poetry reading to brush up on my listening skills.

poem about the zany things we all want to do in our hearts but never allow ourselves to do.

Despite my inability to appreciate Midori's performance in the Weis Center, I was feeling a little more confident about hearing Glover read Langston Hughes' poems. The show began with Felix Justice's reading and interpretation of one of Martin Luther King's famous speeches. The reading was done in a way that gave the audience the sensation of what it must have been like to be there the day

when King gave the speech.

Glover's reading of Hughes' poetry, however, was the more interesting of the two because it was abruptly clear that Hughes' poetry was not necessarily all about art. It was not necessarily all about the African American experience.

Rather, Hughes' words were about life. I had been expecting to have trouble understanding what he was trying to say, but I found that he was merely offering a poetic account of the life of every man. He wrote about the struggles and successes of people in a way that made it seem more affecting to a listener.

While I do not pretend to know a sonnet from a serenade, I was impressed with the language and power of Hughes' poems. Like both of the Stadler poets, Hughes' poetry was accessible to the novice, while still appealing to a veteran of poetry readings. Any person, regardless of race or stature, can relate some aspect of his or her life to the stories in Hughes' poetry. I clearly took away more from this reading than I did from Midori's performance.

It just shows that for some things you may need extensive knowledge to derive even the slightest satisfaction, but there are some things, that you can go in knowing nothing and leave feeling that you know exactly what the artist was trying to say.

Editor's note: This is part two in a three part series in which a reluctant newcomer to the artistic scene reveals his feelings about certain events.

Student band Rainmakers clears musical skies across campus

Recently formed student band plays at campus events

BY LAURA PELTONEN

They don't make rain, they make music. "They" are the Rainmakers, a student acoustic band that has been together since the beginning of the academic year. Tomorrow evening the Rainmakers will perform from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Freshman Quad (weather permitting, of course).

The Rainmakers include Alex Stiff '98 and Andrew Lasky '97 on guitar, Ed Porter '98 on bass and occasionally the harmonica, and Catherine Hollyer '96, a vocalist who sometimes plays the bongos. As a group, the Rainmakers are influenced mostly by folk and other light music, which will be evident to their audiences in their covers of music by artists like Cat Stevens, the Grateful Dead, and Phish.

As individuals, however, the musical interests of the Rainmakers runs the musical gamut. Stiff is influenced by blues and jazz artists like Miles Davis and Dave Brubeck. Porter likes spirited funk, which complements Hollyer's mellow folk influence. Lasky is a Grateful Dead fan.

The group likes to keep an element of surprise in their act. Every once in a while they'll work a comic spoof of James Brown or other artist into their performance. The Rainmakers also have a few original works in their set; Stiff has written a few upbeat tunes that the band plays along with its repertoire of about thirty folk and rock songs.

Last year, Lasky and Hollyer met at an Open Microphone Nite coffeehouse in the Bison. They enjoyed performing together. When Lasky learned that Hollyer was interested in performing in an acoustic band, he talked to Porter, who was trying to start a funk band at the time. Porter liked the idea and, after au-

ditioning successfully, decided to play with Rainmakers. "I gave up my idea of a funk band; I felt that acoustic would be more marketable and still be a lot of fun," Porter said.

A meeting between Lasky and Stiff, who proved to be an asset to the band, made the Rainmakers an official group. Together, they quickly learned a number of songs in the beginning of the year to get ready for performances.

Now the band rehearses a few times the week before a performance. Although the band members would like to play more often than this, their busy schedules don't allow for much extra rehearsal or "jam" time.

All the members of the band are serious about their instruments and their music; they play because they enjoy making music together. Hollyer described her fellow band members as "really talented guys who are getting together to have fun."

The Rainmakers not only enjoy playing together on their own; they like to perform as well. "I make it a point to have fun and goof off on stage," Porter said. The element of fun that the Rainmakers crowd in performance spreads to the crowd as they mix comedy and spoofs with mellow folk songs. The musicians also frequently use improvisation and solos as they add their own personalities and influences to the music they play.

The Rainmakers plan to continue playing together throughout their years at Bucknell. Hollyer, a music major, would eventually like to work for a record company, but she hopes to also keep singing in bands after she graduates. Right now, though, the Rainmakers enjoy playing together and at fraternity mixers and other campus events.

Education major emerges into classroom experience

BY MEG HANNATY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

At 7:00 AM, a time when many students are still sound asleep with our shades drawn and alarm clocks set to wake up for class, Jill Lowry, a senior education major, is ready to start her day.

Why so early? Lowry is currently working as a student teacher at Millenber elementary school and has to be there by 7:15 a.m. She has been student teaching a third grade class since the beginning of March and will continue until May 12th.

Lowry's typical day starts when her alarm goes off at 5:45 a.m. She drags herself out of bed and gets in the shower. She eats breakfast and is dressed to go by 6:45 a.m. or 7:00 a.m. the latest.

The only people she sees as she leaves are public safety checking for parking stickers and the people coming to work at the power plant. Lowry arrives at school around 7:15 a.m. and is there until about 3:30 p.m.

Usually, student teachers start teaching one subject and are given more as time goes on, but the teacher that Lowry has been working with wants to give her everything. She is now teaching everything except for reading. This includes math, spelling, English, and handwriting.

After a long day at school, she returns to campus around 4:00 p.m. At that time,

she checks her mail and gets meal credit for lunch at the Bison. She will then either go back to her room or over to the education department to hand in lesson plans and meet with her supervisor, Judith Schaut, associate professor of education.

At around 4:30 or 5:00 p.m. Lowry goes running. She'll then take a shower and eat dinner around 6:00 or 6:30 p.m. Evenings are often spent tutoring or babysitting. She usually baby-sits three nights a week. If she isn't babysitting or tutoring, Jill will start lesson plans at 7:00 or 8:00 p.m. Otherwise, she'll get to them at 10:00 p.m. after baby-sitting or tutoring. By 11:00 p.m. every night, Lowry is worn out and goes to bed.

Lowry belongs to Fellowship of Christian Athletes, she leads a Bible study, and is a member of Delta Gamma. Additionally, Jill student teaches a seminar Thursdays from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

This demanding schedule does not seem to leave much time for relaxation. "That's what weekends are for," she said. Jill admits that her schedule is tough, but she is willing to make the sacrifice because she loves teaching.

This summer, Jill will be teaching the summer enrichment program in her home district, Lyscom, PA. She will also be taking graduate classes because she is going for her masters degree in educational administration.

A day in the life of a student teacher

5:45 a.m.--Climb out of bed
7:15 a.m.--Arrive at elementary school
4:00 p.m.--Return to campus
4:30 p.m.--Go running
6:00 p.m.--Eat dinner
7:00 p.m.--Start lesson plans, babysit or tutor
11:00p.m.--Fall into bed and sleep

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Volunteer tour guides introduce fourth graders to the arts

BY CAREY WIANT

If someone were to ask you, What is the current exhibit in the Center Gallery, would you be able to answer correctly? Would you even know where the Center Gallery is?

Many Bucknellians may not be able to answer these questions, but the fourth graders of local school districts would be able to tell you.

On Monday and Wednesday, elementary students from the Lewisburg Area School District visited the Center Gallery on the fourth floor of the Langone Center to view "The Eloquent Line," an exhibit of modern Japanese calligraphy. The tours were led by Bucknell student volunteers.

Sponsored by the Office of International Education a new community outreach program, these tours were designed to provide area children with a glimpse of Japanese culture through their art.

Mirei Isaka '98, a student tour guide, was born in Japan. She believes that this exhibit gave the children an unique and appropriate learning opportunity. "Calligraphy is one of the most representative arts of Japan and this exhibit provides a good introduction to the culture," she said.

In addition to providing university facilities for educational purposes to the community, the outreach program of the International Education office uses Bucknell's international students and students of color as resources for educating the community. Examples of

their work include organizing a visit from an African-American student from Bucknell to tell stories in the Lewisburg Elementary School for black history month and organizing international students to meet with local Girl Scout troops for completion of some badges.

"Our whole point is to give a picture of the world. To provide the community with views of different cultures and promote tolerance," said Amy DeChristopher '97, student intern in the Office of International Education regarding the community outreach program.

"These opportunities for teachers and students have always been here. By instituting this program, we're trying to make it official, efficient, and easier to get the community involved in the resources Bucknell offers for international awareness."

In addition to providing education about international and multi-cultural issues, the community outreach program creates a relationship between the community and University. "There definitely needs to be a link made and this is an absolutely perfect way to make it," said Cindy Pelier, assistant to the director of the Center Gallery.

Not only is the Office of International Education's outreach program providing Lewisburg with a plentiful resource for education, it is strengthening a positive relationship between the university and the community.

Editor's note: This article is the second in a series of articles of volunteering on campus.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Student volunteers donate time to leading tours for fourth graders from the Lewisburg Area School District in the Center Gallery.

Bucknell men 'chip in' for music festival

BY JENNIFER DECAMP
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It's Friday night, your parents are here, and you're not quite sure what to do with them. You know they would enjoy something entertaining, preferably humorous, maybe with a few catchy tunes thrown in, but where can you find all that in one place? The answer is obvious, of course. Take them to the Weis Center for the Performing Arts for ChipFest, the annual Parents' Weekend extravaganza that features Bucknell's own male a cappella group, the Bison Chips.

Tomorrow night's show promises to be eventful, with the humor that has become characteristic of the group and several skits in addition to the music. Ryan Zollner '97 describes this year's ChipFest as comical, "although we won't divulge any secrets!"

The evening's program will feature a co-ed a cappella group from Penn State. This group will perform after the Chips open the performance. Following a brief intermission, the Bison Chips will give the audience a taste of their new music, which they have been recording all semester.

This latest album, the third one for the seniors in the group, has had the Chips on the road all semester, which accounts for their few campus appearances. The CD, which should be available by the beginning of the 1995-96 academic year, will contain twenty songs.

Other opportunities have allowed the Bison Chips to travel to other universities to perform with similar groups, like the Silhouettes from the University of Virginia. "We had a good time there," Zollner said. Last semester the Chips were able to perform with the D Sharps from the Uni-

versity of Delaware.

Voices from the Chips' past will also be heard this weekend as several recent graduates are returning for the performance. Although the full list of alumni isn't complete, a few who will be here include Chris Williams '92, Rick Cranford '92, and Eric Hodgson '94, who will host the show.

The ninety-minute performance will be one of the final ones for the Chips' four graduating seniors. These four seasoned members (Bryan Gess, Brian Frutchey, Joe LaFalce, and Tim Anderson) may have something special in store for them. "Last year I was the person who got presents for the seniors," Frutchey explained with a laugh. "I'm hoping this year's underclass-

Junior-senior duo vocalize in recital

Two students combine to make beautiful music tonight at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

One of the strongest aspects of the music department at Bucknell is that students with majors in disciplines other than music are encouraged to participate and perform just as much as the majors are. That fact is reflected in tonight's junior-senior vocal recital, which features mezzo sopranos Amanda Swarr '95 and Gwynne Luminati '96.

"I'm not the usual recital-giver," Swarr commented with a smile. With a major in womens studies, membership in "about ten" activist groups, and a year spent in Europe, Kenya, and Tanzania, Swarr has still managed to find time in her life for music. Her musical involvement at Bucknell has ranged from studying privately with Martha Hill, lecturer in music, to participation in the concert chorale and the Rooke Chapel Choir, of which she is currently a member.

"As a senior, I wanted to do something to bring closure to my musical studies at Bucknell," Swarr said. "This recital is my final product."

Swarr's portion of the recital will feature an interesting variety of music. One of her pieces, an aria by Francesco Rossi, was probably written for an opera entitled *Mitrand*; however, this cannot be verified because, according to Swarr, "There's no record anywhere of this opera."

Combining her interests in women's studies and music is important to Swarr, who will perform two pieces by the German composer Fanny Hensel, sister of the

"This recital is the most challenging thing I've ever done."
—Gwynne Luminati '96

composer Felix Mendelssohn. Swarr will also sing four pieces by John Duke. The texts for the Duke songs come from the poetry of Emily Dickinson. "The music is well-suited to Dickinson's poetry," Swarr said.

Luminati is approaching tonight's recital from a music major's point of view. A music education major who also studies with Hill, Luminati's musical involvement extends to the concert chorale, Rooke Chapel Choir, and Bucknell Opera Company.

"This recital is the most challenging thing I've ever done," Luminati stated. Learning the music for a performance is a



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Gwynne Luminati '96 will be performing with Amand Swarr '95 and accompanist David Cover in a recital at 8 p.m. tonight in Bucknell Hall.

given challenge; when making arrangements for posters, invitations, and rehearsal space is added to that challenge, the amount of work involved in the recital process can be staggering. Luminati finds the process to be a valuable learning experience. "I feel more prepared for the solo recital I'll be doing in my senior year," she said.

Luminati's vocal selections for tonight's recital are also marked by diversity. Poulenc's *Banality* is a set of five French pieces, all of which are different in style. The second of these, a favorite of Luminati's, is a cabaret-style piece. "I sing about how I don't want to work; I just want to smoke," Luminati explained.

Joelle Wallach is an American composer who wrote *Ephemeris* in 1990. Tonight Luminati will perform the Bucknell premiere of this four-piece set. The four songs are entitled *Waiting for the Moon*, *Insomnia*, *Angry at the Muse*, and *Death*. "Insomnia has literally been keeping me up nights," Luminati laughed. "The piece is very fast with lots of words; sometimes some of the word combinations sound like tongue-twisters."

The Baroque era will be represented in tonight's recital by J.S. Bach's *Gott, der Herr, ist Sonn' und Schild*. Joining Luminati and accompanist David Cover (who will also accompany Swarr) for this piece is

flutist Katie DeBonville '95.

Luminati will close the recital with the aria *Una voce poco fa* from the Rossini opera *Il barbiere di Siviglia*. "This is an ornamented aria, and I get to choose the ornaments based on what I can do with my voice," Luminati explained. Heather Schweiger '97 will accompany Luminati on

"I wanted to do something to bring closure to my musical studies at Bucknell."
—Amanda Swarr '95

the piano for this piece.

Both Swarr and Luminati say they are looking forward to their recital. However, while Luminati is already looking toward next year's performance, Swarr is preparing to enter an anthropology program at the University of Minnesota, where she plans to earn a doctorate in women's studies and minor at the university's Center for Advanced Feminist Studies. Swarr hopes to be able to continue participating in musical activities while studying at Minnesota.

Tonight's recital is at 8 p.m. in Bucknell Hall. And is free to the public.

Faculty recital to hit high notes



Photo by Terry Wild
Soprano Catherine F. Payn, associate professor of music, will perform at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Bucknell Hall, accompanied by Raymond Cramer.



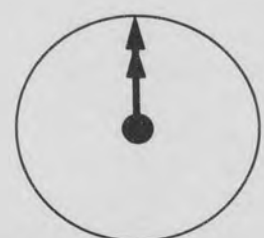
Lori Ann Woods—The Bucknellian
The Bison Chips, Bucknell's male a cappella group will be performing in their annual ChipFest for Parent's Weekend.

LIFESTYLES

Sleepless at Bucknell...



Right: Just returning from a road trip that lasted longer than he thought it would, Edward J. Jackson Jr. '96 unpacks his car at 12:45 a.m. in front of Roberts.



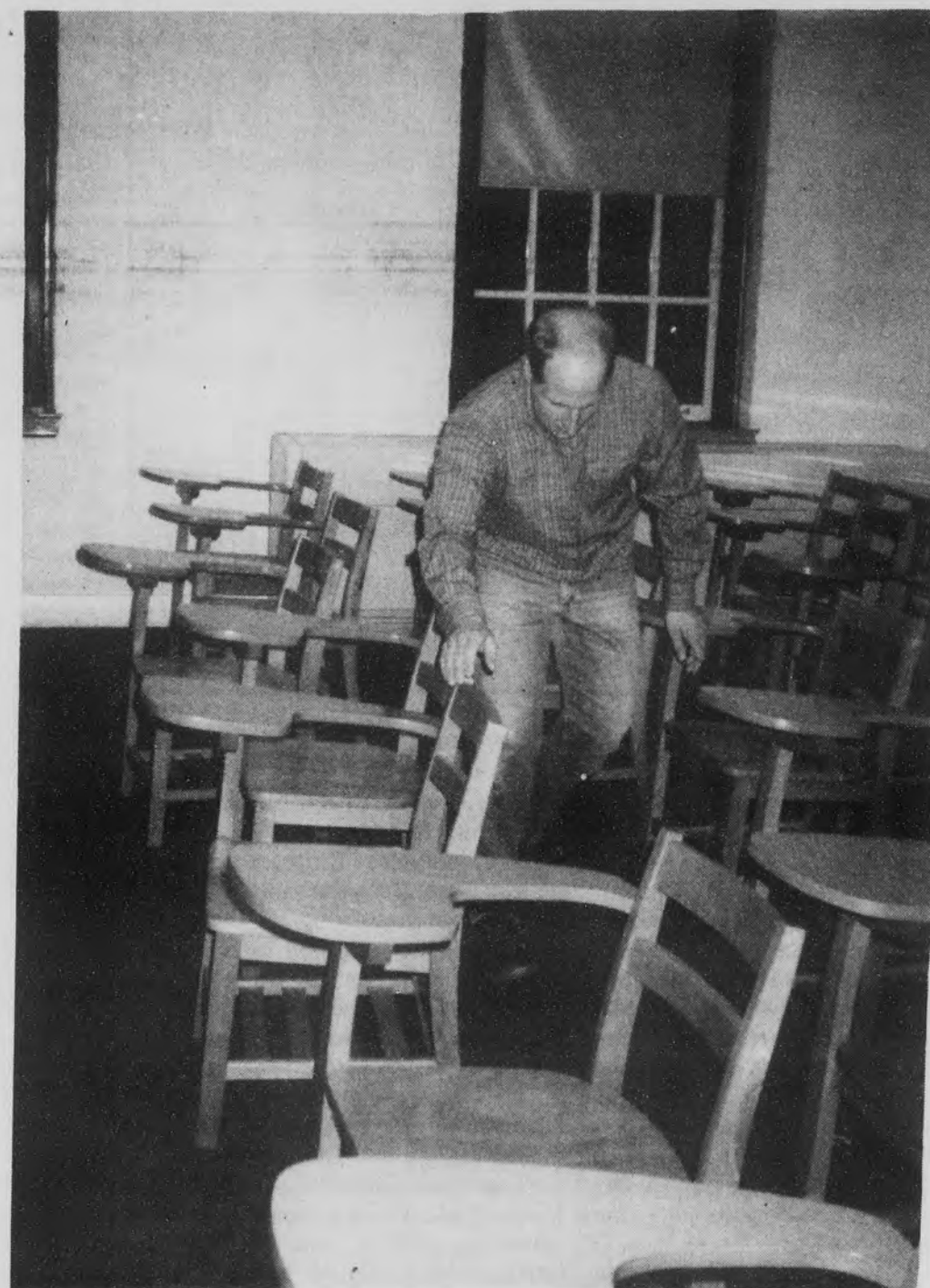
Below: In an empty Bison at midnight, Kim Weaver '97, Stef Bishoff '97, Chip Audette '97, and John Boger '96 play a game of cards.



Right: Rick Zeoli '95 and Gerald Saltarello '97 take the night off from studying as they enjoy the night air at 1 a.m. on the porch of a house downtown.



All photos taken by Karin Davidson and Rebecca Klingler



Above: Patrick Brantlinger, a custodian, straightens up a classroom in Vaughn Lit at 5:30 a.m.



Left: Nichole Diaz '97 studies for a Biology exam at 2 a.m. in a Schwartz lounge.

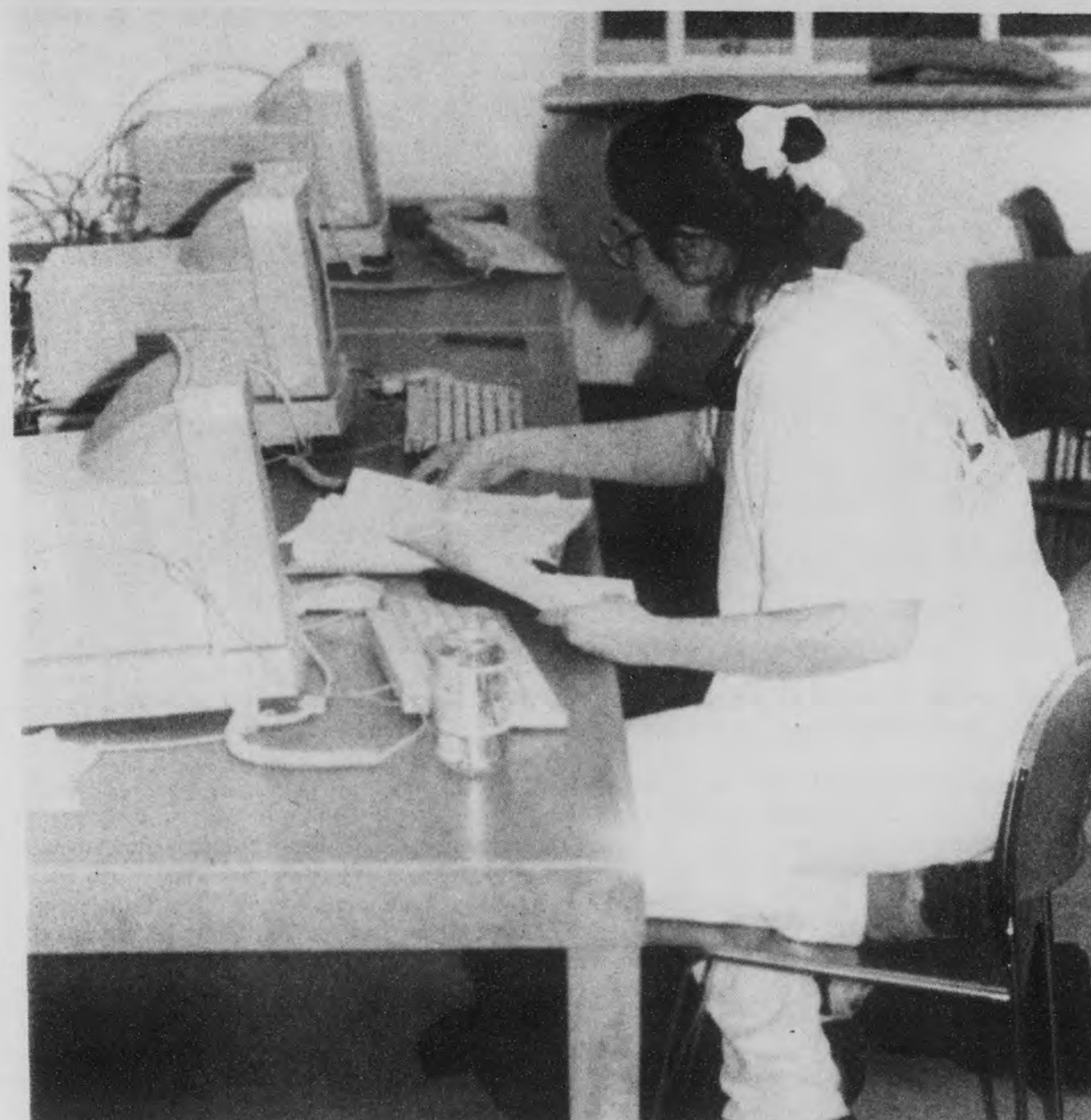


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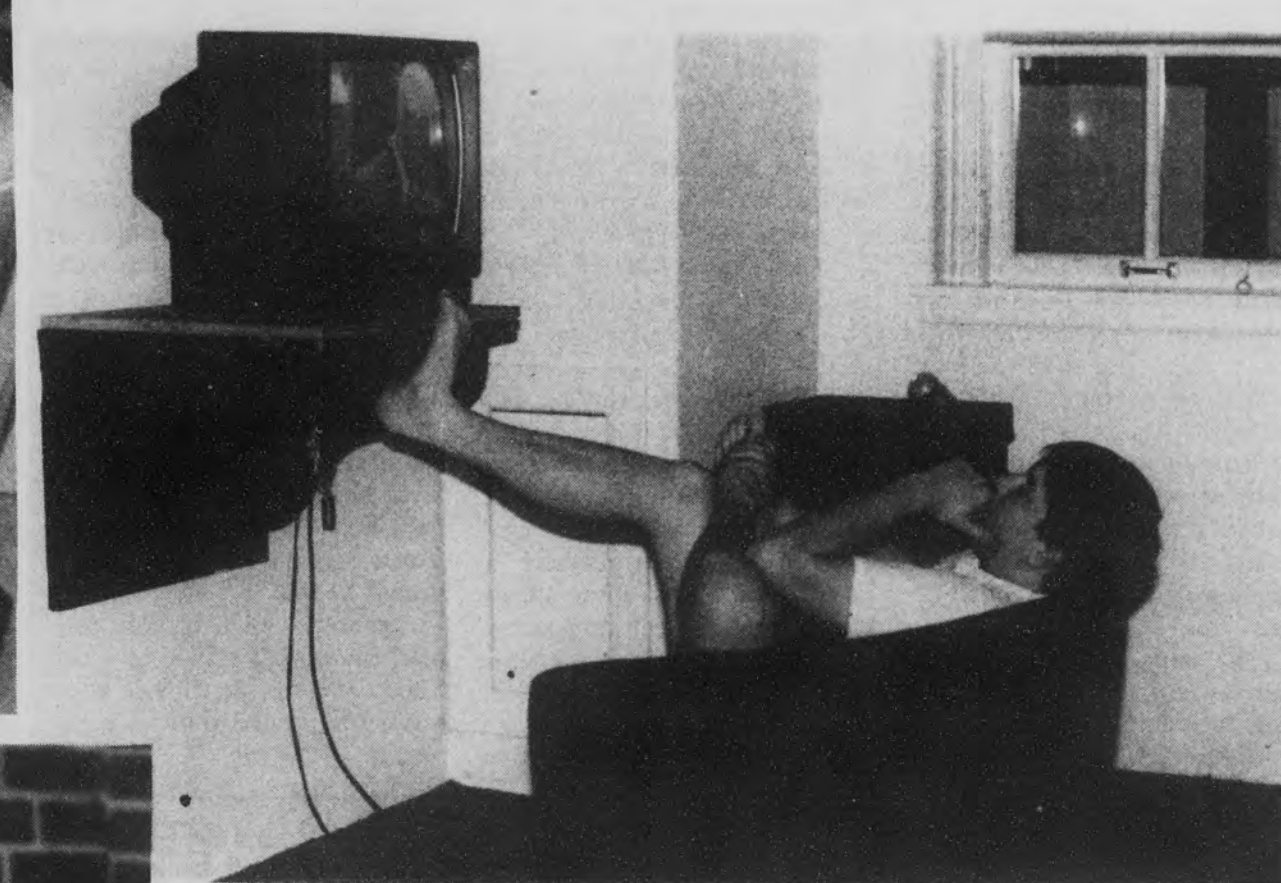
The lights went out in the dorm rooms and some students called it a night. But as the light posts outside got brighter as the night got darker, we (in some fit of madness and over-exhaustion) went searching for the people who were awake between midnight and six in the morning. The number of students and staff we found surprised us, and we discovered that the campus never sleeps. At every hour, daylight or not, someone is up somewhere, doing something, nothing at all, or just hanging out.



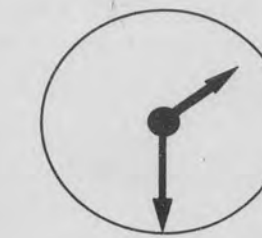
Left: At 4:50 a.m. in the library's 24 study area, Kate Atkins '98 works on a paper in a deserted computer lab.



Below: Catching up on TV in a Swartz lounge, Chuck Steinhauser '97 watches a 3 a.m. basketball game on ESPN.



Above: Mark Cavaliere '98 and Aditya Joglekar '98 take a relaxing cigarette break at 12:30 a.m. on a side porch of Smith Hall.



Left: Making copies at 2:30 a.m., Dan Whalen '96 makes use of the twenty four hour study area available in Bertrand Library.



Above: With coffee, cheesesticks, and cigarettes to help her through the night, Tammy Lelsey '97 studies for sociology at 4 a.m. in Perkins.

LIFESTYLES

Furniture maker carves out business in Lewisburg

BY KARA SARABO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

As the garage doors go up at the home of Stephen Lamont, Lewisburg's own furniture maker-designer, you don't find your usual rusty old toolbox, a few bikes with flat tires, and a family car. Instead, you enter an immaculate three-room workshop with a small stereo playing classical music.

Walking through the garage door, you enter the machine room.

Lamont explained, "I didn't have any machines and worked entirely by hand when I started out. It was interesting that way, but very tiring. You can do everything with hand tools, machines just makes it quicker."

As we continued the tour, we walked through a sliding wood door to the right and entered the main workshop.

As Lamont shut the sliding wood door he pointed out that, "In most workshops the machine room is an integral part, but with me it is separate. I use the machines to get approximately where I want to be and then use hand tools to get as close to perfection as I can."

Located in the center of the main workshop floor is a large piece of plywood over top a workbench that Lamont described as his drawing table; where it all begins—from a drawing.

The walls are lined with an impressive array of fancy hand tools including a plane rack that holds 11 different types of planes,

various saws, chisels, braces, more clamps than a hardware store would have, and a sharpening area.

In the right corner there are shelves packed full with all different kinds of local hardwoods, including oak, cherry, and walnut.

On a work table located right beside the drawing table lie bits and pieces of what would soon be an oak chair.

To finish the tour, Lamont pointed out another small room off to the right that was separated by a curtain hanging in a doorway, which was his office. All that could be seen was a desk and a few shelves lined with books.

Once the tour was finished, Lamont told me what brought him to Lewisburg. After serving as a pilot in the Vietnam War, he spent some time flying corporate jets in New Jersey. He decided to reconsider what he was doing in life once he started a family and realized the time away from home was becoming too much.

"I always did have an interest in furniture making, but I didn't have a clear idea of where I was going."

He began corresponding with a friend in England who had an apprenticeship in furniture making with one or two students at a time. So, in 1986, he and his wife traveled to Devon, England where Lamont spent a year doing an apprenticeship in furniture making.

This initial training experience began with minor projects, such as a workbench. In the end, he put all of the separate skills together

that he had learned and built a cabinet. Lamont chose a writing desk as his final masterpiece.

In 1987, upon arriving back home from England, he and his family moved to Lewisburg. "We came to Lewisburg because I thought that it might be possible to have a business here and it also seemed like a good place to raise kids because it was away from the city," he said.

Just last year Lamont went back to England to attend another workshop under Edward Barnsley, one of the leaders in the British Arts and Crafts movement. During these six months, Lamont was able to advance his British arts and crafts skills.

After this brief history, Lamont focused my attention on a recently finished end table that at first looked somewhat ordinary, but as he began pointing out its special, subtle features, the work of art took on a whole new light.

Lamont pointed out a subtle upswipe that added a whole new dimension to the flat top surface, drawers that had a perfect fit and didn't rattle, tall joints that were all cut by hand, and solid wood inside and out.

One thing that Lamont promises of his British Arts and Crafts Style furniture is quality. "That back is just as important as the front. Surface is not the only thing," he said.

Lamont never uses other people's plans, but rather uses the British Arts and Crafts style as an inspiration to design his own furniture.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

With his garage converted into a three-room workshop, Stephen Lamont transforms ordinary wood into pieces of furniture. Each piece of furniture he creates has special artistic features.

The pieces that he constructs are mostly commissioned. He says that he focuses mainly on simplicity but will add a little something of interest to each piece.

The step-by-step condensed version of the process of creating a piece of furniture according to Lamont include much time and consideration.

Before he even touches a piece of wood, a drawing must be done. Once that is completed, a cutting list is made, which lists every part

that will be needed and its size. After carefully choosing each piece of wood based on its grains, he rough cuts the lumber with a handsaw. Then, the machine planer is used to quicken the process of achieving a perfectly flat surface and 90 degree edge. Lastly, the joints are cut and all of the parts are put together to create what Lamont calls "a peaceful piece of furniture that is able to be lived with as opposed to new and outrageous."

Lamont's workshop differs from a production workshop because, "I consider the material to be a medium with which I strive to accomplish an artistic object: to blend the beauty of the wood with demands of structure and function into a peaceful, useful piece of furniture," he said.

Every piece of furniture that comes out of his workshop is unique and special because he adds to it "a small measure of wholeness and beauty."



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LIFESTYLES

Apology accepted: saying sorry needs seriousness

BY KARIN DAVIDSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It can be difficult. It's not always fun. How do you say you're sorry?

"I'm straight-forward. I shoot from the hip. I say what I mean because I might not get the chance again. I don't beat around the bush," said Christina Mayrhofer '98.

Most students agreed with this philosophy of apologizing, although Arlene Hoyt, director of psychological services, said that saying you're sorry is not always such a simple issue.

"It's a control issue for some people; apologizing can put them in a vulnerable position," she said. Hoyt cited this as a reason that some people never say that they're sorry. Another reason for not apologizing is if someone does not perceive that they've done something wrong she said.

Tasha Smith '97 said that saying she's sorry is difficult at times because "it's hard to admit that I'm wrong."

On the other hand, Dennis Hare '96 said that apologizing comes pretty easily. "Apologizing is good for communication," he said.

Different individuals have different attitudes about making amends. Sometimes people apologize even when they haven't done anything wrong.

Hoyt said, "This can come out of family structure and what we've learned as children, to be peace makers and at all costs make peace." Other possibilities Hoyt suggested for the need to say sorry is the fear of losing a relationship and fear of confrontation.

Self-esteem problems are a possibility as well. People may



think if something is wrong, they must have been the one who caused the problem.

Smith said she is not a peace maker. She doesn't apologize if she doesn't mean it because "that's lying. It's not good for relationships," she said.

Mayrhofer usually apologizes first. "I hate to let things go. I like to settle the argument, learn from the situation, put it behind and move on," she said.

Smith touched on this topic when she said, "If it's my fault, I have no problem apologizing, but if both people are at fault, I'm kind of hesitant (to apologize first)."

Sometimes a person can say something and not know it causes hurt. In this type of situation, Hoyt said, "Then a person can regret that they hurt the other person but not be sorry for saying it. There's a difference between regretting what happened and feeling guilty."

Can saying you're sorry actually be wrong? Hoyt said that if you are not in the wrong, apologizing says "I have done wrong" and that is not necessary or truthful. One example of saying sorry when it is not needed is in a situation where there is a controlling,

dominant person and a submissive individual. If the submissive person is always feeling guilty and apologizing, maybe this person needs to be more assertive, she said.

Conversely, Hoyt said that apologizing is a good policy. "It keeps us honest, human, connected, and in touch with our feelings and others. It gives us an appropriate sense of humility and shows us that we can take responsibility for our mistakes," Hoyt said.

Hare said, "Apologizing is good for communication."

Hoyt said that when apologizing it should take the form of anything that is comfortable. People should be sure to apologize for the specific mistake and not for being a bad person. In addition, apologies are most effective when the words are backed up by actions.

"Actions make the words have meaning," Hoyt said.

Town provides outlet when campus tour gets old

BY SARAH CATLIN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Welcome Parents! Oh, have you heard that one before? Spring term parents week-end may be a little repetitious for some parents.

Oh sure, your sophomore did manage to switch two posters around in his dingle. You proud parents of the soon to be graduates

There is more to do here then you can possibly have time for. It is time to explore the possibilities available in the surrounding areas. There is more to then meets the eye.

could always take another walking tour of the campus...it should take up at least twenty-five minutes. So, it is now ten-thirty in the morning on a Saturday and you have run out of new things to do. Never fear, there is more to do here then you can possibly have time for. This is a time to spend

with your favorite Bucknell student. It is time to explore the possibilities available in the surrounding areas. There is more to do then meets the eye.

First, go visit Lewisburg. The Lewisburg Arts Festival coincides with Parent's Weekend this year. The kick-off date is this Saturday, and it will run all week. It will feature artists and crafters of both professional and amateur status. Who knows, you may find the perfect house-warming gift for next year's living arrangement. Regardless, it will be a perfect opportunity to wander around window shopping and catch up on all the gossip.

Perhaps your tastes are a little more sophisticated than a simple craft fair. Well save your money and wander on over to the area's largest antique facility. Roller Mills marketplace has 300 hundred antique dealers to supply the area with an array of different items. At 517 St. Mary's Street, it also serves lunch in The Little Red Hen Restaurant. If Roller Mills does not satisfy your antique needs, one mile west of route 15, off route 45 west stands the Brookpark Farm antique center. This multi-dealer offers a large array of collectibles from furniture to stoneware.

Another campus favorite, the Farmers Market, supplies fresh vegetables to take home to apartments

and provides a popular lunch stand. In addition, on the week-ends it doubles as a flea market. With free parking and free admission it is a quality place to spend some quality time.

Did it? Seen that? Well get in that Cherokee and drive to Milflinburg. It has recently received the honor of being ranked as one of the 15 most interesting towns in Pennsylvania. Milflinburg, on top of being a cool name to say, was the horse-drawn-buggy capitol of the country in the mid-1800's. Called Buggy Town, it was home to as many as 50 different buggy works. The products were sold all the way to South Carolina. If you have already been to Milflinburg, Woolrich is another nearby town to also make the top 15 most interesting towns of Pennsylvania.

After returning from such an eventful day, an excellent dinner is often in order. The Temperance House on 50 North Second St. in Lewisburg is just about perfect. Featuring fresh seafood, prime rib,

chicken, choice cut steaks, and cocktails, it caters to all appetites. However reservations are suggested, so make sure to plan ahead. But if you miss your reservation, Perkins is a good alternative. Other popular places include Bechtel's on Route 15 and Skips, which is at 17 North Sixteenth Street.

One last suggestion to spice up this parents week-end is to try a different over-night idea. Bed and Breakfast arrangements can be more relaxing than a crowded hotel. The Pineapple Inn is located on 439 Market street. A Federal-style home, it was built in 1857. Many of the rooms are decorated with antiques of historic interest. So get off the beaten path and relax with their complimentary afternoon tea.

So instead of wandering around aimlessly this visit, go out and see the sights. Students may need a little variety in their lives to get them through the final stretch of the term and parents need to see just how big a place Lewisburg can be.

Prism Concert highlights broad spectrum of music

BY SHARON SAUDER
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Designed to provide a broad view of Bucknell, Parents Week-end offers a variety of activities, highlighting unique opportunities for students on campus. For the music department this goal becomes a reality in a single event: the Prism Concert, held Saturday at 8:30 p.m. in the Weis Center.

As its name suggests, the concert encompasses a wide spectrum of musical genres and involves a large number of students. "It gives you a taste of all the different music groups on campus," explained Meredith Bauer '96, a member of the Rooke Chapel Ringers. Each ensemble is allotted 12 minutes to showcase its talent and communicate its own unique perspective to the audience.

Curt Crane GR, a veteran of five Prism Concerts and a current participant in both the Symphonic Band and the Ringers, remembers the old format for the concert, where each group strategically positioned itself throughout the auditorium and performed only one song. This formation enabled a group to begin as soon as the previous one had concluded, thus establishing a continuous flow of music. Crane prefers the new approach because it allows for more music and emphasizes the distinctiveness of each performance.

Saturday's concert opens with the band under the direction of interim conductor Donald Stanley. Featuring two new numbers, it provides a cross section of band music and sets a spirited tone for the evening.

Following this opening performance, the Opera Company will enact *The Door* by Tom Johnson, part of a collection of works entitled *Shaggy Dog Operas*. Mezzo-Sopranos Jeanne Mellish '95 and Gwynne Luminati '96 highlight minimalist opera characteristics.

The next portion of the concert features three ensembles all under the direction of Dr. William

Payn, co-chair of the music department.

The Rooke Chapel Choir will sing first, with works ranging from Vivaldi to Stephen Foster. Normally performing mostly sacred music, the choir has spent considerable time this semester preparing for several recordings, thus expanding the repertoire to include some secular numbers.

Likewise, the Rooke Chapel Ringers combine sacred and secular music. In this concert, they will play *Festive Praises* by Fred Gramann, *Sabre Dance* by Khachatryan and *Blue Rondo a la Turk* by Dave Brubeck, demonstrating a wide variety of bell techniques and showing that handbells can be used to perform multiple styles of music.

Payn's last group is the Concert Choral, a 55 voice ensemble, characterized by the diversity in its music selection. Featuring a series of spirituals and two numbers focusing on the Southwest, the Choral is using this concert as further preparation for its upcoming tour to Arizona. This section of the program also includes numerous solos, highlighting Bucknell's group and individual proficiency.

The orchestra headed by Christopher Para, assistant professor of music. This selection, George Gershwin's *Rhapsody in Blue*, provides a final example of musical variety. "The Gershwin piece not only offers a nice contrast to the works we performed last semester but also functions as part of our education about different musical styles," commented Meghan Griffith '96.

Indeed students recognize that this variety not only benefits the audience but teaches them about a broad range of musical elements as well. Mike Phillips '96, a member of both the Choir and the Choral, added, "It will be a great experience since the repertoire is so diversified."

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Clockwise from top left: Randy Faust '98 and Kimberly Kalaher '98 star as Sky Masterson and Sarah Brown, a mismatched couple who end up falling for each other; As Sarah Brown (Kalaher) looks jealously on, Carla Christy '98 and Mariah Morgan '98 surround Sky Masterson (Faust); Leane Hood '96 and Bernie Zilinskas '95 star as Miss Adelaide and Nathan Detroit, a couple with a 14 year-long engagement; Joanna Fassl '95, Holly Shue '98, Zilinskas, and Alexis Hattox '98 perform "A Bushel and a Peck" in this weekend's production of *Guys and Dolls*.



BY MEGAN ALLEN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Monday night, 10:30 p.m. Opening night was only four short days away.

There was a sense of urgency in the air as the thirty-nine member cast of *Guys and Dolls* scattered on and off stage, rehearsing their lines and waiting for their cues. However, the atmosphere was not hushed, but excited. Something amazing was happening on the stage, and although faces may have looked tired and worn-out, they also radiated as actors, dancers, and singers.

The last time Bucknell University's Department of Theatre and Dance staged a full-scale, all-out Broadway musical was in 1989 with *Cabaret*. *Guys and Dolls* premiered on Broadway in 1950 and was successfully revived there in 1992. The musical is the adaptation of Damon Runyon's short story *Guys and Dolls*, which satirizes the New York underworld. The plot centers around two romantic couples: Miss Adelaide (Leane Hood '96) and Nathan Detroit (Bernie Zilinskas '95), and Sarah

Brown (Kim Kalaher '98) and Sky Masterson (Randy Faust '98).

Bob Gainer, professor of theatre and director of the show, noted that the collaboration with the Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble was an essential ingredient for the selection of *Guys and Dolls*. The arduous task of finding a group of musicians talented enough to play Frank Loessers score, yet able to capture the true spirit of jazz music, an essential feature in *Guys and Dolls*, landed itself to the Bucknell Jazz and Rock Ensemble (BJE). Under the musical direction of Todd Bowers '95, the student led ensemble specializes in the jazzy tunes of the 1920s, 30s and 40s. Although this is not their premiere performance on Bucknell University's campus, it is their first collaboration with the theatre department in a full-scale musical.

The musical direction of *Guys and Dolls* has been a joint effort between William Boswell, director of the Weis Center, and William Decker, a guest artist and former chair of the Bloomsburg University's Department of Music. Boswell pre-

pared the singers before Decker stepped in and perfected the musical numbers of the show. There are a total of twenty-one show stoppin' musical numbers; so needless to say, the job of musical director is not a slight undertaking.

The primary reason for selecting *Guys and Dolls* was to "bring together singers, dancers, and actors and integrate all aspects of the performing arts."
—Bob Gainer, professor of theatre

Danna Frangione, director of dance and Heidi Dawson '95, a member of the Bucknell Dance Company, choreo-

graphed the production. Although the "Hot Box Girls" strutt their stuff, the primary ensemble dances are performed by men. Frangione said, "Although it is a young cast, they are extremely open and excited about the work."

Tony Mileto is the visiting theatre and dance department's resident this year in costume and design. He recently earned his MFA from Carnegie Mellon University and is the set and costume designer for *Guys and Dolls*. This production calls for huge designs and entails over "eighty costumes," to say nothing about the endless accessories. Although the department may be slaving away until show-time, the stage will truly be a visual, as well as auditory, spectacle.

Gainer said the primary reason for the selection of *Guys and Dolls* was to "bring together singers, dancers, and actors and integrate all aspects of the performing arts." Since *Guys and Dolls* is a large-scale musical, more students from all areas of campus and all majors could be involved.

Talking with the cast, there is an overwhelming feeling of camaraderie among

the artists, despite their diversity. Two of the leads, Kalaher and Faust are making their debut on stage. However, for Zilinskas *Guys and Dolls* marks the end of his theatrical career at Bucknell.

Whatever the case, the star-studded cast of *Guys and Dolls* has only a day left before they must bring this classical music comedy to life. The show will run tomorrow, Sunday, and Monday at 8:00 p.m. and Saturday at 2:00 p.m. in the University Theatre in Coleman Hall. Tickets are available in the Langone Center box office and are \$4, \$3 for senior citizens and on student discount nights.

Look inside the Lifestyles pullout for more events and stories about the Bucknell adventure.

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Mostly cloudy with showers or thunderstorm likely. Low in the mid-40s.
Friday night—Variable cloudiness. A 40 percent chance of afternoon showers. High in the mid-50s.
Saturday—Fair skies, low in the 40s, high in the 60s.
Sunday—Partly sunny skies with a low in the 40s.
 —Weather courtesy of The National Weather Service in Williamsport

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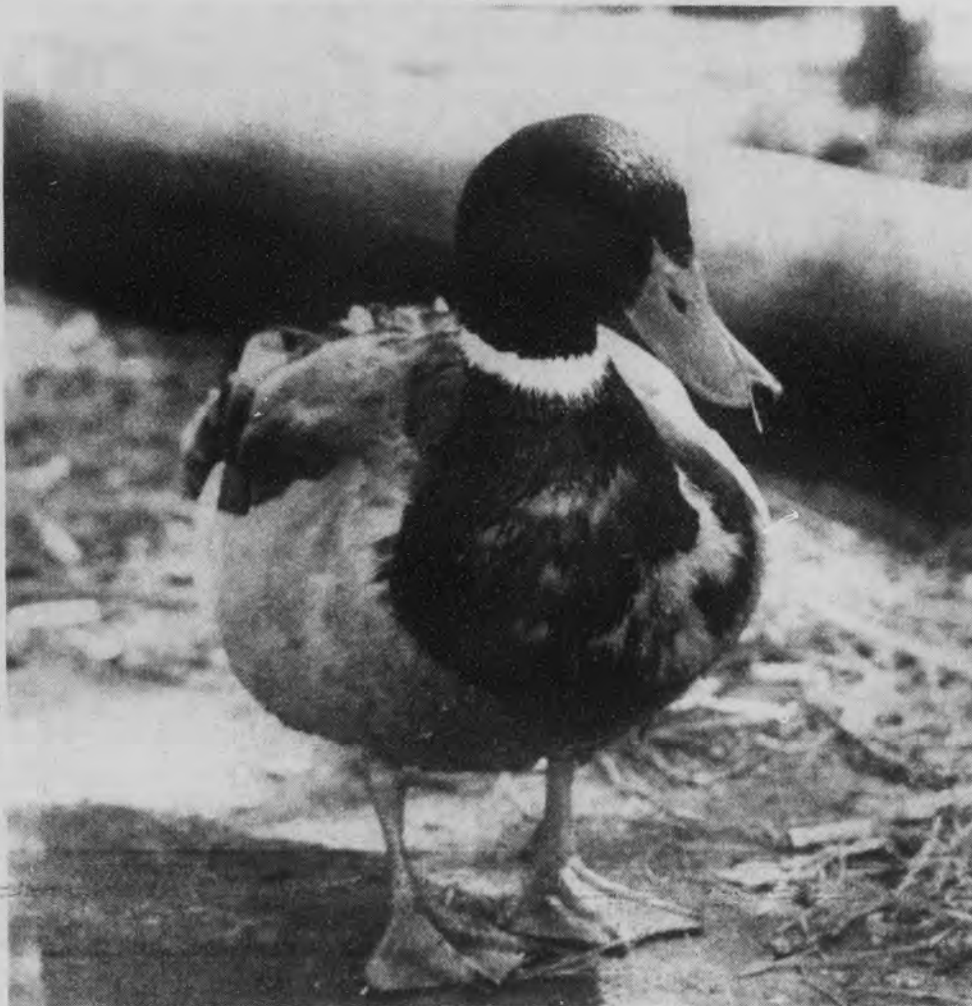
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Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

The mallard ducks that roost at Peking Gardens take five before the dinner crowds emerge with handouts of fortune cookies and fried wontons. A quick trip up the nearby stream sets the ducks on a trip through the heart of campus. Above: This feathered friend narrowly escaped being ticketed and towed for disregarding the parking procedures at Peking.

Duck, Duck, Loose



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Student-teachers capped in cutback

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

A cap on the number of student-teachers for the fall semester has been set, but the last-minute decision has left some education majors confused and angry about the cap that may or may not be enforced.

Some students have speculated that the cap, set at 20 students for next semester, was a response to the significant increase in the number of students interested in student-teaching. Rebecca Lightman '96 said she heard that approximately 47 students were expecting positions for the limited number of openings available in the school district.

Tara Stockel '96 said that the education department should have anticipated the problem last semester, when students turned in forms specifying when they wanted to teach, or even last year when students declared their major.

Stockel said her primary concern with the decision was the way in which the 20 students were chosen. Though no announcement was made about the cap or how students would be chosen, the first 20 students to sign up were given top priority, Stockel said. During advising week, students with appointments early in the week were able to meet with their advisors, complete their class schedules, and sign up for the limited number of openings before most of the students even knew about the cap.

Students still have not been officially informed of why the cap was set, who made the decision, or why students were left in the dark about the decision until the last minute.

Stockel said that in a conversation with William Hauck, chair and professor of education, he mentioned that the original list of the students who would teach in the fall was still "up in the air."

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Earth Day '95

Campus celebrates with earth-friendly events

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell will celebrate the 25th anniversary of Earth Day on Saturday, a week later than the actual day set aside to draw national attention to environmental concerns.

In spite of the rumors that there would be no band this year, the *Boogie Man Smash* band from Youngstown, Ohio will play for the earthy crowds on the Rooke Chapel lawn.

The decision to go with a small-name band was based on several factors, namely that finding a band within budget that was available "was a big hassle" last year, and the Earth Day planners wanted to "avoid that strategy" said Jolie Lyon '96, one of the Earth Day coordinators.

Lyon also said that "the earth-friendliness of using all that power and having people come just for the band and leaving their trash all over the lawn is questionable. We wanted to make sure that our message remained earthy."

The Global Rhythm Tour, a community drum circle experience, is a new addition to the Earth Day venue. Arthur

Hull, the drum guru, is bringing 300 sets of drums to campus for students bang their way into harmony. A BUID or a driver's license is the only prerequisite to join the circle of drummers.

"Whatever happens, with 300 sets of bongos, you know it will be exciting," Lyon said.

Gaylord Nelson, the founder of Earth Day, said his goal was to "organize a nationwide public demonstration so large that it would, finally, get the attention of the politicians and finally force the environmental issue into the nation's political dialogue and onto the national political agenda."

Nelson called the first Earth Day a success, when "some 20 million Americans cleaned streams, attended rallies, and took other action."

"There were so many speech requests submitted to Senators and Congressmen that Congress shut down for the day,"



Nelson said.

According to Nelson, maintaining a sustainable society is the biggest challenge we face, 25 years after his original initiative.

Historical information provided by the Wilderness Society.

For a calendar of events, please see listing on page 2.

Creative job hunting pays

BY NICOLE COBBAN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

There have always been those who have gone out on a limb to find a job.

Students have resorted to everything from writing slogans on their mortar boards to walking around with their resume enlarged on a sandwich board like an advertisement for pizza.

Mark Kerr, director of the Career Development Center (CDC), claims the wave of job-seeking gimmicks is following the trend of surfing the Internet. One of the simplest additions to resumes in recent years has been e-mail addresses, in addition to the traditional place of residence.

"The Internet is the way a lot of companies are making their contacts and getting in touch, particularly if they want to interview someone or get back with them," Kerr said.

For die-hard surfers, posting resumes on a home page gives students the chance to distribute their information over the Internet. This method of job hunting, while more time consuming and less widely used, gives a hint of what the future job market may look like.

It's no secret that the country has been

dragged under by the Internet phenomenon, and the CDC is no exception. Having already tapped into e-mail as a resource for announcing job openings, the CDC plans to open its own home page in the near future. Kerr feels that it's helpful for everyone, especially job seekers, to "keep up with the technology."

In the fast-paced, quick information world, lengthy cover letters have given way to short, concise introductions. Kerr says that, in contrast to the "more verbose" letters which students used to write, and which were "almost too much to read," the current trend seems to be to "get right to the point."

And, while Kerr claims that using tactics like sending a pizza out with every resume isn't exactly "in any of the Center's manuals at this point," he also cautions about knowing which approaches are "industry appropriate." The creativity used in a business resume may not go over as well as a journalism one. But the proper amount of "creativity" might at least get you in the door.

"Certainly there have been situations where those kinds of experiences have

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Alumna finds anchor in Bucknell education

Former news anchor Diane Allen '70 stays active in campus community life

BY JOYA DASS
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Bucknell parent Diane Allen says that her biggest frustration is that there aren't enough hours in the day for all the things that she wants to do.

Allen, a graduate of the class of '70, is an active member of the Bucknell Parents' Board, and serves on several subcommittees. This year she adds to her list of activities by running for the New Jersey State Legislature. She says that after graduating from Bucknell she wanted to shape public policy, and her 25 year career since as an observer of the politi-

cal process, reporting for Philadelphia public radio and television, has brought her full circle into just that direction—shaping public policy.

Allen says that her graduating class emerged from the Vietnam War era, and the onset of the women's civil rights movement, a very introspective and socially oriented group. Originally a physics major, she decided to matriculate with a degree in philosophy, which she describes as an "abstract physics" and probably influenced her first inclinations in life as a graduated Bucknellian to "sit and think." Having graduated with a generation of students who

were very in tune with topics that concerned the whole world, Allen embarked on what would be a lifetime of bringing social issues to a heightened awareness to those around her "since no one was willing to pay me to do that [sit and think]," she quips. Allen started with a local radio station in her hometown of New Jersey, and as news director, oriented its social outreach efforts to touch the immediate community. She says that she entered the media when women anchors were becoming welcome sights in the family living room for the news hour. Gone was the exclusivity of white males in trenches as Allen and other prod-

ucts of the civil rights generation introduced shows dealing with women's issues on Sunday morning commercial TV. "I've been very lucky in my career" explains Allen, but also attributes her success to her perfectionist tendencies: "I strived not only to make the best that I could, but I strived to make the best that existed."

The only thing Allen looks back and wishes she could retrieve would be time for herself during the fourteen hour days that she put in. In addition to her anchoring, she does media training for corporations, fundraising, and teleconferencing.

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Amy McGee—The Bucknellian

Gretchen Rehberg, assistant professor of chemistry, assists with research grants. See page 9

Student charges University and teammate in lawsuit

A member of Bucknell's football team and the University have been named defendants in a federal lawsuit that stems from a 1993 dormitory assault.

Michael P. Phillips '96, who played wide receiver last season, is accused of punching and kicking Stephen S. Remolina '96 from Millburn, N.J.

Remolina is seeking unspecified compensatory and punitive damages, claiming he suffered severe injuries when struck by Phillips, also a junior, on May 2, 1993, in Harris Hall.

The University is accused of negligence and for sanctioning a football program that allegedly teaches participants violence on and off the field.

The University also is accused

of permitting underage drinking, not properly monitoring students and failing to provide security guards, a resident assistant trained in emergency medical skills and to monitor the student body for students who may be violent.

Remolina claims he was assaulted during an argument involving several students in the dormitory. The complaint filed in U.S. District Court in Williamsport, Pa., states the arts and science major was struck in the face and chest and fell unconscious to the floor.

The suit alleges Phillips struck and kicked Remolina in the head while he was lying on the floor.

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Students unite to take back the night

BY JEN ANDREWS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"We are working towards the ideal situation, women being able to safely walk around alone at night," said Amanda Swarr '95, Swarr, along with Karen Wiley '95 organized tonight's "Take Back the Night" march and Speak Out Against Sexual Assault.

The event is sponsored by Feminist Outreach with help from the Women's Resource Center.

The speak out begins at 8 p.m. in Rooke Chapel and provides women with an opportunity to speak out about personal situations or listen to other women describe their dealing with any type of sexual violence. "It's a very motivational, inspirational event," said Marta McClintock '95.

Women are given an opportunity to express their feelings through speech, poetry and music. The audience is given the opportunity to participate.

Janice Butler from the Women's Resource Center said, "Some-

times audience members are overwhelmed however, for the survivors it is a way to break the silence. The event is a celebration of their survival."

Men are encouraged to attend the event, said Butler, "It's good for males to know why women are less trusting of them."

Following the speak out is the "Take Back the Night" march. The crowds will unite and march through campus with candles, chanting and singing. This is a unified expression of women's desire to walk around alone at night safely.

The marches and speak outs began in the 1970's at college campuses, Rape Crisis Centers and Safe Houses around the country. The march made its debut at Bucknell in 1989, and has been an annual event since.

Last year approximately 150 students, faculty and members of the community attended the march.

PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Thursday, April 20

A student reported receiving harassing phone calls for a two-week period. An investigation and phone tap will be initiated.

Friday, April 21

A student reported a message of an obscene nature left on a personal answering machine in reference to an e-mail message. An investigation and phone tap will be initiated.

A Bucknell student reported receiving harassing phone calls since April 15. Caller does not speak when the phone is answered. Investigation currently ongoing.

Saturday, April 22

A student was observed flipping over a picnic table at the Langone Center. The accused admitted to the consumption of one can of beer while under the age of 21. A citation was issued.

A visitor to campus reported that several items of property had been removed from his vehicle by an unknown individual. Items taken included a cassette tape, a CD, radar detector and a portable CD player. Entry into the vehicle was not found to be forced. Investigation remains ongoing.

Sunday, April 23

A resident assistant in Smith Hall found a ziplock bag pinned to his door by an unknown person(s). Contents of the bag appeared to be a small amount of a substance believed to be marijuana. No further information is available at this time.

Monday, April 24

An employee reported that the passenger side mirror on the Media Services van was broken. The van had been parked on Lit Road near Delta Upsilon. Cause and damage estimate unknown. No further information is available at this time.

Tuesday, April 25

A library staff member reported that a sign had been torn off a wall in the library. The sign was from the multimedia lab and was retained by Public Safety. Investigation is ongoing.

A student in Vedder Hall reported receiving numerous harassing phone messages. Investigation continuing. Charges pending on outcome of investigation.

A Public Safety Officer responded to Dana for a report of the rear door being damaged. Officers found that unknown person(s) kicked/pulled at the door causing damage to the door and the door frame. A work order was filed to repair damage. Investigation is continuing.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

Editor's Note: The Public Safety Log is a weekly compilation of all verified incidents reported to the Department of Public Safety officials from initial campus crime reports. The staff of *The Bucknellian* has no control over which events are included or omitted.



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Earth Day '95 Events

10 a.m. Opening Ceremony and drummer's workshop with Arthur Hull

11 a.m. Eco-poetry

1 p.m. The Global Rhythm Tour (community drum circle experience with Arthur Hull)

3 p.m. Speaker: Lisa Finlay, representative of Feminists for Animal Rights presents "Animal Liberation through an Ecofeminist Lens" in Coleman 102A

4:30 p.m. Band: Boogie Man Smash

In addition there will be booths, food, and other activities all day long.

All events will take place on the Rooke Chapel lawn. Bring your BUID if you intend to participate in the drum circle.

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An outbreak of Spring Fever...



Left: HE LOVES ME, HE LOVES ME NOT

Qincy Adams from the Sunflower Day Care Center takes a moment to stop and smell the flowers during an afternoon outing.

Bottom left: WHAT'S UP DOC?

Jack and Nellie, bunnies rabbits, receive handouts from pal Mary Prescan '96 as Karen Farleigh '96, owner of the two wascally wabbies, watches.

Bottom right: THE GANG'S ALL HERE

Matt McNamara '96, Ed Sullivan '97 and Matt Rhoads '97, members of the band Gang Mills, entertain in the freshman quad on Tuesday for the RHA Spring picnic.



...or an attack of Spring Stress?

All stressed out with no place to go



Top: THE CIRCLE OF LIFE?

By moving classes outside, students think they're taking it easy. Professors know, however, class is still class no matter where you choose to sit.

Right: HOME AWAY FROM HOME

Todd Taylor '95 camped out in the Macintosh lab in Roser to put the finishing (or starting?) touches on his honors thesis. Taylor was not alone. Several students chose to call the Roser lab home for a few nights this week.

Left: BEAN BAGS AND BOOKS—THE PERFECT COMBO

A student sacks out on the lower level of the library where bean bags and silence are the ingredients for a successful study session.



All photos by Colleen Rush '95

Chasing temperamental ducks for the perfect photo, unreturned phone calls, doors slammed in your face, tears in the president's office, paper cuts, hate mail and all the contempt and disrespect a person could possibly handle. The best excuse to miss a class, job security, resume filler, mid-night runs to Dunkin Donuts, the occasional compliment that makes it all worth it, watching unabashed readers dive into the newspaper rack on Thursday afternoon, empty bins by Friday night. All that and more, just for being a staff reporter for *The Bucknellian*. There's only one issue left, but you can count on us being around next year. Give us a call, send us a letter, join the staff. Call x1520.

JOBS

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caused employers to say, "Well, I don't know what I think about this method, but I know I want to meet that person. I want to see the person who did something that crazy or unique or different," Kerr said.

Although most Bucknellians rely on brains and not gimmicks to get a job, the results of a study on the Class of 1994 by the CDC, respondents were either employed or in some form of a graduate program within six months of graduating. While the statistics include only full-time positions, Kerr warns that the study does not indicate whether the jobs are in a

student's intended career path. He adds, however, that a "large percentage" of students who indicated they were employed said they were satisfied with their positions.

Members of the Class of 1995 are hoping those statistics prove true for them, as well, but not all of them are relying on the resume-building, networking methods to find a job.

Shaun Nanavati recently decided to head out to Boulder after graduation to try to start a publishing business and "hustle people playing pinball." Nanavati says he's already enlisted a few people, including accounting, business, and philosophy majors, and hopes

to get into the Colorado art scene and enjoy the skiing while his business gets off the ground.

Elizabeth Julian also plans on taking the non-traditional job hunting route. After graduation Julian hopes to take up "tap dancing in Canada to make money" and to undertake the proverbial task of trying to "find herself."

But whether sending out resumes in mass quantities is your bag, or you're one of the lucky few taking a year off, the statistics seem to indicate that when the time comes, Bucknellians are likely to make the cut.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
Mark Kerr, director of CDC, says innovative job searching skills help open doors.

Class of 1994 Post Graduate Study

After six months...



68% were employed in full-time jobs



27% were enrolled in graduate school



5% were still seeking employment

Results based on a survey of post graduate placement conducted by the Career Development Center. Of the 842 members of the class of 1994, 723 people responded to the survey.

TEACHERS

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Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Tara Stockel '96, said that a lack of communication was a big problem in the decision to put a cap on the number of student teachers.

"When I last talked to professor Hauck, he said they were pulling out transcripts to sort out the students who really need to student-teach in the fall," Stockel said. "I was never given a direct answer, though. At this point, we're still in limbo."

"It's so frustrating," said Lightman, who has a summer job, but may be forced to take summer school classes if she has to student teach in the Spring. "Whenever we try to talk to people or ask questions, it's just a lot of talking. It's going around in circles and we're not getting any answers."

Stockel said the only information students received from the department was a class announcement by Judith Schaut, associate professor of education and the coordinator for student-teachers, reassuring students that they would all have the opportunity to student teach and that the department would accommodate all of them.

Despite repeated efforts, professors Hauck and Schaut could not be reached for comment.

With little communication between education majors and the department fac-

ulty, and rumor mill seems to be working overtime. New speculation and gossip surfaces every day that goes by with no official word.

Both Stockel and Lightman mentioned that the department may be in the process of hiring a new professor, which may solve the problem of the overload of students and the limited number of faculty members to oversee the student-teachers.

"I don't place the blame on anybody," Stockel said, noting that she was more concerned with the lack of communication. "I think the department is in just as much of a bind as we are, and they're trying to accommodate us, but they haven't really let us know what is going on."

"It's gotten to the point where it is 'The List' that everyone is talking about," said Lightman. "All of a sudden there are cut-throats in the education department because people are taking sides. You're either on The List, or you're not. People are getting angry at each other, and their professors, and I don't even know if they're the ones that the anger should be directed at."

News Briefs

World News

Russia revokes visa of U.S. journalist

The Russian Government has revoked the visa of an American journalist in what may be the first such case since the collapse of the Soviet Union.

Steve LeVine, a stringer for *Newsweek* and *The Washington Post*, was stopped by immigration officials when he arrived at Ynkovo airport in Moscow Monday evening from Tbilisi, Georgia, and was informed that his multiple-entry visa had been invalidated. He was not permitted to leave the airport and spent the night in the airport's lounge before flying back to Tbilisi yesterday.

—The New York Times

Nigeria's ruler gets indefinite term

A constitutional conference gave Nigeria's military ruler, Gen. Sani Abacha, an open-ended term in power Tuesday.

The conference passed a resolution reversing its delegates' decision last year that said General Abacha, who took power in a coup in November 1993, should hand over power to an elected leader on Jan. 1, 1996.

No one spoke against the resolution. But delegates known to be opposed to a longer office term for General Abacha said that they were denied the opportunity to speak.

Moshhood Abiola, a businessman, is widely thought to have won the annulled 1993 presidential election. Mr. Abiola has been in detention since last June for proclaiming himself president in defiance of the military rulers.

—The New York Times

U.S. and allies vow to revive dollar

The United States and the world's six other leading industrial nations declared Tuesday that the dollar's decline had gone "beyond the levels justified by underlying economic conditions in the major countries" and made a vague vow to "strengthen their efforts" in both short-term tactics and long-term strategy to reverse its fall.

After days of recriminations among the allies over who is responsible for the turmoil in the world's currency markets, Treasury Secretary Robert E. Rubin hailed the joint statement, issued after a meeting of finance ministers and the heads of the central banks in the seven nations, as a strong signal of mutual resolve to reverse the dollar's decline.

"It was really a very constructive set of meetings in a constructive atmosphere," Mr. Rubin said Tuesday at a news conference at the Treasury. "Within that room, and among those people, the people with real responsibility, there was a real spirit of cooperative enterprise."

—The New York Times

National News

Judge permits suits against Dow Chemical

Reversing his earlier decision, a Federal district judge ruled that the Dow Chemical Company could be sued in Federal court for damages that might have resulted from silicone breast implants made by an affiliate.

The judge, Sam C. Pointer Jr., said that Dow Chemical could be sued as one of the parent companies of the Dow Corning Corporation, a joint venture of Dow Chemical and Corning Inc., in connection with the testing and the production of the implants, made by Dow Corning.

In December 1993, Judge Pointer tentatively dismissed Dow Chemical from all Federal litigation, on the premise that it had not been directly involved in the implant business. Tuesday, while dismissing Corning Inc. as a defendant in all Federal litigation, he reversed his decision with respect to Dow Chemical, having reviewed new evidence of the ties between that parent and Dow Corning.

—The New York Times

Other Campuses

Cornell space lab damaged by fire

A laboratory fire yesterday damaged a portion of Cornell University's Space Sciences building, where research financed by NASA and the National Science Foundations is conducted.

No one was injured in the fire, which was reported shortly after 8:30 a.m., a Cornell spokesman said. The fire was contained in a third-floor laboratory where an experiment was running, Larry Bernard said. No one was in the laboratory at the time, he said.

The seven-story building was closed for the day and was expected to reopen Wednesday. The fire was put out in minutes and the damage appeared to be limited to the third and second floors, Bernard said.

Officials of the Ithaca Fire Department said the fire was caused by an electrical problem with a piece of equipment intended to replicate the atmospheric conditions of the planet Jupiter.

—The New York Times

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

LIFESTYLES

A plus added to Weis stage with Peter Pucci

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"He's one of the hippest and hottest young choreographers responsible for the sexiest section of the Joffrey Ballet's 'Billboards,'" said Bill Boswell, director of cultural events for the Weis Center.

Who is this master choreographer? It's Peter Pucci, and he's bringing his dance company to perform Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Weis Center.

Peter Pucci Plus Dancers will perform five contemporary dance/ballet pieces, including "Banner," "A Vesper," "Then All Is Still Again," and one of Pucci's newest works, "Ayego." Accompanied by music with creative rhythms, some that resemble a waltz and others that are typical of African drumming, "Ayego" is a duet between rhythm and dance.

Pucci's interest in original combinations of music and dance is apparent in his two solos, "Rapt" and "Sing." Choreographed to music by Mozart, "Rapt" is a combination of ballet and hip-hop. Dressed in grunge clothes, the piece is "very much like street dancing," said Boswell, who has seen Pucci in action. "It's fun, clever, and very hip," he added. "Sing," Pucci's second solo, uses traditional Scottish vocal music.

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JOBS

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Although most Bucknellians rely on brains and not gimmicks to get a job, the results of a study on the Class of 1994 by the CDC said that 95 percent of the 723 respondents were either employed or in some form of a graduate program within six months of graduating. While the statistics include only full-time positions, Kerr warns that the study does not indicate whether the jobs are in a

student's intended career path. He adds, however, that a "large percentage" of students who indicated they were employed said they were satisfied with their positions. Members of the Class of 1995 are hoping those statistics prove true for them, as well, but not all of them are relying on the resume-building, networking methods to find a job.

Shaun Nanavati recently decided to head out to Boulder after graduation to try to start a publishing business and "hustle people playing pinball." Nanavati says he's already enlisted a few people, including accounting, business, and philosophy majors, and hopes

to get into the Colorado art scene and enjoy the skiing while his business gets off the ground. Elizabeth Julian also plans on taking the non-traditional job hunting route. After graduation Julian hopes to take up "tap dancing in Canada to make money" and to undertake the proverbial task of trying to "find herself."

But whether sending out resumes in mass quantities is your bag, or you're one of the lucky few taking a year off, the statistics seem to indicate that when the time comes, Bucknellians are likely to make the cut.



Dave Maher—The Bucknellian
Mark Kerr, director of CDC, says innovative job searching skills help open doors.

Class of 1994 Post Graduate Study

After six months...



68% were employed in full-time jobs



27% were enrolled in graduate school



5% were still seeking employment

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TEACHERS

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Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Tara Stockel '96, said that a lack of communication was a big problem in the decision to put a cap on the number of student teachers.

"When I last talked to professor Hauck, he said they were pulling out transcripts to sort out the students who really need to student-teach in the fall," Stockel said. "I was never given a direct answer, though. At this point, we're still in limbo."

"It's so frustrating," said Lightman, who has a summer job, but may be forced to take summer school classes if she has to student teach in the Spring. "Whenever we try to talk to people or ask questions, it's just a lot of talking. It's going around in circles and we're not getting any answers."

Stockel said the only information students received from the department was a class announcement by Judith Schaut, associate professor of education and the coordinator for student-teachers, reassuring students that they would all have the opportunity to student teach and that the department would accommodate all of them.

Despite repeated efforts, professors Hauck and Schaut could not be reached for comment.

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ulty, and rumor mill seems to be working overtime. New speculation and gossip surfaces every day that goes by with no official word.

Both Stockel and Lightman mentioned that the department may be in the process of hiring a new professor, which may solve the problem of the overload of students and the limited number of faculty members to oversee the student-teachers.

"I don't place the blame on anybody," Stockel said, noting that she was more concerned with the lack of communication. "I think the department is in just as much of a bind as we are, and they're trying to accommodate us, but they haven't really let us know what is going on."

"It's gotten to the point where it is 'The List' that everyone is talking about," said Lightman. "All of a sudden there are cut-throats in the education department because people are taking sides. You're either on the List, or you're not. People are getting angry at each other, and their professors, and I don't even know if they're the ones that the anger should be directed at."

News Briefs

World News

Russia revokes visa of U.S. journalist

The Russian Government has revoked the visa of an American journalist in what may be the first such case since the collapse of the Soviet Union.

Steve LeVine, a stringer for *Newsweek* and *The Washington Post*, was stopped by immigration officials when he arrived at Vnukovo airport in Moscow Monday evening from Tbilisi, Georgia, and was informed that his multiple-entry visa had been invalidated. He was not permitted to leave the airport and spent the night in the airport's lounge before flying back to Tbilisi yesterday.

—The New York Times

Nigeria's ruler gets indefinite term

A constitutional conference gave Nigeria's military ruler, Gen. Sani Abacha, an open-ended term in power Tuesday. The conference passed a resolution reversing its delegates' decision last year that said General Abacha, who took power in a coup in November 1993, should hand over power to an elected leader on Jan. 1, 1996.

No one spoke against the resolution. But delegates known to be opposed to a longer office term for General Abacha said that they were denied the opportunity to speak.

Moshood Abiola, a businessman, is widely thought to have won the annulled 1993 presidential election. Mr. Abiola has been in detention since last June for proclaiming himself president in defiance of the military rulers.

—The New York Times

U.S. and allies vow to revive dollar

The United States and the world's six other leading industrial nations declared Tuesday that the dollar's decline had gone "beyond the levels justified by underlying economic conditions in the major countries" and made a vague vow to "strengthen their efforts" in both short-term tactics and long-term strategy to reverse its fall.

After days of recriminations among the allies over who is responsible for the turmoil in the world's currency markets, Treasury Secretary Robert E. Rubin hailed the joint statement, issued after a meeting of finance ministers and the heads of the central banks in the seven nations, as a strong signal of mutual resolve to reverse the dollar's decline.

"It was really a very constructive set of meetings in a constructive atmosphere," Mr. Rubin said Tuesday at a news conference at the Treasury. "Within that room, and among those people, the people with real responsibility, there was a real spirit of cooperative enterprise."

—The New York Times

National News

Judge permits suits against Dow Chemical

Reversing his earlier decision, a Federal district judge ruled that the Dow Chemical Company could be sued in Federal court for damages that might have resulted from silicone breast implants made by an affiliate.

The judge, Sam C. Pointer Jr., said that Dow Chemical could be sued as one of the parent companies of the Dow Corning Corporation, a joint venture of Dow Chemical and Corning Inc., in connection with the testing and the production of the implants, made by Dow Corning.

In December 1993, Judge Pointer tentatively dismissed Dow Chemical from all Federal litigation, on the premise that it had not been directly involved in the implant business. Tuesday, while dismissing Corning Inc. as a defendant in all Federal litigation, he reversed his decision with respect to Dow Chemical, having reviewed new evidence of the ties between that parent and Dow Corning.

—The New York Times

Other Campuses

Cornell space lab damaged by fire

A laboratory fire yesterday damaged a portion of Cornell University's Space Sciences building, where research financed by NASA and the National Science Foundations is conducted.

No one was injured in the fire, which was reported shortly after 8:30 a.m., a Cornell spokesman said. The fire was contained in a third-floor laboratory where an experiment was running, Larry Bernard said. No one was in the laboratory at the time, he said.

The seven-story building was closed for the day and was expected to reopen Wednesday. The fire was put out in minutes and the damage appeared to be limited to the third and second floors, Bernard said.

Officials of the Ithaca Fire Department said the fire was caused by an electrical problem with a piece of equipment intended to replicate the atmospheric conditions of the planet Jupiter.

—The New York Times

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LIFESTYLES

A plus added to Weis stage with Peter Pucci

BY JENNIFER KELLEY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"He's one of the hippest and hottest young choreographers responsible for the sexiest section of the Joffrey Ballet's 'Billboards,'" said Bill Boswell, director of cultural events for the Weis Center.

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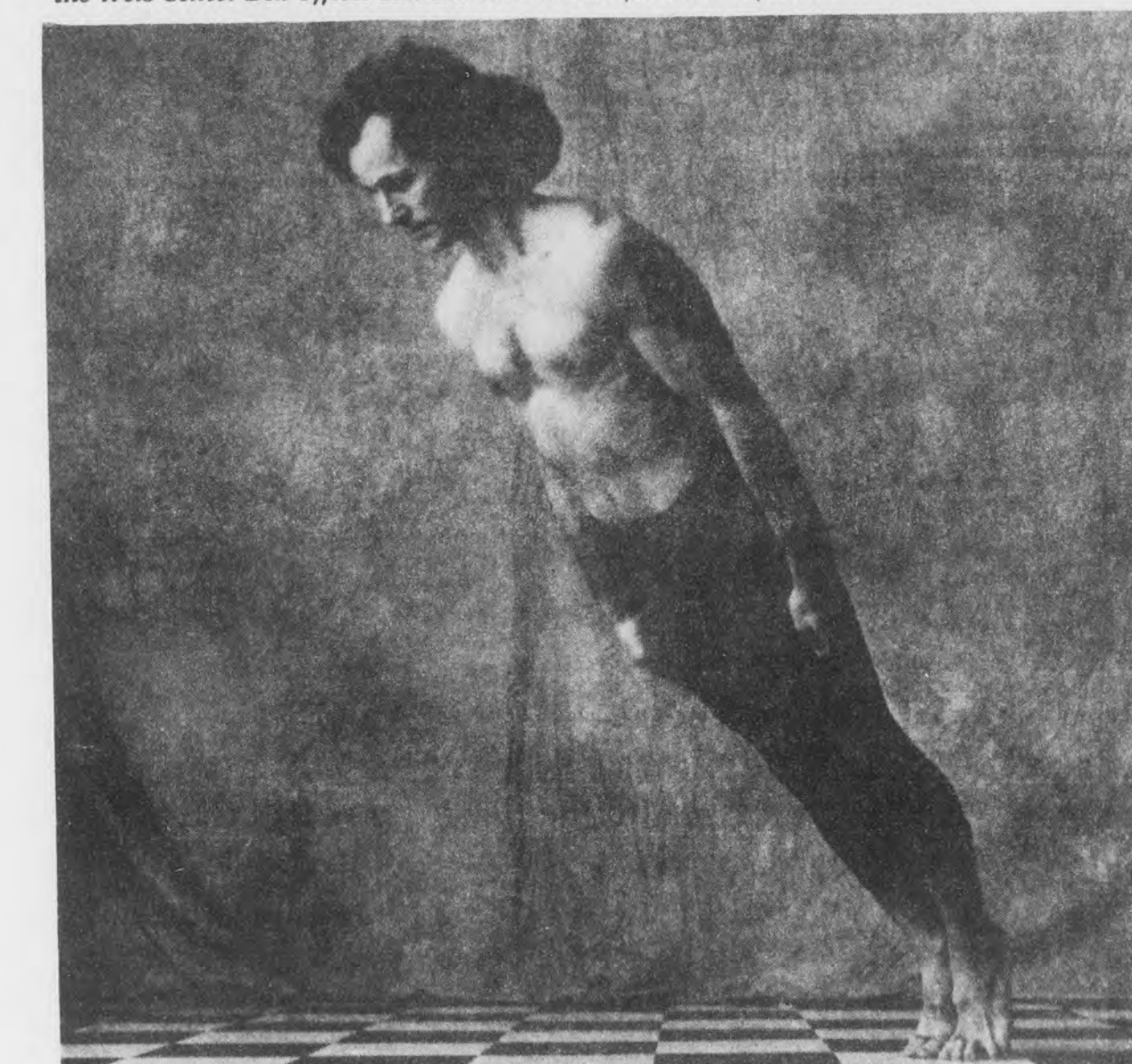
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Stemming from a Knight Fellowship completed last summer by Krenz and James Smith '95, the concert emphasizes the connections between contemporary and medieval music. "Our fellowship basically consisted of comparing modern composers with medieval composers because they used a lot of the same devices," Krenz said.

Another unique aspect of Sunday's performance is the appearance of music composed by Bucknell student Catherine Holleyer '96. Holleyer's number is based on a Robert Frost poem and influenced by Hildegard von Bingen.

"The melody line is influenced by medieval music. It sounds like a chant," Holleyer said. Indeed chant plays an important role, forming the basis for much of early music. Krenz added that this medieval music is "linear rather than vertical," meaning that more attention is paid

to the melody line than to block harmonies. This concert will feature some chant and Jackson suggested that next year the group may attempt an all-chant performance.

Jackson emphasized that the work of Collegium is very much a student production. "They choose what they will sing and perform. I direct the ensemble but they do all the work," she said. Many students are simply captivated by the beautiful sounds and their historical significance.

Others, like Krenz, also enjoy the music's mystique. "It's interesting and mysterious because we will never know exactly how it sounded and what vocal and instrumental techniques they used." This mysterious element lends an air of intrigue to the performance, drawing the audience into a different era.



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EDITORIAL

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Communication, and not the cap on student teachers, seems to be the major problem within the education department.

Although setting a 20-person cap on the number of students allowed to student teach seems harsh in light of the ever-increasing numbers of students who want to participate in the program, a cap is understandable if more students are interested than the education department can place in participating local schools.

But the more disturbing aspect of the situation is what seems to be the lack of communication between students, faculty members and administrators.

Neither professors nor academic deans notified students of impending changes in the process by which students were to register for student teaching. Nor did they inform students of possible ramifications like scheduling difficulties if they teach during spring semester instead of the fall.

At a time in the semester when schedules are sup-

posed to be finalized and students concerning themselves with approaching final exams, those who had planned to student teach during the fall are busy trying to revamp schedules they didn't know they would need to change—the cap on student teaching was announced after advising week and class registration ended.

Education majors say they don't know who made this decision. They don't know how or when it was made. And nor do we—when we tried to contact professors and academic deans involved with the student teaching program, we got no response. Several calls per day to various people involved with the program proved fruitless. Students wanted to talk about how the cap affected their majors, but those responsible for the changes couldn't, or wouldn't comment.

When faculty members and administrators decide to change qualifications for integral programs within academic majors, they have a responsibility to inform students of the changes, outlining to stu-

dents their options.

In this situation, those decision-makers did not do this, nor did they attempt to inform students how these changes will affect the rest of their Bucknell education. And when asked to comment on the record about their side of the situation, no one could do it.

If this is the regular behavior in which members of the education department and the deans' office engage, students are receiving unfair treatment at the hands of their professors and deans.

Decision-makers acted inconsiderately when they failed to alert students of the cap on student teaching. They compounded the situation when they failed to return any of our calls so that we could get their side of the story to set the record straight in this public forum.

Education professors and deans have a responsibility to the students that, in this case, they did not satisfy.

OPINIONS

Oklahoma City Disaster stirs paranoia and fear

BY CAROLYN CHRISTENSON
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One question that has been raised in response to the Oklahoma City bombing is whether or not any place is safe anymore. Fear of violence has become a part of daily life in such places as New York, Los Angeles, Miami and other large cities. But it is not supposed to haunt small cities in the "heartland" of America. The effect of this bombing on the American psyche is that even people in small communities can no longer feel isolated from the violence and turmoil overwhelming our country.

Heart-wrenching pictures of mangled babies, bleeding men and women, and a blown apart federal building have covered the pages of newspapers and magazines, permeating the minds of the American citizenry. The nation has become alert to the danger of internal decay.

The link of the bombing to the Michigan Militia has put it and other extreme-right groups belonging to the "Patriot movement" into the spotlight. Only by seeing these groups and learning their political views has society finally understood who they are.

Affirmative Action column strikes students' response

The Declaration of Independence is racist

TO THE EDITOR:

Two weeks ago, someone had the audacity to create a fallacy in place of true history starting in 1776. The Declaration of Independence, that document that was supposed to give "equality of opportunity" to so many people in America, was signed in that year. Now, Carolyn, correct me if I am wrong, because I will admit that I am if that is the case, but how long after that did the status of Blacks in America remain one of racist oppression and outright degradation under the same documents that you say "declared" everyone in America equal? Take your time. This is a toughie. Well, while you're deliberating over that, let me ask you another question. If 1776 is when you say that everyone became equal under the law, why did there have to be a Woman's Suffrage movement or the Civil Rights movement? Were there a bunch of Blacks and oppressed women in a bar sitting on some tequila who decided to start something because they were getting bored of the beautiful life that America had to offer? As a woman, shouldn't you know that it was only about a century ago that women were being burned alive because some wrinkled facsimile of a man decided that really ugly women with warts were too much for his weak heart and must be trying to kill him. So, where is your equality? I am sure that these people wanted some, or is it your impression that some people are just destined to be oppressed?

Now, not to bombard you with too many questions, but thought should precede any attempt at intellectual writing. I agree that "Success should depend upon intelligence, skills, character," and a plethora of those terms, but the fact of the matter is that it doesn't happen. Take a trip outside of the Bucknell Bubble once in a while, and it will do you some good. A little over a decade ago, AT&T was found guilty of discrimination based on race. Shocking isn't it? Two hundred years after your Declaration of Independence, discrimination based on race was still around. In the twentieth century alone, Blacks had to ride in the back of the bus, women couldn't vote, Japanese-Americans were being hoarded into separation camps and let's not even go into the plight of the Indians. Remember the Indians? They were the people from whom your forefathers stole this land in the first place. But, you may not remember that since in your log-jam of a brain, the Indians probably wanted to be moved off of their ancient homes into those "nice" little reservations.

Perhaps I should apologize to you for getting perturbed. I've been here for four years (a long time, even by elf standards), and not much about Bucknell surprises me. After all, it was within these very hills that I met my first Black Republican (an oxymoron if ever there was one). And, it was in these very hills that Scotty and his boys decided that they needed some "butt, tweezers and a paper clip," so they decided to steal some from my friend Ken. And, I won't even begin to mention the drinking problem I have recently discovered among the RAs. Don't be shocked. Scotty would never believe that the tons of empty alcoholic containers in the basements of the freshman dorms would belong to his precious freshman. He would rather play search-and-look-stupid (I mean, really stupid) with the rest of Public Safety who liked my name so much that they put it in the Safety Logs (Guys, I'm touched). But, I digress. None of that matters. What does matter is that you, as a writer, should never be accused of writing something as intellectually crippled as you wrote for *The Bucknellian* two issues before. Before you stick that small foot of yours too far in your mouth (or anywhere else, depending on your sexual preference), read a book, assuming you can still read. Understand what Malcolm, Martin, Medgar, and Marcus were saying. Read Brown V. The Board of Education. If you want, I'll reserve a copy at the library (that big building with the clock in the academic quad). Then, before you endeavor to rebut this, go to the Writing Center. If you plan on abusing the eyes of your readers, at least learn how to structure an argument correctly, because using the Declaration of Independence as a weapon against Affirmative Action is like Bruce Lee riding a Fuji in a movie.

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ings in an unsettling light, in which an abandoned package might be a grenade, or any car a bomb. "The very purpose of terrorism is to challenge our vision of who we are. If terrorists can cause us to become a closed and fearful society, they win. And that's the point," said Stephen Carter, a professor at Yale law school. Americans must not lose faith in our political and judicial systems—for if they do, the destabilizing of government for which these militias strive will lead to disaster.

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I am writing in response to the opinions about the constitutionality of the Affirmative Action movement. It was obviously written by a person who spent the last twenty to twenty-two years in front of the "boob tube" blindly following the propaganda the media fed us. The article itself contends that the equality of our infallible "forefathers" spoke of in the Declaration of Independence and Constitution is being compromised. The sad fact is that these same "founding forefathers" were writing these documents as bigots, elitist products of a patriarchal society and probably received a shipment of slaves later that day. The original authors of the Constitution didn't consider blacks citizens or women equal. That innovative idea came many years later, when someone decided that these issues of equality were not being addressed. Amended blacks might as well have been second generation slaves and women yelled in some false idea of equality. Affirmative action is just the next majority contested step toward true equality.

I think it's time we start looking at the facts. The fact is that affirmative action is easy to pin on minorities and women. It is even easier to blame it for social ills in America. Yet, in a curiously weak study done by none other than Robert Dole's wife, Elizabeth, it was found that white women were the prime beneficiaries of affirmative action benefits. Do you think that there would be such an uproar if there wasn't a minority face on affirmative action.

The media and certain politicians have decided in their ultimate wisdom to focus on the idea that quotas somehow rob majority Americans of equal opportunities and instead give them to grossly under-qualified women and particularly minorities. But, is this really the case? Are white males the minority in colleges and high paying jobs after all these years of "unequal treatment of them"? The statistics still show a distinct advantage for upper-class white males. Affirmative action was in response to just this situation. To repeal an affirmative action agenda is to say that minorities and women must be under-qualified by nature because if they were qualified they'd have these jobs and be more of presence in colleges. Without going into the minority experience, I find it outrageous that a woman would negate the historical context of the plight of women in America and say they were being considered equally for job and educational opportunities in 1995 here in America.

Racism and sexism are ugly and irrational issues. Most importantly they are not myths but reality. The media would have us focus on the negatives of affirmative action, pointing to some a hypocritical document that created a de facto equality but did little for an unequal reality. The fight against a provable racial and sexist inequality in America far outweighs any propaganda about white males being discriminated against. Affirmative action benefits more than it hurts and it still hasn't achieved the goal it was created for. Those with the advantages in job and educational markets have had a greater than two hundred year head start. It's time women and minorities were given a chance to catch up. Instead of taking the easy job of picking on affirmative action, everyone should stop being "media babies" and start picking on the underlying problems of racism, elitism, sexism.

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LETTERS

A Letter to the Administration
University mistreats its students

TO THE EDITOR:

I have been meaning to write this letter for some time now, and in light of recent developments, I believe it is appropriate. This letter is not an indignant response to any action the University has taken against me. There have been none. It is not meant to be witty or insulting and I am afraid I won't even be able to make it eloquent. In short, I am your average student. When you have finished reading this, I would ask that you reply, either personally to me or to the student body in this newspaper.

My topic is nothing new, rather it is something that has been briefly touched upon here and there in various campus publications. However, since no one else has seen fit to directly address it, I will do so here. What I am concerned about is the administration's increasing lack of respect for Bucknell students. I hope the following will help to put things back into perspective.

All the students here, with a few exceptions, are legal adults. That means that no one is responsible for our persons, our behavior, or the development of our values but ourselves. It means that we deserve the same basic respect accorded to any other adult. The notion of removing cigarettes from the Bison store to protect our health, as if we need someone to look out for it is one example of the disrespect that I am talking about. The idea that a woman from the Women's Resource Center is allowed to successfully base an argument on the premise that she knows what's best for our moral values is another. Who is she to decide what is morally acceptable for us and what is not?

When Public Safety or Residential Life wishes to enter a student's room, they often do not clearly state who they are or what the reason for their visit is. They do not address us as sir or ma'am when acting in their official capacity and they use our first names as if they can be informal with us. Sometimes they talk to each other as if we are not even present. They do not take into account that while we have signed contracts giving them the right to enter our rooms, it is not something that should be taken lightly. It is every bit as serious as having a search warrant served at one's home.

These intrusions are offensive, unnerving, and annoying. They also cause the room's occupant to feel animosity toward the administration and to feel violated. If any real law-enforcement agency were to act in this manner, the public would not stand for it. Each of us are renting a room and hiring Bucknell's faculty to educate us over a four year period for a sum upwards of 100,000 dollars. I am not spending that money for someone to treat me like I am a second class citizen.

The administration's open dislike for the Greek system inspired by the faculty and manifested by the imposition of a sophomore rush policy, among other things creates an atmosphere of oppression that alienates a very large part of the student body. It is a rare day that goes by without some member of the staff making a derisive comment about the Greek system. These remarks inspire resentment and hatred. If the University intends to take action against the Greek system it should do so decisively. But to allow a large part of the student body to be insulted on a daily basis is unacceptable. Though I am not part of a fraternity myself, I know that these organizations mean a great deal to many students. In addition, a large part of the contributing alumni are past members of the Greek system, who certainly would not be willing to support an administration that works against what they favorably remember.

In closing, I will tell you that I am thinking twice about returning here in the fall and I know that I am not alone in my feelings. Bucknell is getting a reputation for making decisions without taking the concerns of the student body into account. I sincerely hope that our new president will do something to remedy the situation. Otherwise I enjoy attending Bucknell. My academic experiences with the faculty have been excellent so far, and I have made some good friends. I hope I won't have to leave them behind.

MATT COTTON '98
APRIL 17, 1995

Parents respond to
Bucknell hate mail

TO THE EDITOR:

In response to Scott Lee's Letter to the Editor in your April 6th edition, we offer the following comment:

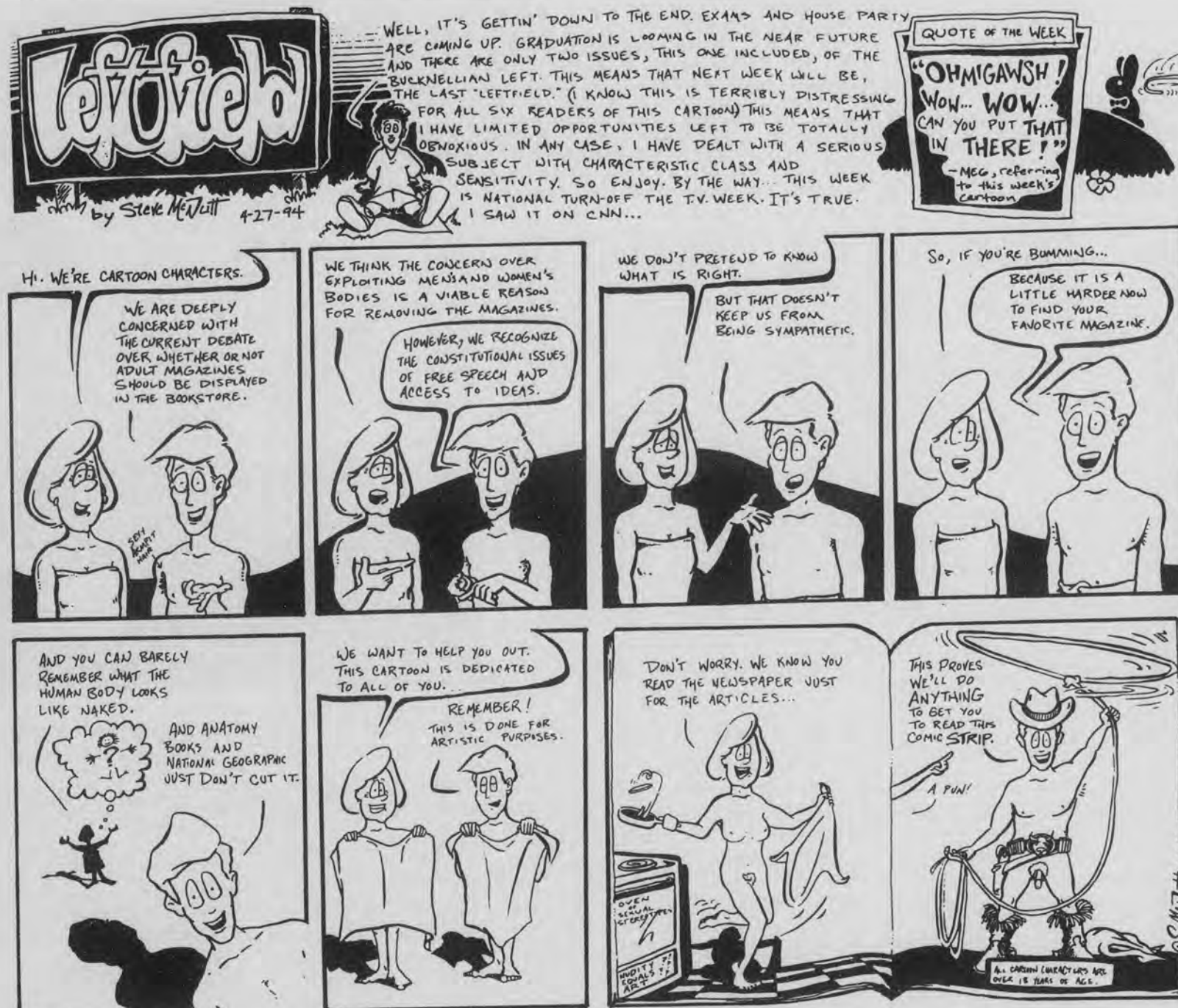
As parents of one BU grad and one about-to-be, we were filled with anger after reading this letter. How sad it is that this young man gained so little from his stay at this fine institution of learning. It was ironic, as he expressed his hatred and threat that "I will never come back here," that we were trying to determine how we could attend yet another Parents Weekend in the fall as we no longer would have a student to visit! Perhaps a foreign or some other student would need a Parent-For-A-Weekend, and perhaps, a grandchild or two down the road will happily take us back here.

His threat to boycott the University and not to make any more donations to the University will probably land on deaf ears. He is certainly just one bad apple in a bushel of bright, shiny, healthy, rule-abiding ones about to move on into the world either in business or to continue their education strong in the knowledge that Bucknell has well prepared them to face whatever comes along.

He says he stoically endured the trials and tribulations of college life the past four years and complains of the shoddy treatment of its students by the University. Why, we ask, did he remain if it made him so unhappy and why did he waste, perhaps his parents' hard-earned money? We take offense at his calling his peers "shallow and self-absorbed." This might well be a better description of himself.

It appears that Scott Lee flagrantly abuses rules and regulations and then complains vehemently when caught. He should realize that it is time to grow up and become responsible for his own actions. Our family's experience with Bucknell has been memorable to say the least and we shall miss its fine professors, advisors and admissions staff.

NAMES WITHHELD
APRIL 20, 1995

Brother's Bucknell experience instills pride
University of Virginia's Honor Committee wrongly accuses student of cheating

TO THE EDITOR:

I've always been proud to be a Bucknell graduate (1990), but I've never felt more personal pride about Bucknell than I have from witnessing my brother's experience there.

Chris will graduate this spring. He came to Bucknell under very unusual circumstances—he had been unfairly dismissed from the University of Virginia in the middle of the spring semester, 1993, after being accused and found guilty of committing an honor code violation.

An instructor who was correcting exams in Chris's Computer Science class at U.Va. thought two exams were too similar in their incorrect answers to be coincidental. He questioned Chris about the exam a few days later. Chris told the instructor he had not cheated. Chris didn't hear from the instructor again and assumed the problem had been resolved.

It had not been resolved. The instructor had turned the situation over to the Honor Committee. More than seven months after Chris took the test, he was informed that he was the subject of an honor investigation.

The Honor Committee at U.Va. is totally run by students—the students are accused, investigated, tried and dismissed from school without any faculty or adult supervision. It is also a single sanction system—if a student is found guilty of lying, cheating or stealing, he or she is dismissed from school.

Ten months after Chris took the Computer Science exam, he was put on trial and found guilty of cheating. He had not been allowed any witnesses in his defense. Many injustices occurred during the trial, far too numerous to go into here, but denying him witnesses was the most appalling injustice and probably the reason he was found guilty. He was told to leave school immediately.

Chris was devastated. He loved U.Va. He had gone to Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology in Fairfax County, VA; a magnet high school for gifted students. More than 100 of his 400 classmates at Jefferson matriculated to the University of Virginia. Most of his friends are there and will graduate this spring. Leaving U.Va. under such incredible circumstances was a nightmare for my entire family.

It was hard for Chris to focus on attending a different school, but he knew he didn't want to miss another semester. So rather than hope he'd be granted a new trial and found innocent (and therefore reinstated at U.Va.), he decided to make plans to continue his education elsewhere.

At the same time he started the transfer application process, he also began filing appeals at U.Va. for a new trial.

Chris was accepted as a transfer student at Bucknell, Lehigh and Wake Forest. He spoke to deans, professors and administration officials at all schools, telling them what happened at U.Va. and also stating that he was going to pursue every avenue of appeal to clear his name at U.Va. Representatives at all three schools were clearly interested (and appalled) by what had happened at U.Va.

Chris decided on Bucknell, partly, I think, because he felt comfortable there and somewhat at home. He had spent time on campus during his four years at Bucknell, going to basketball games and just hanging out in my dorm or in the gym before games, etc.

Chris started at Bucknell in the fall of 1993, accelerating his course

load to try to make up for his lost semester. He found courses at Bucknell to be more interesting and more challenging than the courses he had at U.Va. At Bucknell, of course, he had full professors—at U.Va. he had only instructors and graduate students.

In the meantime, he wasn't having any success with his appeals at U.Va. The students on the Honor Committee were arrogant and determined that he would not be granted a new trial. After many rejections and many months of trying, my parents eventually hired a lawyer and in the spring of 1994, the lawyer finally convinced U.Va.'s administration to look seriously at the flaws that had occurred in Chris's case.

More than two years after the test was taken, Chris was told he would have a new trial. This time Chris was allowed witnesses. Professors from U.Va., Georgetown, and George Mason testified on Chris's behalf. After another 15-hour trial, it took the new jury only 30 minutes to find Chris not guilty.

The president of U.Va. issued a statement to the academic community stating that Chris had not originally received a fair trial and acknowledged the flaws that had occurred in his case.

Chris never considered returning to U.Va. He told us, when he was dismissed, that he would not return to U.Va. and when the time actually came that he was able to, he never considered it. He's been a resident advisor this year; he's worked on the circulation end of *The Bucknellian* and he's happy he's been a part of the Bucknell community. He appreciates the chance he was given to prove himself worthy of the trust and consideration he was given when he applied. He appreciated knowing that the administration at Bucknell believed in him and gave him an opportunity to continue his education at a school he's grown fond of.

Knowing my brother, he probably chose to tell only a few people what happened at U.Va. and, as time passed, more and more people heard about it, asking him if he was the U.Va. student who transferred because of the Honor Code violation. When he acknowledged that he was, one staff member of *The Bucknellian* said they had decided not to write about it because they assumed he'd prefer that they didn't.

I know Chris appreciated that. He has been in the headlines at U.Va. for more than two years now and most of the publicity has not been favorable. One of U.Va.'s student newspapers, *The Cavalier Daily*, ran a series of slanted articles and cartoons, depicting my family as rich and powerful monsters who bullied U.Va. into submission. Students from U.Va. have sent threatening letters and made obscene phone calls to Chris. U.Va. alumni have expressed outrage that my family dare to question their honor system.

Proponents of the honor system feel it wasn't fair for the administration to get involved in an honor case. They're all missing the point: the issue is Chris's case was about the blatant abuse of power by student Honor Committee members and about the violation of a student's rights to a fair trial and due process.

I felt confident that a student at Bucknell would never be treated the way Chris was treated at U.Va. Thank you all—from me, from my parents—and from Chris.

GREG LEGGETT '90
APRIL 10, 1995

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LIFESTYLES

Science, Health, and Technology

A star behind the scenes: trainers come to the rescue

BY KARA SABADO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It's the biggest match of the year. The star athlete is in the middle of a fine performance when down she falls. No need to fear, a student trainer is near.

Student trainers Dave Williamson '98, Jen Goodrich '97, Cari Vanderslice '97, and Kim McPherson '95 report their job description and why they are the ones to come to the athletes' rescue.

Goodrich said that she became a trainer because "I used to be an athlete and since I am not participating in a sport anymore I still wanted to be involved with athletics. I also needed a job to make a little extra money and with this job I could be around sports, which made it exciting."

Goodrich described her job. "We do first aid for athletes and basically attend to sports injuries and help rehabilitate the athletes so they can return to their sport," she said.

The student trainers assist the head trainers by taping ankles, knees, feet, etc.; heating, icing, stretching, and rub downs of injuries before and after practice; attending to teams during practices in case of injuries; and traveling with teams to away games.

"We have limited jurisdiction over diagnosing injuries and prescribing treatment, which is mainly done by the head trainers, but to some extent we can make those decisions," said Goodrich.

McPherson, treasurer of the club and a trainer for the men's lacrosse team, said that she got involved with the student

trainers club when she saw their booth at the activities fair.

"I get to the training room an hour before practice starts and tape up any injuries, such as sprained ankles, and also help them stretch out. Then, I go onto the field and observe during practice. If someone gets injured I report it to the head trainer."

Williamson became a certified massage therapist 2 years ago at the Center for Health and Wellness in Pottstown, PA.

"I did not want to continue playing lacrosse and after I was certified in massage therapy I realized that I was interested in other things in that field so I thought that I would give training a try," Williamson said.

Williamson was assigned to work with the football team this past fall and this spring he works with the track team where he massages the sprinters hamstrings and calves.

Before each student trainer is assigned a team to work and travel with, they must go through a period of instruction.

"For the first week we go and observe for one to two hours a couple days a week," Williamson stated. "During the free time, we would practice taping and other things that we had to learn with the head trainers."

Vanderslice, a trainer for the women's lacrosse team, stressed the importance of observing the head trainers during this training period. She said, "through observation you get the feel for training. It takes a lot of time but the head trainers are open and more than willing to answer questions."



Julie Augustine, associate athletic trainer, tends to Jodi DeRonde '97. Student trainers help Augustine by tending to teams whenever it is needed.

The time commitment involved with this job does not seem to be a burden to any of them.

Vanderslice said, "There are two trainers for every team and we alternate, making it versatile. It doesn't limit you from other things that you want to do. Pre-season hours vary, but once it is in season it takes up a lot more time, especially when traveling with the team on weekends."

Williamson, who spends up to 35 hours a week on the job during football season, explained that "since there are two trainers for every sport, if you cannot make it to work, the other one can cover

for you. The head trainers are really understanding if you absolutely cannot make it to work one day."

Even though Goodrich admits that it can get pretty hectic trying to juggle all of the athletes who come in needing aid, she feels that all the hard work pays off when, "someone recognizes and appreciates the help that I gave them and how it helped them during practice or the game. It lets me know that I am doing my job right."

Williamson said, "I can do the basics, but talking to the athletes afterwards and making sure that it helped is the impor-

tant thing. It is also great to hear that the coaches think that we are doing a good job."

McPherson said that one of the benefits of being a student trainer is that you learn about different sports. "You also get to know the players and you get excited for them as they play."

Vanderslice agrees that the job is a lot of fun. The two most important things that she has gained through this job are knowledge and camaraderie within the training room and with team members. She said, "It is a really worthwhile experience because even though you are not on a sports team, you are involved in sports and the team depends on you."

Tracy Bass '96, is president of the student trainers club and organizes luncheon meetings every Thursday, a banquet, and fund raisers. The funds raised are used to send people to national athletics trainers conventions or conferences, and also to purchase warm-ups/uniforms.

Williamson, who admitted that he would do it even if he didn't get paid, said "it is a really good job and if you think that you might be interested, give it a try."

Even though many of the trainers became so because they are biology or pre-med majors looking to go into physical therapy or sports medicine, there are also many other trainers who became involved for a variety of reasons. But, as Williamson adds, "you must be willing to work when you weren't supposed to, give up certain weekends to travel with the team, and definitely be dependable."

Services provides link throughout campus via computers

BY NATHANIEL A.F. CLARK
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

A common link that unites all of us at Bucknell is the extent to which we are dependent upon computers and electronic communication.

At Bucknell, responsibility for these essential services falls under the jurisdiction of a single organization, Bucknell Computer and Communications Services (CCS). With such a responsibility resting upon a single group, it is important to inquire as to the performance of that organization, especially in light of the fast-changing nature of computers and communications today.

To attract quality students and faculty to the University, a computer and communications infrastructure that meets the University's present needs must be provided; it also must be comparable to and competitive with those offered at peer universities. How good of a job has CCS done?

To answer this question, I conducted two interviews, one with Ralph Droms and Gene Spencer, the present co-directors of Bucknell CCS, and another with Jeffrey Wescott '95, the president of the Bucknell Chapter of the Association for Computing Machinery, a national computer science professional society. The interviews were conducted with three major themes: the quality of the services that CCS provides to faculty and classes, the quality of service provided to administration, and the quality of services provided to students.

FACULTY COMPUTING

CCS's stated goal concerning faculty computing is to "provide a computer to every faculty member who requests one, and we've achieved almost 100% coverage at this time," said Droms. He admitted that many faculty still use much older Macintosh SE and IBM 286 and 386 computers, but said that at the minimum every faculty computer "has a network connection and the ability to run [Microsoft]

"At some other schools multimedia consists of the teacher printing something out and then putting it on an overhead."

—Jeffrey Wescott '96

Word." Droms emphasized that not all faculty members want computers, thus mak-

ing the concept of 100% coverage more feasible. He also said that a survey taken of all faculty members last year indicated that the majority of them were satisfied with the computers on their desks.

"Now that we've covered everyone, we can start to go back and upgrade machines," said Droms, stating that CCS's goal is to have the standard personal computer for faculty to be either a full-size monitor, color Macintosh with eight megabytes of memory or a full-size, color-monitor IBM 386."

Wescott also said that it was his perception that faculty were generally satisfied with the level of computing provided, but again that "there are professors out there who still use typewriters!"

Another concern about faculty computing is the conflicting need for a high-powered and highly expensive UNIX workstation. These UNIX-workstations are capable of doing high speed complex calculations, while still requiring a more general computer for mundane tasks such as word processing.

According to Wescott, the solution found at some other universities is to simply have the professors have "two computers on their desk, a decent Mac, and then a UNIX-box along with it," but he admitted that such a solution would "not be cost-effective at a small liberal-arts university."

Wescott also said that this problem is not as pointed as it used to be, as today's high-end Macintosh and IBM systems have significantly narrowed the speed gap that used to exist between them and most workstations.

One area in which CCS seems to excel is the integration of computers into the classroom, with the advent of such computerized teaching facilities as the math department's Mathematica Lab, the engineering department's Electronic Classroom, and the foreign language department's Multimedia Lab.

These labs, set up by CCS and the cited departments, offer unique methods for faculty to integrate computers into the learning process. "At some other schools multimedia consists of the teacher printing something out and then putting it on an overhead," said Wescott.

ADMINISTRATIVE COMPUTING

Most students at Bucknell have little direct contact with administrative computing, yet it affects some of the most

important parts of our lives here.

Most administrative computing takes place on a circa 1981 Bull mainframe usually referred to as "CP6." According to

"Would [making the decision ourselves] have been quicker? Yes. But this way everyone involved will be much more satisfied."

—Gene Spencer, co-director of CCS

Droms and Spencer, the various systems on CP6 keep track of "grades, course scheduling, all manner of accounting, payroll, human resource benefits, admissions, financial aid, housing" and many other key University systems.

The key difficulty with CP6, and thus with administrative computing in general, is that just a few years after its purchase, CP6 lost its support from its manu-

"If we had simply chosen the new package on our own would we have reached the same decision? Probably. Would it have been quicker? Yes. But this way everyone involved will be much more satisfied with the final product," said Spencer. It is impressive that CCS's main focus is on the satisfaction of its users, rather than simply on getting its job done.

Another aspect of administrative computing is the distribution of computing capabilities to individual offices. "At present, we have covered approximately 80% of the administration," said Droms. While this is a below the claimed 100% faculty coverage, it is offset by the fact that administrative computer usage is less demanding. Since the majority of administrative computer usage consists of utilizing a central system, it is not necessary to have the same level of computing power on most administrator's desks.

STUDENT COMPUTING

Student computer usage is definitely the most visible of CCS's responsibilities and can be divided into two major areas, computer usage in public labs and computer usage in the dorm room. "CCS does

a great job in the public labs," said Wescott. "For instance, the computers in the Rooke [Mathematica] lab, students at other universities just don't have access to machines like that. Even printing is great, at any other school you'd be charged for any laser printing you'd do."

At present, approximately 250 Macintosh computers and 100 IBM computers are available for general student use. According to Droms "We've tried to adopt the rule of about a five-year life span on most microcomputers."

One failing on the part of CCS is that of residence hall networking. Residence hall networking is the concept of providing high-speed connections between student's computers, in their own rooms, and the main campus network. This would allow students to access any resources they could from a public computer on their room. Over this summer CCS filed a proposal with the president's office describing several different scenarios through which the residence hall networking project might be undertaken.

"CCS is firmly behind the concept of residence hall networking" said Droms, "We support it because we believe it has extensive pedagogical and communica-

tions advantages to offer the entire University." Presently, the residence hall networking proposal is still under examination by the President's office and is available for review by anyone off of the CCS World Wide Web (WWW) home page.

Another of CCS's difficulties is its support of users through the CCS Help Desk. "Personally, I've never had the Help Desk be able to answer any of the questions I've ever sent to them, admittedly, my questions may have been on the more high-end side, but even so, the level of training of the people who work the Help Desk isn't very high; they seem to know enough to answer questions about Word and Excel, but that's it," said Wescott. The Help Desk was redesigned by a committee of CCS employees over this past summer using other universities as models. "The level of support offered for IBM users is also extremely small," said Wescott, "most of the computers on campus are Mac's, but there are still a lot of IBM owners; they should be supported as well."

To conclude, CCS seems to excel in some areas but lags somewhat in others. Fortunately, the CCS co-directors are aware of the areas in which their organization could be improved, and they are attempting to make those improvements.

One major limiting factor for CCS seems to be insufficient staffing. "In the last year CCS has seen a fifteen percent increase in the number of computers we have to support, but no increases in staff size," At present, CCS has 37 full time employees, "at lot of people at CCS have a extremely large work load, and its not that they're not willing or capable of doing the things we need them to do, they just don't have the time," said Wescott. "Since Ralph and I became co-directors we've doubled the budget for training, and I think we've seen improvements from that," said Spencer. On a positive note, "CCS is definitely better than when I came in as a freshman, and they're getting better, but they still have some problems," said Wescott.

"CCS is firmly behind the concept of residence hall networking."

—Ralph Droms, co-director of CCS

LIFESTYLES

Science, Health, and Technology

Students dive into the unknown through research grants

BY SARAH CATLIN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

To most college students science means lectures and labs. If a student does not understand a concept or can't work out a lab experiment the professor is right there to bail them out. After all, apparently college isn't the 'real world.' Maybe, maybe not.

Gretchen Rehberg, assistant professor of chemistry and Timothy Strein, assistant professor of chemistry recently received grants from the Research Corporation and are showing how the 'unreal world' of college science actually crosses the line into real work.

Professors in the Biology and Rooke Chemistry buildings are constantly applying for grants to support their research projects. The Research Corporation is a foundation that supplies grant money to professors who work with undergraduate students. This organization funds equipment, supplies, student summer stipends, faculty summer stipends, and other expenses that may be acquired while working on the specific research topic. With its focus on astronomy, physics, and chemistry, it is an excellent corporation for some Bucknell faculty to apply for grants.

Rehberg is originally from Washington state. She went to the University of the South in Texas for her undergraduate studies. Here, she said, she learned to appreciate the value of a smaller college and small student to faculty ratios. She then moved to the University of Minnesota for graduate studies. After completing studies

there, she traveled to Zurich to do more graduate work. Her work dealt with creating analogs of DNA. Finally Rehberg traveled back to the United States and came to Bucknell.

Rehberg is a synthetic organic chemist. Her two main goals are to make and find new reactions and molecules. Her work deals with producing analogs of a molecule that was discovered recently in the mid-80s. The molecule itself is interesting to Rehberg because not only does it have an interesting structure, but also has some properties that may effect some of the research of both AIDS and cancer.

With material this sophisticated it may be assumed that it is only advanced upperclassmen aid in this sort of research. However this is not the case.

"What I like to do is find some one who has done well in the first semester of their first year of chemistry, which is organic, and get them into the lab second semester," said Rehberg. She believes that it's best to get research students into the topic as soon as possible. In this way the time the student has to put into the research is maximized. The research doesn't work on the school calendar either. Students are paid to do research in the summer.

Two of her students will not be undergraduate students this summer because they are graduating. However their work will live on because both will have papers. Rehberg is writing up one senior's research and the other is working on her honors thesis. In this way the undergraduates are recognized for their progress in the research.

Rehberg said, "That's my goal, is to get the undergraduates as independent as possible, to be junior colleges". This sort of relationship differs from the typical student-professor relationship.

"They come in and say 'this is the problem and here is how I fixed it'," Rehberg said about the independence of undergraduates.

Strein agrees, "It's nice because they get the experience of really doing chemistry, instead of writing down equations and describing chemistry".

Strein also received grant money from the Research Corporation. His research deals with separating chemical species from bodily fluids and excreting them in urine. Strein's work is aimed at determining the content of physiological samples (blood, urine) in a single step chemical analysis called capillary electrophoresis. This research pertains to how a healthy person's kidney separates biological waste products out. He can already see a comparative difference in a more efficient technique.

"We can do it [the separation] in a fraction of the time of other separating techniques that use amino acids and single targeted analysis toward one species," Strein said.

Part of the success of the project is that he also has undergraduates enter into the project.

"They can do a lot more meaningful science after they have struggled to understand the project for a semester or two," Strein believes. There are presently five students working on this topic. In a school with medicine on a lot of students



Jake Deerhake '96 and Timothy Strein, assistant professor of chemistry prepare to work together this summer through the aid of research grants.

mind, it is no surprise that Strein finds this project good one "because students see the medical connection".

However Strein wasn't looking at medicine or even chemistry when he was starting as an undergraduate at North Carolina State. A few years in to his major of textiles he "saw the light" and not only completed his studies in textiles, but stayed on an extra year to get his degree in chemistry. He then journeyed to Penn State for his graduate work in electrochemistry. Strein almost became a grant

himself. The Dreyfus Foundation INC sent him to Bucknell as a new Ph. D. to experience the small college life. Strein liked Bucknell so much that he decided remain at Bucknell.

Perhaps the only question left is why anyone would put all this money into research. According to Strein the money is an investment for well-educated students. This trade off helps to ensure the United States will be pointed in the right scientific direction the future.

EE professor receives national top honor

JOYA DASS
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Susan Lord, assistant professor of electrical engineering, having spent six years in Palo Alto finishing up her Ph.D. at Stanford University, said she still has trouble adjusting to the cold weather of a Lewisburg winter. Lord has been named an Eta Kappa Nu Outstanding Young Electrical Engineer finalist. "Young means anyone under 35," said Lord.

Lord was nominated by the electrical engineering (EE) department to receive the honor from the national electrical engineering honor society, but her honor was scaled against outstanding technical contributions and service to the community by individuals from all over the world. The honor is also administered on the basis of unusual service to the community or nation, cultural and aesthetic achievements and other professional activities.

Lord described her experience so far at Bucknell with enthusiasm. "Oh, I love it. I came to Bucknell because I wanted to teach," she said. While an undergraduate at Cornell, she said that she missed out on the closely linked lab and lectures that are a "real strength of the program" here at Bucknell. She loves to see how things work on a physical level and enjoys the fact that her students cannot only learn theory in her class, but can "see" the theory at work in the lab, since she has them for both class and lecture.

The lab is probably where Lord's Stanford colleagues could have spotted her in the past. Her work with her colleagues has been devoted to expanding types of materials commonly used in supermarket laser scanners, CD players, and fiber optic communication networks. Silicon has traditionally been used for semi-conductor material because of its abundance and accessibility to manufacturers, but the element is not optimal for transmitting light. Lord's point of honor has been in finding and combining other materials that are good for transmitting and absorbing light.

A single element is easier to work with, than a compound because there is less chance for dissociation of atoms. Atoms in an element exist in a pattern, called the lattice constant, that makes an element exist as silicon unlike from gallium. If they were placed on top of one another and magnified, one could see that the holes in the lattice of silicon are mismatched with that of gallium. The holes of the lattice of silicon on top of silicon usually line up pretty neatly.

What makes Lord's work special is that she has carefully nurtured and "grown" the holes of two elements, gallium and arsenide, so they are closely matched, and has also undertaken materials of largely mismatched lattices and made semi-conductor material out of them. The result is a material optimal for transmitting light.

Materials are grown in the ultra-high vacuum system to prohibit dust or other junk particles from getting into the elements as the compound forms. A thin wafer-like compound is created that will be used for semi-conducting purposes. It took Lord until her final year of finishing her doctorate to create an active layer, where light is absorbed and transmitted, of a semi-conductive wafer unmixed by dust and junk.

Another challenge for Lord is in considering the wavelength at which only certain compounds that are created can function. Combining just the right wavelength and semi-conductive material can revolutionize the distance at which remote controls could function, for example. This is especially important in fiber optics. Right now Lord is putting her compound discoveries to work with Penn State for an establishment in Princeton making photodetectors. Organizations such as NASA will be using Lord's and her colleagues' similar research to create photodetectors that will discover what makes up the atmospheric constituents of planets in the universe. Medicine will be able to detect glucose levels using her conducting material.

Lord said "I think it's great fun—the science and engineering part...I've had to stumble down a lot of dark alleys and one of them just works," referring to her recent successes.

What's up doc? Student health questions...



Q : I like the fact that with the Depo-Provera birth control method I would only have to think about it four times/year, as opposed to 365 days/year. But does it have any disadvantages?

A : Depo-Provera or the contraceptive shot has become a very popular method of birth control. The convenience of remembering only four times a year coupled with its 99% + effectiveness have put it in competition with the pill. But like all highly effective, convenient methods it also has side effects every woman should consider before selecting it as her method.

For most women the most frustrating side effect is the disruption of her normal menstrual bleeding pattern. Depo-Provera users experience a wide range of irregular bleeding that encompasses light irregular spotting to heavy continuous bleeding. Usually menstrual bleeding becomes less frequent with continued use and by the end of the first year 55% of users no longer bleed at all!

Most women like the idea of not having menstrual period anymore, but studies have linked the lack of menses with the development of osteoporosis (the brittle bone disease), so Depo-Provera use may be considered one of the risk factors, for osteoporosis.

Another concern for many weight conscious women is the fact that women who use Depo-Provera have a tendency to gain weight. It amounts to about three pounds per year.

Lastly, Depo-Provera is long acting contraceptive. It may take a longer time for a woman to return to normal fertility after her last injection than it does for women discontinuing other hormonal methods like the "pill" or Norplant.

Rozalyn Yannaccone, CRNP
Women's Health Nurse Practitioner

Q : I have these really bad hangovers sometimes, but I know I'm not really supposed to take Tylenol after drinking. Why is Tylenol bad and are there other drugs dangerous as well?

A : Having a hangover is your first mistake. In simplest terms, a hangover represents a situation where you have burdened your liver with more ethanol than it can reasonably handle. This is your body's way of letting you know you overdid it! Pay attention. (Have a few more Sharps rather than too many Schlitz.)

According to the manufacturer of Tylenol (if you have the visual capacity to read the small print on the product label), one should only take Tylenol if one has consumed less than three alcoholic beverages. If one has consumed more than three alcoholic beverages, the instructions are to "consult your physician."

The last part of the question: "Why is Tylenol bad...?" misses the point entirely. Tylenol is not bad, it is the analgesic (pain reliever) and antipyretic (fever reducer) of choice around the world; it's the alcohol that is bad, and potentially dangerous.

The snow-covered mountains, funny-looking dogs, and bikini-clad young ladies who do a very good job at enticing junior-high, high-school, and college-aged Americans to overindulge in alcohol are also part of the problem. We again return to the "P-word"—PREVENTION. If one doesn't overindulge in alcohol, one never has a hang-over; thus, one, never has to worry about the adverse effects of over-the-counter medication.

In recent articles in the *New England Journal of Medicine* and in *JAMA* Tylenol was associated with problems in both the liver and the kidneys of patients who had been fasting, overindulged in alcohol chronically, and took far more Tylenol than was recommended. But even in these articles it was the alcohol that was the major culprit.

We all make choices about what we drink, and how much and what type of over-the-counter medicine we take. The mixture of alcohol with any type of prescription or over-the-counter medication is a dangerous cocktail indeed.

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LIFESTYLES

Music and excitement create recital

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

What happens when you put together two sophomore music majors, add music by various composers, and mix in some enthusiasm on the part of the performers? To learn the answer to this question and to enjoy an evening of songs, be at Bucknell Hall at 8 p.m. on Tuesday night when Megan Allen '97 and Susan Minsavage '97 will make their recital debut.

Sharing their first recital seems natural to both Allen and Minsavage. Both women study voice with assistant professor of music Dr. Catherine F. Payn. Both also devote a great deal of time to classes and ensembles with the music department. Allen and Minsavage sing with the Rooker Chapel Choir, the chorale, and the Bucknell Opera Company. Allen is also a member of Proclamation, a student group that sings Christian music both on and off campus.

"Megan and I work well together," Minsavage explained. "Since we know each other so well, it makes it easy for us to put a program together."

Allen and Minsavage are excited about the performance. "A recital gives us the chance to show what we've been learning for the last two years," Allen said.

Allen's portion of the program

features works by the composers Rossini, Samuel Barber, Mozart, and Pergolesi. Singing in Italian was something new for Allen when she began her musical studies at Bucknell. The soprano, who also has a major in English, is excited about both the program's solo works and the duets which will close the performance.

"Sue and I play off of each other when we sing; we have fun," Allen said. Minsavage readily concurred. "Megan and I have very different voice parts," the mezzo soprano explained. "Our duets are marked by contrasts."

Minsavage began her vocal studies as a first-year student. She will perform works by Hugo Wolf, Piccini, and William Bolcom, a contemporary composer who wrote his *Twelve Cabaret Songs* within the last twenty years. "I'll be singing two of Bolcom's cabaret pieces," Minsavage said. She explained that while they are legitimate art songs, the cabaret style has a more relaxed character than the other works. "I think people will find them interesting," Minsavage said.

Next semester should prove to be an interesting one for Allen and Minsavage, who will study abroad with the Bucknell in London program. "Going to London will be a great artistic experience," Minsavage said enthusiastically. Both women plan to study voice with



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Megan Allen '97 and Susan Minsavage '97 will perform in their debut recital at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Bucknell Hall.

British instructors while in London in order to get an idea of how different vocal techniques are taught abroad.

'70 grad, TV anchor stays active at Bucknell

ALLEN From Page 1

As an anchor she had remained an independent because she wanted to be objective in her reporting. "I didn't want [political affiliation] to cloud what I was saying."

These days, she is being asked by both major parties to run for the New Jersey State Legislature. Her name yields recognition as she has been an observer of the political process for 25 years and has knowledge of the negatives of the process to be an effective leader in the eyes of her supporters.

Not only has she been an observer of the political process in the past 25 years, she has also been an instrumental observer of the changes Bucknell has undergone since she graduated.

She serves as a visiting trustee of several Bucknell committees, including that for the Sesquicentennial celebration the campus will hold next year. She and her husband both serve on the Parent Directors' Association, which is composed of 100 parents. She has made a differ-

ence in the civil rights school of thought, she explains that the Governor, too, had children, and the commonality served as a focus of discussion in her interview. Allen contends that the interruption ultimately added to the quality of interview that she elicited from him.

Allen says that she turned down three offers to join networks such as ABC and CBS to tend to her family, which has always been at the forefront of her time management concerns. But things have come full circle as her documentaries are soon to be aired on major networks such as PBS and the Discovery Channel.

She continues her fresh-out-of-college ways to enlighten the public on pertinent but ignored social issues with her newest endeavor: a documentary that forces Philadelphians to look at the avenue of arts on downtown Broad Street and the revenue potential that a rediscovering of the arts could bring to the city.

The 29-minute documentary highlights each entrepreneur on the strip, allows them to voice concerns, and demonstrates what each storefront contributes to the aesthetic and employment potential of the city.

"There are lots of different cultures represented that Philadelphians don't know about and need to know about it."

Students walking down the hallway of Coleman will find a playbill from 1969 sporting Allen's youthful face from her acting days. "I've always been interested in the arts," Allen said, both as an actor in the theater and, most importantly, as an audience member.

But Allen stresses that her documentary strives to "educate and inform...not to entertain." She hopes venues open up for international acts that may have not had a venue for demonstration previously in Philadelphia.

"[I] give every little bit to contribute and make [Bucknell] better whether it be to host faculty or staff or to come up and lecture."

—Dianne Allen

ence in Bucknell over the years "to give every little bit to contribute and make it [the institution] better whether it be to host [travelling] faculty or staff or to come up and lecture." As an alumna, she said, "I have a great respect for the institution" and cites changes such as closer student-faculty relations, greater efforts at diversifying the student body, a dedicated group of alumni, and technological advancements as having added to the campus since she left. "Students are brighter. They know what is going on in the world."

Her children, Sara '96 and Leeds Allen '98, are in the lot of



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Study Spot: Smith Stairwell



Karin Davidson—The Bucknellian
William Zackey '98 finds a comfortable place to study on a second floor stairwell in Smith Hall.

A&E Calendar

Thursday, April 27
Panel Discussion: Race/Gender Masculinity Panel, 4 p.m., Walls Lounge, Langone Center
Environmental College Lecture: "The Clean Air Act," Edward Perry, 7:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center
Senior flute recital: Katrina M. DeBonville '95, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Film: *Quiz Show*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Friday, April 28
Annual Student Art Show: Center Gallery Opening Reception, 4 p.m., Center Gallery, Langone Center

Concert: Music Department Quartet, 4 p.m., Bucknell Hall
Hilltop Film: *The Fourth Man*, Paul Verhoeven, 4 p.m. and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium
Play: *Aladdin*, Delta Upsilon
Demie Play, 8 p.m., Coleman Theatre

Concert: Widespread Panic, 8 p.m., Fieldhouse.

Saturday, April 29
Play: *Aladdin*, Delta Upsilon

Demie Play, 8 p.m., Coleman Theatre.
Dance Performance: Peter Pucci Plus Dancers, 8 p.m., Weis Center, tickets available at Weis Center Box Office
Band: Deep Six, 10 p.m., Bison, Langone Center
Film: *Stargate*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Sunday, April 30
Spring Performance: Collegium Musicum, Susan Jackson, director, 2:30 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Poetry Reading: Bruce Smith, poet-in-residence, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall.
Tuesday, May 2
Sophomore Recital: Megan Allen '97, soprano, and Susan Minsavage '97, mezzo-soprano, 8 p.m., Bucknell Hall

Film: *Stargate*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center, \$1 admission

Wednesday, May 3
Coffeehouse: 9 p.m., Bison, Langone Center

Next Week:
Bucknellian Sports Awards
Jeff Graf '96:
Scholar Athlete

BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"The rider in front of me crashed, and in my attempt to avoid hitting him I flew forward, my stomach connecting with the back of my saddle. It popped off so fast I didn't realize what had happened. With a mechanical like that, it's nearly impossible to finish the race."

—Mike Kuhn '96 on the mix-up during last week's Ironmaster's Classic mountain bike race

Flash in the Pan



Black Ice: ESPN will present *Black Ice*, a 30-minute segment on two black college hockey players: Mike Grier of Boston University and Anson Carter, a Canadian who attends Michigan. The special will present game footage of this year's NCAA playoffs (Grier's Boston University won the championship this season). It will also have interviews from both players' parents, coaches, and officials. The show will appear at 8 p.m. Thursday on ESPN.

Vegas vs. Atlanta...fans: During a 7-1 Atlanta Knights victory, containing 12 fights on the ice, seven Las Vegas Thunder players swung their sticks at fans who poured beer on them. It took 15 police officers to restore order with 12:27 remaining in the game. The melee started when Atlanta fans poured beer on Thunder players Mark Rodgers and Kerry Toporowski while in the penalty box—both players climbed the rail and swung their sticks at fans for about five minutes. As Toporowski was leaving the building he threw an elbow at Atlanta goalie Derek Willinson. Again, Atlanta fans poured beer on him and he swung his stick. Bob Strumm tried to climb the boards behind the bench to swing more sticks. Las Vegas' lead is cut to 2-1 in this best-of-five series. Game four will be held in Atlanta Monday night.

Sweet deal: Darryl Strawberry avoided a jail sentence on Monday. He received a probation deal that will allow him to play baseball despite owing \$350,000 in back taxes and penalties for illegal baseball card signings during the 1980's. According to an interview with *USA Today* Strawberry said, "It's a very critical point in my career." Strawberry is currently serving a 60-day suspension from major league baseball for failing a drug test on Feb. 6. He was released by San Francisco and is looking for a job.

Cosell dies: Howard Cosell died Sunday at age 77. He had undergone cancer surgery in 1991 and his health had declined since. Cosell, born March 25, 1918 in Winston-Salem, N.C., grew up in Brooklyn and went to New York University. His studies were interrupted by World War II where he was named a major. After the war, Cosell opened a law office in Manhattan. One of his clients was Willie Mays. His first job was done as a favor in 1953 when he hosted a Little League radio program. ABC hired Cosell in 1956 where he would spend 29 years covering a wide variety of sports.

Swervin' Bird: Dennis Erickson, Seattle Seahawks head football coach was arrested April 15th for drunk driving. He was pulled over in Everett, Washington and had a blood alcohol level of 0.23 percent, two times the legal limit. May 3 is the date for his arraignment.

Joey is a Race Car Driver: Football legend Joe Montana announced that he would join the Target/Chip Ganassi racing team. Montana will be involved in the Indy team's sponsor relations, business promotions, and marketing programs. Bryan Herta and Jimmy Vasser are the drivers for the team. They prepare for the Indianapolis 500 next month.

Let the Games Finally Begin: The 1995 Major League Baseball season got off to a bang Tuesday night as Raul Mondesi, the 1994 National League Rookie of the Year, hit a two run shot in his first at-bat of the season to lead the Los Angeles Dodgers to an 8-7 victory over the Florida Marlins. Players were booed by the 40,000 fans in attendance as they took the field at the beginning of the game, but soon quieted after the Marlins' Chuck Clark made a diving grab off the bat of Delino DeShields on the first pitch of the game. The game was called by four replacement umpires, but the owners don't seem very concerned about the striking umpires and their effect on the game. New York Yankees owner George Steinbrenner said in Tuesday's *USA Today*, "No one comes to the ballpark to see ump calls and strikes."

They Just Can't Stay Away: Despite polls and reports that interest in watching baseball is at an all-time low after the eight month strike, baseball fans still seem to be flooding to the ballpark. Tuesday's opener at Florida sold out, as did yesterday's at Boston's Fenway Park. Opening dates for Cincinnati and Colorado are both near sell-outs. Even the waning San Diego Padres have sold 40,000 tickets for its season opener.

Riding in Pursuit of Glory: America's biggest road race, the Tour DuPont, began in Dover, Delaware yesterday with two clear cut favorites, defending champion Viatcheslav Eki-mov and two-time runner-up Lance Armstrong. Armstrong is trying to become only the second American rider to win the race. Three-time Tour de France champion Greg Lemond won the race four years ago.



Graphic courtesy of the Patriot League

Tennis Anyone?

The Men's team is going to their 3rd straight Patriot League Tournament. This year's finale will take place at Navy. The Orange and Blue are 10-7 after defeating Loyola, Md., 6-1 last Monday.

Bison complete comeback win

Bison comeback from 4-1 deficit to defeat Mt. St. Mary's; Silverman honored by league

BY BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Bison improved their overall record to 12-24 yesterday with a 12-5 over Mount St. Mary's. The team, which appears to have folded against Fordham, will take on Lafayette this weekend. Thirdbaseman Kevin Silverman '96, who is this week's Patriot League player of the week, said that "We were a little disappointed with our one and three performance against Fordham."

The Bison gave up four runs in the second inning, but came back to score 11 of the game's final 12 runs.

Last weekend, the Bison dropped three of four games to Fordham. The team split a doubleheader with the Rams on Saturday, winning the first game 7-6, and losing the second game 10-5. Dave Scranton '95, who started the first game, pitched a com-

plete game and earned his fifth win. In seven innings, he allowed four runs on seven hits while striking out five. Thirdbaseman Silverman went two for three with a homerun, a double, two runs, and two RBI's. Heath Mathias '96, the designated hitter, was one for three with a two run homer. Shortstop Pete Gorski '96 went two for four with a double, a run and an RBI.

The Bison made no errors in that game. Saturday's second game was started by Scott VanDalen '96. VanDalen allowed eight runs on seven hits in two and one third innings. The game was finished by Steve Rutkowski '97 who allowed two runs on three hits in three and two thirds innings.

Gorski went two for three with a double, two runs, and a stolen base. Firstbaseman Kyle Morris '95 went one for four with a stolen base and an RBI. Catcher Chad

DeHart '96 and Silverman were also productive at the plate.

Although they were unable to win the game, the Bison made no errors and allowed no unearned runs, something that has usually been a key to victory this season.

Doug Hoffman '97, who started Sunday's first game, allowed eight earned runs on ten hits in three and two thirds innings. He was followed by Matt Gorski '97 who gave up just one hit while striking out one in two and one third innings. Jason Pfannenbecker '97 pitched one inning, allowing one run on two hits. Mike MacNeely '98 finished the game, giving up one hit in one inning pitched. Silverman had another good day at the plate, going one for three with a three run homerun. DeHart went one for four with a run and an RBI. Pete Gorski and Morris also contributed at the plate.

The Bison made three errors

but only allowed one unearned run.

The Bison lost the second game of Sunday's doubleheader 7-2. They were up two to nothing at the end of the third inning, but the Rams tied it up with a two run fourth inning and went ahead with a five run sixth inning. Morris, who started the game, gave up five earned runs on six hits while striking out two in five and one third innings pitched. Silverman went two for two with a double and an RBI. Rutkowski went one for three with a double. Pete Gorski and Brian Kubicki '96 both had good games at the plate as well. The Bison made four errors, and allowed two unearned runs.

Silverman said that "Our fielding was coming around for a while, but we've had some trouble in the last few games."

Last Thursday, the Bison played at Bloomsburg, where they won seven to six in the top of the tenth inning. Pfannenbecker, who started the game, gave up four earned runs on eight hits while striking out one in four and two thirds innings. Alex Incan '97 pitched the remaining five and one third innings, allowing no earned runs (one unearned run) on one hit and striking out one. Silverman went three for five with a homerun, a double, four RBI's, and a run. Kyle Morris went two for four with a double and an RBI. Tom Chiacchio '95, who was the designated hitter, went three for four with a double, and two runs scored. DeHart and Pete Gorski also did well at the plate. The Bison made two errors and allowed one unearned-run.

Silverman is now leading the team with a .367 average, five homeruns, nine doubles, and twenty-five RBI's. Morris and Pete Gorski have also been playing very well lately. In addition, the pitching has also improved. The one problem that the Bison are going to have to overcome in order to contend in the Patriot League is their tendency to make several errors per game and to allow a high number of unearned runs.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Doug Hoffman '97 hurls a pitch during the Bison's comeback win yesterday. The Orange and Blue rallied from a 4-1 deficit, to defeat Mt. St. Mary's 12-5. Bucknell will challenge Lafayette at home this Saturday in an important Patriot League matchup.

Men slay Dragons; Women upended by Hofstra

KEITH NIGRO

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's lacrosse team can not seem to cradle enough energy needed to face their Patriot League foes.

Although the Orange and Blue are coming off a 14-8 defeat of Drexel, Bucknell is only 1-3 within the league and 6-5 overall.

Many anticipated this season to be exciting especially in the post-season. Before this victory, the Bison lost to both Colgate and Penn State 8-17.

Yesterday's win was made possible by a four-goal effort by Steve Lewis '95. Lewis also collected three assists against the Dragons.

Allan Donnelly '96, Dan Kelley '96, and Jon Methven '96 all added two goals each for the Orange and Blue.

The men's team will challenge Lafayette at home on Saturday and conclude the season against the Penn Quakers.

KEITH NIGRO

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Lady Bison continue their up and down season.

This time the Orange and Blue upended Hofstra in a non-league matchup. Last time the team beat St. Joe's 15-8 on a 5 goal effort by Jen Kangas '95. The time before that they lost to Drexel 11-15.

Leigh Owens '95 and Kangas

each scored three times in the losing effort pushing Bucknell's overall record to 5-10. Kangas still leads the team with 34 goals followed by Owens' 28 good for second on the squad. These women continue to move up as two of the nation's top 20 goal scorers.

In yesterday's game, Hofstra did not relinquish their early 8-1 lead even though the Lady Bison pulled to within four by halftime. Aly Toombs '97 could not the onslaught from the opposing victors. Bucknell will host UMBC at 4:30 today.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Hugh Donovan '96 fights with Penn State for the ball.

U.S.I.L.A Division I Top 20 (Men)	
1. Johns Hopkins	9-0
2. Syracuse	8-2
3. Virginia	10-2
4. Duke	10-3
5. Maryland	7-3
6. North Carolina	8-5
7. Loyola, Md.	8-2
8. Princeton	8-3
9. Brown	7-4
10. Hobart	6-4
11. Massachusetts	5-3
12. Penn State	10-2
13. Georgetown	9-3
14. Notre Dame	6-4
15. Towson State	5-4
16. Hofstra	7-3
17. Cornell	7-4
18. Navy	5-6
19. Dartmouth	7-2
20. Harvard	5-5

Bine/WIACA Women's Division Top 15	
1. Maryland	10-0
2. Princeton	11-1
3. Dartmouth	10-1
4. James Madison	11-4
5. Penn State	10-4
6. William & Mary	12-3
7. Temple	9-3
8. Old Dominion	10-7
9. Loyola, Md.	9-5
10. Delaware	9-9
11. Virginia	6-6
12. Yale	9-2
13. Harvard	6-3
14. New Hampshire	5-4
15. Cornell	7-5

Others: Lehigh, Georgetown, Colgate

BISON SCOREBOARD

BASEBALL (11-24-11)

April 19, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-6	St. Bonaventure-10
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Maher 4b 0 1 0 0 1 0	Cann 3 0 1 0 0 2 2 1
D'Arzo 4 0 0 0 3 2 4	Incin 4 2 0 0 0 1 3 0
Scranton 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	Mathias 2b 2 0 0 0 0 1 3
Rutkowski 0 0 0 0 0 0 2	Jones 4 0 0 0 0 0 1 1
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	VanDalen 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
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April 20, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-7	Bloomburg-6
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D'Arzo 4 0 0 0 3 2 4	Incin 4 2 0 0 0 1 3 0
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MEN'S LACROSSE 5-5-1-3

April 18, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-4	Penn State-17
GOALS-Methven-2, Lewis, Donnelly	
ASSISTS-Donnelly, DelGrosso	
SAVES-Strupe-4 Saves	
Shots-28	

April 22, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-3	Colgate-0
GOALS-Lewis-2, Officer-2, Methven	
ASSISTS-Rochford, Lewis	
SAVES-Strupe-5 Saves	
Shots-26	

April 22, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-3	Colgate-0
GOALS-Lewis-2, Officer-2, Methven	
ASSISTS-Rochford, Lewis	
SAVES-Strupe-5 Saves	
Shots-26	

April 22, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-3	Colgate-0
GOALS-Lewis-2, Officer-2, Methven	
ASSISTS-Rochford, Lewis	
SAVES-Strupe-5 Saves	
Shots-26	

MEN'S TENNIS 10-7

April 18, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-4	Villanova-3
McGuire def V, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3	
V def Newman, 6-1, 6-4	
Plumb def V, 6-3, 6-4	
McAlister def V, 6-3, 6-4	
V def Bilanin, 6-3, 6-3	
V def McLean, 6-2, 6-0	
182 def V, 9-7	
V def 38Scarborough, 8-3	
486 def V, 9-7	

April 19, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-7	St. Francis-0
McGuire def F, 0-1	
Newman def F, 0-1	
Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
McLean def F, 1-0	
Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
182 def F, 8-2	
38Scarborough def F, 8-4	
485 def F, 8-1	

April 22, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-7	St. Francis-0
McGuire def F, 0-1	
Newman def F, 0-1	
Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
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Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
182 def F, 8-2	
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Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
McLean def F, 1-0	
Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
182 def F, 8-2	
38Scarborough def F, 8-4	
485 def F, 8-1	

WOMEN'S LACROSSE 5-9-3-2

April 18, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-5	Colgate-11
GOALS-Kangas-5, Freeman-2, Barrows	
ASSISTS-Owens-2, Hagan	
SAVES-Toolms-9 Saves	
Shots-34	

April 22, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-5	Colgate-11
GOALS-Kangas-5, Freeman-2, Barrows	
ASSISTS-Owens-2, Hagan	
SAVES-Toolms-9 Saves	
Shots-34	

April 22, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-5	Colgate-11
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ASSISTS-Owens-2, Hagan	
SAVES-Toolms-9 Saves	
Shots-34	

April 22, 1995 (away)

Bucknell-5	Colgate-11
GOALS-Kangas-5, Freeman-2, Barrows	
ASSISTS-Owens-2, Hagan	
SAVES-Toolms-9 Saves	
Shots-34	

WOMEN'S TRACK & FIELD

April 22, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-7	St. Francis-0
McGuire def F, 0-1	
Newman def F, 0-1	
Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
McLean def F, 1-0	
Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
182 def F, 8-2	
38Scarborough def F, 8-4	
485 def F, 8-1	

April 19, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-7	St. Francis-0
McGuire def F, 0-1	
Newman def F, 0-1	
Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
McLean def F, 1-0	
Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
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38Scarborough def F, 8-4	
485 def F, 8-1	

April 22, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-7	St. Francis-0
McGuire def F, 0-1	
Newman def F, 0-1	
Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
McLean def F, 1-0	
Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
182 def F, 8-2	
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485 def F, 8-1	

April 22, 1995 (home)

Bucknell-7	St. Francis-0
McGuire def F, 0-1	
Newman def F, 0-1	
Plumb def F, 0-3	
McAlister def F, 1-1	
McLean def F, 1-0	
Hoffman def F, 0-0	
Double	
182 def F, 8-2	
38Scarborough def F, 8-4	
485 def F, 8-1	

MEN'S GOLF 2-1

April 19, 1995

Bucknell-389 1st	VS. Mt. St. Mary's-Susquehanna
1.Graf 38-37.75	
2.Martin 36-40.76	
3.Shortz 39-37.76	
4.Gregory 39-42.81	
4.McGinly 42-39.81	

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SPORTS

Commentary

Baseball still the same eight months later

When the Florida Marlins and Los Angeles Dodgers took the field Tuesday night and started the 1995 Major League Baseball season it was the first time in eight months major leaguers had seen action. After the six month strike, the players were finally back in action.

What has changed since their strike in mid-August last season? Other than a late start and some replacement umpires (real important), the game is still the same.

The biggest gripe about this season is that the fans are very irritated about the "greediness" of the players. Many fans have decided to boycott the games to gain "revenge" on the players for ditching out early in one of the most exciting seasons in the past decade. Fine! Let them make their statement.

Why do fans go to the games in the first place? Baseball fans don't go to games to ponder how much money each athlete is making out on the field.

It's the smell of freshly cut grass (for the fortunate stadiums), the sound of the wooden bats and the leather gloves. It's to watch guys like Frank Thomas and Matt Williams crank balls to dead center. It's to watch Greg Maddux toss a 100 mile per hour speed ball. It's to remember the first game you went to when you were young.

Millions of dollars and a six month strike later and what are we left with? The same thing.

Another protest that people have about baseball is that the players aren't worth their million dollar salaries. Why are people so concerned about the salaries of baseball players? Sure the price of a baseball game has risen dramatically, but the fans are still paying the money to see the players.

Baseball players are entertainers. They get paid millions, because millions of people want to see them display their phenomenal talent.

I don't hear anyone complaining about how much Tom Hanks and Julia Roberts make, and lets face it, movies tickets aren't necessarily cheap. (I'll pay the same for a "peanut heaven" seat at Three Rivers, thank you) Baseball players have great jobs.

They play a game they love for the spring, summer and fall and then they get the winters off. Who wouldn't want to play baseball for a living? (a very GOOD living I might add) It sure beats sitting in an office for 8 hours a day and raking in an average salary. Athletes get paid an extraordinary amount of money because obviously, the entertainment they provide is worth it.

So the pessimists will continue to whine and complain about the commercialism and greediness of the game of baseball (like I said, "what has changed since last season?").

However, it will not stop the real fans who continue to attend the game they love.

Jeffrey W. Clark

Jeffrey Clark, Guest Columnist

Men's lightweight eight captures Murphy Cup

Squad hopes to qualify for nationals after winning in race plagued by thunderstorms

BY BRIAN BURKE

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The Bucknell crew traveled to Philadelphia last Saturday to compete in the Murphy Cup Regatta for the first time. The Murphy Cup, sponsored by Temple University, has been run annually since 1988. In the past, the majority of the participating crews have come from Philadelphia and the surrounding area, but this year, Bucknell made an effort to edge in on the competition.

The racing conditions on the Schuylkill were far from ideal. Despite a mostly sunny sky, a fierce headwind that only became worse as the day went on wreaked havoc on squads all day.

The lightweight women's eight capitalized on decent early morning conditions, racing to a convincing victory in a meeting apart from the Murphy Cup. Villanova and Delaware were left staring at the wake of the women from Bucknell, who took the lead right from the start and didn't look back for the remainder of the 2000 meter course. However, later in the day the light women were

defeated in the JV open women's event by squads whose extra weight helped keep them together in the strong wind.

Both the varsity and novice heavyweight men's crews had trouble handling the traditionally strong crews from the Philadelphia area. The novice men placed fourth in their heat, just seconds short of qualifying for their final later that day. The varsity men were defeated soundly by Temple, known nationwide as one of the fastest squads in the country.

In the most exciting event of the day, the lightweight men's eight continued their winning ways, defeating crews from Ithaca, Villanova, Drexel, URI, and LaSalle.

Just seconds off the starting line, an ominous sky unleashed a thunderstorm that caused all crews not in the race to head for shore. As the storm began to worsen, so did the situation for the other crews.

As if it had been planned, the Bucknell light men made move after move together with the thunder, capitalizing on a fast first 500 meters. By the 750 meter mark, the Bucknell lights had moved into the lead; the earliest they had

gained this position in any race this year. They used the next 500 meters to extend their lead, which was challenged by Ithaca in the third 500. Bucknell responded in the last 500, regaining composure and sprinting to a convincing win. This marked the third victory for the Bucknell lightweight men

in as many lightweight events, thus making a strong case to receive an "at large" seed for the Champion International Collegiate Regatta. The CICR is considered the national championships for schools that do not grant financial aid to rowers.

At this point in the season, the

top three seeds appear to be Holy Cross, Boston College, and Bucknell, all of which remain undefeated in the lightweight category. However, at least one of these school's untarnished records will fall this weekend as Holy Cross and Bucknell go head-to-head in the Patriot League Championships at Colgate.



photo courtesy of Brian Burke

The men's lightweight eight accept its trophy after its victory at the Murphy Cup Regatta. From left: Brian Burke '97, Marc Ortland '95, Paul Ham '96, Nick Cindrich '97, Amy Minifle '96, Matt Kersting '95, Michael Marquis '96, Brad Peterson '96 and Victor Arcelus '96.

Polo rematches with Slippery Rock at Eastern Championships

BY CARL WEISFELDER

Bucknellian Team Correspondent

The women's water polo team went 2-1 over the past weekend, improved its record to 11-5 overall and qualified for the Eastern Championships with a third place finish at the Southern Conference Championships.

Bucknell began by cruising to 15-7 victory over Penn State. The Bison scored the first nine goals of the game behind four goals each from Sharon Gashlin '97 and Allyson Gillespie '96.

In the semifinal game, the Bison played top seed Slippery Rock, and fell expectedly, 22-8. The loss to Slippery Rock, dropped the team into the third place game against Princeton. Kim Tierney '97 provided much of the offense for the Bison four goals.

The Tigers beat Bucknell two weeks ago, but the outcome of this game would be different. Bucknell shut down Princeton offensively and won 12-5. Like the Penn State game, the Bison jumped out to an early lead and never looked back. Bucknell led 4-0 after the first period. Tierney again put in four goals.

The squad plays this weekend in the Eastern Championship at Brown University to try to qualify for nationals. Bucknell is seeded well and has a good chance of qualifying for nationals. Bucknell plays Harvard, Slippery Rock and Wesleyan in the first round and must win two of these games to move to the next round.

Bison Calendar

March 27- April 3

Baseball

Sat. 29	VS. LAFAYETTE	12 noon
Sun. 30	VS. LAFAYETTE	12 noon
Wed. 3	at Cornell	1 p.m.

Men's Lacrosse

Sat. 29	VS. LAFAYETTE	1 p.m.
Tue. 2	at Penn	7 p.m.

Track and Field

Thur. 27	at Penn Relays
Sat 29	at Millersville Metric Invitational

Men's Tennis

Sat. 29	Patriot League Tournament at Navy
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Crew

Sat. 29	at League Rowing Championship, Cazenovia Lake, NY
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Softball

Sun. 30	at Holy Cross
Tue. 2	at Drexel 3:30 p.m.

Lady Bison position themselves for Patriot league tournament

Bucknell sweeps double-header over Colgate with Love shutout

BY JEAN TANIMOTO

Bucknellian Staff Writer

The women's softball team stuck it out, braving the rain and 40 degree weather, to chalk up a double-header victory at Colgate over the weekend. The Lady Bison won the first game, 3-0, and then picked up the second one, 3-2.

In the first game Bucknell handily defeated Colgate, in a quick seven innings. Allison Love '95 pitched her 10th career shutout, tying the Patriot League Conference record. Love served up eight strike outs in the win.

Scoring for the Bison were Jenn Gombos '97, Casey Hollister '96, and Jen Jasionowski '97 each with one run. All of Bucknell's runs came in the third inning. In the second game of the afternoon the elements worked against the Bison taking the game into nine innings. With the slick conditions pitcher Heidi Dawson '95 served up a couple of wild pitches, allowing Colgate to get their two runs of the day. Gombos, Jasionowski and Kristen Sandel '98 scored Bucknell's three runs. Colleen Bannister '96 drove in the winning run. Sophomore Abby Lighthouse

'97 commented on the second game saying, "the team really came together to get the job done. It was freezing out and we wanted to wrap it up."

"The conditions were not conducive to softball. It wouldn't have been as close if not for the weather," said coach Terrie Grieb.

"We left too many players on base, which has been the case all season, but we didn't have any errors. When we win we have no errors, when we lose that's what makes all the difference."

—Terrie Grieb, head softball coach

"They'll probably be ready for us," said coach Grieb.

Over the weekend, Bucknell matches up with Holy Cross who is a half game ahead of the Bison. Those games will essentially decide who gets the second and third seeds in the upcoming league tournament. With the season wrapping up, and the Patriot League Tournament just around the corner on May 5-7, what's the outlook for the Bison?

"We have a legitimate chance to win the conference. Lehigh is leading, but they're not winning by as much. There's no one that we can't win against," Grieb said.

The Bison lost a key double-header to Lehigh two weeks ago, giving up six runs in each of the final innings.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who was the last National League triple-crown winner?
2. What was the score of the first Orange Bowl?
3. Who led the Texas Rangers in batting average last season?
4. Do you remember who won the 1980 World Series?
5. What other college team other than Colgate is named the Red Radiers?

Answers:

1. Joe Medwick 1937-St. Louis
2. Bucknell 26, Miami 0
3. Will Clark
4. Philadelphia Phillies
5. Texas Tech

Weekend Weather

Thursday night—Chance of rain. Low in the mid 40s. Light southwinds.
 Friday—Mostly cloudy with rain likely during the morning. High 55 to 60.
 Saturday—Fair skies. Lows near 40. Highs near 65.
 Sunday—Fair skies with lows in the mid-40s. High near 60.
 —Weather courtesy of WGRC FM radio

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Earth Day '95



Students celebrate Earth Day with bongos and bands on the Rooke Chapel lawn



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Left: Jacqueline Vadjunec '96 joins in the bongo celebration on the Rooke Chapel lawn outside of Freas Hall. Arthur Hull of Global Rhythm Tour, a community drum circle experience, handed out bongos to anyone who wished.

Below: Man's best friend can be the earth's best friend, too. Students and animals alike relaxed on Rooke Chapel lawn with the sounds of the Boogie Man Smash band. Despite the previous rumor that bongo drums would replace a traditional band, Boogie Man Smash did play to the earthy crowd of students on Saturday.



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

Execution opens death sentence debate

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

People are divided over the death penalty. Some argue that it's cruel and unusual punishment, others say it's adequate retribution for a heinous crime.

James Pusey, associate professor of Japanese and East Asian Studies, attended a vigil at the Rockville Penitentiary in Bellefonte, Pa., Tuesday night to protest the execution that night of Keith Zettlemoyer, the first person in Pennsylvania to be executed under the death penalty in 33 years.

Pusey is completely opposed to capital punishment, no matter what the crime. "It is barbaric to kill," he said.

Saying he thought the Supreme Court had put this "long historical

practice behind us," he added, "There is no excuse at all to kill in order to try to stop killing."

But Jeni Watkins '98 thinks the punishment should fit the crime. "The only way murder is excusable is if it's in self-defense," she said.

Marleise Beach '95 says that applying the death penalty depends on the person convicted of murder. "If it's a serial killer and there is no doubt that person did it, then I say ok."

But she adds that if the person in question has killed only one person, she's less willing to say he or she should die. "Historically there has been people on death row who haven't even done the thing they've been convicted of doing."

Zettlemoyer, a Selinsgrove man, was convicted in 1981 of murder-

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Variety is the spice of life for dance concert

BY KATIE DEBONVILLE
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

Eclectic.

That's how Danna Frangione, associate professor of dance, described the Bucknell Dance Company's spring concert, which is quite possibly the only word that applies to every aspect of tomorrow and Saturday nights' performances. Where else can one find footwear that ranges from pointe shoes to combat boots, music that includes both Latin and Transylvanian traditions, and dance moves that stem from a variety of ethnic backgrounds?

Frangione's excitement about this season's concert is evident in the enthusiasm of her voice and the animation with which she speaks. "This year we've had an extremely physical, high-energy group," she said, adding that the works of three students in the company will be featured in this weekend's performances.

"Swept Up in the Moment" by Kristin Dite '97 opens the company's performance. Dite's choreography debut fits the company that "loves to leap" to a T, according to Frangione. "This piece is a lovely, energetic opening for the show," she said.

Strong connections with former Bucknell dancers are an important part of being a dancer

at Bucknell. For the past two years it has been a tradition for company alumni to return to the Weis Center stage for a reunion piece of an improvisatory nature. These were directed by former assistant professor of dance Shellie Cash-Muller. Although Cash-Muller left Bucknell last year to pursue other teaching options in Cincinnati, she will return to campus this weekend to direct and dance in "Reunited III."

"There's an incredible feeling of camaraderie among the alumni," Frangione said. She added that "Reunited III" will be a good welcome for assistant professor of dance Er-Dong Hu to the company's unique alumni situation. Hu's position on the dance faculty was recently made a tenure track position, a fact about which Frangione is thrilled. "It's great to have a male faculty member who can really dance!" she said.

The pace of the program will change a bit with Hu's "Blues," a piece that features a quartet of company members dancing to early jazz music on pointe. One of the dancers in this piece, which Frangione calls "sexy yet quite technical," is Tracey Blythe '96, who was recently accepted into the Alvin Ailey Dance Company's summer program in New York City.

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Photo by Deb Cook

Amy Merjeski '97 gets swept away in Kristin Dite's '97 work "Swept Up in the Moment." The Dance Company's spring concert will be at 8 p.m. tonight, Friday and Saturday in the Weis Center. Admission is \$4, or \$3 for senior citizens.

Ed. department explains student-teacher cap

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The decision to cap student teaching for the fall semester is due to a limited education department staff, said William Hauck, chair and professor of education.

The department does not have a large enough staff to supervise what Hauck calls the "unexpected" number of 40-50 students who wanted to take elementary student teaching next fall—usually about 20 students apply each semester. So Hauck decided to limit the number to 20.

Calling it a stop and not a cap, Hauck said he postponed announcing the decision to education majors because the department "needed time to make sure everyone who wanted to could take student teaching. Those who must teach during the fall semester can. Others probably will do it second semester," he said. Also, the department wanted to make sure students' supervision would be "of good quality," Hauck said. Hauck chose the 20 students by identifying those who "absolutely had to" take student teaching first semester in order to graduate. "First semester was filled with those students and a few others," he said.

Beth Cooper '96, who had replied by mail to the education department "a long time ago" that she wanted to student teach during fall semester didn't make the fall list. Although she has accepted the news, she says it doesn't mean she wasn't angry that she couldn't teach during the fall. "The surprise set us all back," she said.

Cooper thinks "news like this should be introduced to people

"We can't just go out and grab any old adjunct"

—William Hauck, chair and professor of education

gradually. I don't think anyone likes to be shocked."

She suggests that professors tell students as early as possible that they may be unable to teach during their preferred semester. Had she expected to teach in the spring, she would have looked into taking alternative courses earlier.

The education department hopes to hire a new instructor who will start next fall. This will put the number of student teacher supervisors at three—Hauck, Kevin Zook, assistant professor of educa-

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The search is on...

Adams looks to fill vice presidencies

BY NICOLE COBBAN
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The University Council will meet today to begin the first step in the search for a new vice president for academic affairs. At the request of President William D. Adams, the council will begin by generating a ballot for the election of faculty to a Search and Screening committee.

According to a memo sent to all faculty members by Adams, the final ballot of candidates will be distributed to voting faculty "on

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Hunt for Center director close

BY KRISTINA M. SCHURR
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

The search for a new director for the Multicultural Center is in its final stages. The over-120-person applicant pool is now down to three candidates.

Two candidates have already visited campus. The third will visit campus Friday.

Gale Duque, writing tutor, and Linden Lewis, assistant professor of sociology, co-chair the search committee. They say the committee hopes to make a final decision

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Library reverses decision to close early during House Party weekend

BY COLLEEN RUSH
 Bucknellian Staff Writer

In a last minute decision, the University announced that the library will remain open during normal hours this weekend, in spite of House Party festivities. Until this morning, the library was scheduled to close at 5 p.m. on Friday and Saturday to avoid security problems during the weekend.

The change was discussed in an Academic Council meeting to-

day, and the decision to close the library early was reversed, according to Nancy Dagle, associate director of the library. The library will be open until 10 p.m. on Friday and Saturday.

Dagle said that the "extensive amount of vandalism" during House Party two years ago prompted the decision to close the library early last spring. "Public Safety was not able to cover the whole campus during House Par-

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Student mugged on Seventh St.

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

A student walking down Seventh Street was the victim of a "strong-armed robbery" according to a Public Safety report. The assault, which occurred Friday evening, took place near the intersection of Seventh and St. Louis Street.

The victim reported that he was walking down the street at approximately 9:55 p.m. when a maroon-colored vehicle stopped near him. One occupant of the vehicle, described as a "black male," asked him for

his wallet. The student complied and was pushed on the back of the head by the male, who reentered the car and fled the scene. The student, describing three other occupants in the car, said there were two black males with a white male driving, according to the report.

The wallet, which contained \$1 in cash, a Mastercard, a MAC card, the student's driver's license and a BUID, has reportedly been found in Williamsport.

Lewisburg Police are continuing the investigation.

The Bucknellian announces new fall editorial staff

The Bucknellian has selected its new editorial staff for the Fall 1995 semester.

Jeff Boulter '96 will return as editor-in-chief after taking a semester-long break from his former position as managing editor. Boulter has been instrumental in setting up *The Bucknellian* on the World Wide Web, and has also served as news editor.

Neil Bardach '96 will head the news section after a year abroad with Bucknell en France.

Sharon Sauder '96, Sarah Catlin '98, Carey Wiant '96 and Jeremy Flick '98 will take over the Lifelines section.

Stephanie Bierly '97 will advance from assistant business manager to business manager, and Advertising representatives Amy Earle '97 and Megan Villani '97 will stay with their current positions. Tracy Webster '97, advertising layout, will remain in place to round out the advertising staff.

Carolyn Christenson '98 and Eric Shortz '98 will remain as Opinions editor and Sports editor respectively. Photography editor Susan Naughton '96 and darkroom managers Dave Maher '96 and Amy McGee '98 will also return.

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tion, and the new hire, Judith Schaut, associate professor of education, who ordinarily supervises student teachers, will be on leave next semester. One staff member supervises about six students.

Hiring more adjunct professors who may also supervise student teachers is problematic, says Hauck.

The department plans to hire at least one adjunct professor, but would have had no way to hire enough adjuncts to supervise the total number of students who wanted to teach fall semester, Hauck said. Since student teaching is now classified as both a W2 course and a capstone course, the department must hire adjuncts who have similar philosophies of teaching to those of the education department.

"We can't just go out and grab any old adjunct," Hauck said. "We don't have time to teach people with different ideas about teaching what a capstone and what a W2 is."

In an interview, Hauck said that he had drafted a memo to all students who had applied for student teaching, explaining the above information to them. At the time of publication, students had not received the memo.

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ty last year, so we closed early," Dagle said.

No one complained about the early closure last year, said Dagle, so the decision went unquestioned until this week. "We got the backing we needed this year to support staying open," Dagle said. "We received complaints from students, faculty and administrators, and we were able to get the additional security we needed."

Dagle said the library sent e-mail to all students in order to inform them of the updated changes.

John Murphy, professor of English, said he was pleased that the decision was reversed so quickly. Closing the library at a university early is not appropriate in principle, said Murphy. "The faculty would have been willing to stand in as security if it reached that point," Murphy said.

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There's a song, how's it go? "If you can't be with the one you love, love the one you're with." Working for *The Bucknellian* gives that phrase new meaning. Surrounded by your co-editors at 4 a.m., so jacked on coffee your pupils are permanently dilated, Barry Manilow seems like an acceptable fashion role model. What else could you ask for out of love?

Student enters wrong room

BY ANDY SANTILLO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Frederick D. Tobin '98 was issued a citation for underage drinking and disorderly conduct for an incident that occurred early last Friday morning in one of the freshman dorms.

At approximately 5:30 a.m. on Friday, Public Safety responded to a report that an intoxicated male entered a room in Vedder Hall and was yelling profanities at the two female occupants of the room.

Tobin reportedly left the room and pounded on other doors, once again shouting profanities.

Upon arrival, Public Safety found the suspect on the ground floor near the "vault" room at the east wing of Vedder. When asked what he was doing, the suspect replied that he was "stuck." After being escorted to his room, Tobin reportedly became verbally abusive and resisted the officers' attempts at assistance.

In a phone interview, Tobin apologized for the incident, saying, "I am very ashamed and sorry for the whole thing. I would like to publicly apologize to all who were involved, especially the two girls in the room that I entered. I feel even worse because I have no memory of the whole situation."

"It is an unfortunate situation where I got out of hand and really lost control," said Tobin. "This is just another unfortunate example of how alcohol can change one's personality."

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ing Charles DeVetsco of Sunbury in 1980 after DeVetsco agreed to testify against Zettlemoyer. Zettlemoyer faced trial for allegedly robbing the Radio Shack in the Susquehanna Valley Mall where he worked as a security guard.

Zettlemoyer received his orders for execution under the new governor, Thomas P. Ridge, who ran for office on a platform that included reinstating capital punishment.

Of the approximately 150 people who protested the execution Tuesday, 21 people from Bucknell and Lewisburg attended. Other groups attending the vigil were members of the Pennsylvania Coalition to Abolish the Death Penalty, Families of Murder Victims Against the Death Penalty, and Pax Christi, a Catholic peace and justice group that rejects capital punishment as a way to address the increasing violence in American society.

Forming a circle in a grassy field across from the prison, the protesters held lit candles, prayed, and chanted "Shame, Shame" after prison officials executed Zettlemoyer.

John Applegate '97, who also attended the vigil, says that although he doesn't have a solution for stopping crime, he feels our society needs to move toward criminal reform, or helping criminals to rehabilitate themselves rather than "accumulating in jail cells," Applegate said.

People who argue against capital punishment say that it isn't a crime-deterrent—states who currently employ capital punishment do not have lower homicide rates, says Alison Boden, University chaplain.

And the appeals process, which can continue for years, can be more costly to taxpayers than life-plus sentences. In Zettlemoyer's case, the U.S. Supreme Court refused to issue a stay on his sentence Tuesday night—14 and one-half years after his original sentencing. The Pennsylvania Supreme Court followed suit at 9:45 p.m.

Yet Jill Raleigh '95 thinks the death penalty is a step in the right direction toward combating crime. "If the death penalty was put into effect more often, we as a society wouldn't think we could get away with crime."

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PUBLIC SAFETY LOG

Thursday, April 27
Public Safety received a call from an employee advising that the rear door of Dana had holes in the window. Public Safety officers responded and found that unknown person(s) had apparently fired a BB gun at five windows in the door. Work order filed to repair damage.

Friday, April 28
A Public Safety officer responded to Larison Hall for a fire alarm activation and found that unknown person(s) activated a pull station on the second floor for no apparent reason. After resetting the alarm, the officer was informed of a possible suspect. The suspect could not be located but the investigation will continue.

Public Safety received a call from students in Vedder advising that an intoxicated male had entered their room and was yelling obscenities. A Public Safety officer responded and located the suspect. When the accused was escorted to his room in Vedder, he became verbally abusive and was uncooperative with Public Safety. Lewisburg Police were requested to respond and citations were issued to Bucknell student Frederick Tobin '98 for underage drinking and disorderly conduct.

Public Safety received a call from Scott Kachmarik advising that someone had painted a message on the exterior of Roser Hall. A Public Safety officer responded and found that unknown person(s) had painted a message on the rear wall of Roser. Physical Plant was contacted to remove the message. An investigation is continuing.

While on routine patrol of the fieldhouse during a concert, a Public Safety officer discovered a Bucknell student who had passed out on the floor. The student had been drinking and was visibly intoxicated and under the age of 21. The student was checked by EMTs who were stationed at the concert, and released to his RA.

Saturday, April 29
Emma Pack '95, a Bucknell student, received citation from Lewisburg Police for possessing an open container of alcohol.

A male student who appeared to be intoxicated was assisted to his room by Public Safety. He was determined to be under the age of 21 years and admitted to consuming beer at two different locations.

A female student was found by Public Safety in front of the 7th Street House in possession of an open container of beer. She was determined to be under the age of 21.

Sunday, April 30
A student returned to his Mod and discovered that unknown person(s) had damaged the door frame and lock plate on his bedroom door. Nothing appeared to be missing from the room.

Public Safety responded to Dana Engineering to report damage to a computer. Computer Services will be requested to assess damages.

A student was observed removing beer from a case of beer which was located in a vehicle in Smith parking lot. The student was under the age of 21.

Monday, May 1
A student reported to Public Safety that his CD player and one CD inside the player were taken from a desk in the Biology building.

Public Safety received a report from a credit card holder that two credit cards, a BUID, and cash was stolen from Swartz Hall on Friday 4/28/95. The appropriate companies have been notified.

Courtesy of the Department of Public Safety

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The Bucknellian People of the Year



BY NICOLE COBBAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

While a graduate student, Reverend Alison Boden traveled to Nicaragua to experience first hand the issues facing a developing country. The trip, she says, was an "eye opener." Since then, she has "always wanted to give undergrad students the chance to have that kind of experience."

Two years ago Boden took more than a dozen students to Guatemala, and this past January she organized a trip to Cuba. The purpose behind traveling to these countries was not to visit the tourist traps, but rather to expose students to "the way two-thirds of the world live" and to let them ask the questions that will make them better "global citizens" said Boden.

AMY MCGEE—The Bucknellian

Since she arrived at Bucknell over two years ago, Boden's presence on campus has always reached beyond the chapel. As an active member in many University organizations, Boden admits, "I've got my irons in a lot of fires."

Boden says her job on campus is "two-fold." One part deals with acting as a "resource person" for the Protestant community, the other with being an active member of campus life.

Boden also serves as advisor for

Alison Boden—making students 'global citizens'

an inter-religious fellowship called Horizons, several community service theme halls, the Habitat for Humanity chapter at Bucknell, and the female *capella* group the Silhouettes. She sits on numerous committees, including the Women's Resource Center advisory board and the advisory board to the Gay, Lesbian & Bisexual advisory, and the planning committees for the President Adams' inauguration and Bucknell's sesquicentennial.

Her involvement on campus suits Boden well. After becoming ordained, Boden says she realized her calling was not to serve in a local parish, but on the collegiate level.

"I love the academic environment and I love the time of life that this is for students—to grab on to new ideas for their thoughts, to just expand—and I think there is no greater or more fun task than to be involved in that," Boden says. "And so all of these projects and groups that I get involved with are me trying to be a part of that widening of understanding for other people."

As a religious figure on campus, Boden stresses an open-door policy to all denominations. In the past three years Boden has rallied successfully to bring weekly Zen meditations onto campus, and has added a part-time advisor to Hillel, the Jewish organization on campus. Diversifying the religious community, Boden says, is just as important as ethnic diversity.

For the past two years, Boden has also been teaching in the Social Justice Residential College. As a teacher, Boden covers many of the same issues she tries to tackle as a chaplain. "I think that social justice issues are, and they always have been, issues that concern people from every faith tradition," Boden says.

The decision to visit third-world countries in Central Ameri-

ca follows the path of Boden's children die everyday in the world from hunger-related causes in a world that produces more than enough food for everybody to eat. But it's not distributed equally. Some people are prevented from having access to it. That's a faith concern for me.

"I'm not concerned about who my neighbor falls in love with and I'm not concerned in their taste for public television versus the

"...all of these projects and groups that I get involved with are me trying to be a part of that widening of understanding for other people."

tion of resources around the world, I wanted them to ask themselves what that meant for them as privileged people in the United States."

The group that visited Cuba, most of them students, spent their time interviewing natives to learn directly about the political, economic, and social issues facing the country.

"We had two, three, sometimes four interviews a day with people," Boden said. "They were ministers or priests, or they were economists, or they were people in a house that we approached and asked if they had some moments to talk to us, and they always did."

Finding the reality of the situation has become Boden's trademark. Although a strong advocate of religion, she labels some of the issues that churches consume themselves with as "brush fires" and instead focuses on the deeper questions.

"We can worry about whether or not a particular artist is an artist or a pornographer," Boden says. "I don't care about that as much! I care about the fact that 40,000

networks. I'm concerned about what it means to be a Christian in a world where 40,000 sets of parents today will have their hearts broken because their child dies. And they've watched this over months, but they're powerless to do anything about it."

"That's where I ask myself, what am I going to do? And I want students to ask themselves those same questions. I want students to interrogate themselves on a spiritual level all the time."

"It's not just international issues, but national ones too. One in five American children faces hunger. What are we going to do about that? Those are the places where I wish religious institutions of eerie background would become involved and take concern."

"People are worried about homosexuals. They're worried about family values. I'm worried about one in six American families is violent. I'm not worried about who loves who. I'm worried about who is violent to who. I think we waste a lot of energy when we worry about people's taste in art, and

"I thought, well maybe I don't have to be some incredible kind of human being," Boden says. "Maybe God just needs human beings."

It's that focus on the human aspect of living in the world today that has colored so much of Boden's work. In whatever project she's involved in, or whatever trip, her philosophy seems to be, as it was while she was in Central America, "to wear the moccasins of another person."

"I don't think that's possible, but we learn so much in just trying," Boden says.

Kevin Clark—student, advocate, survivor and poet

BY COLLEEN RUSH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

"It's all about freedom," said Kevin Clark GR.

Explaining his affinity for involving himself in social justice issues, multicultural affairs and literary activities, Clark offered protecting freedom as the inspiration behind his motivation.

He shifts on the couch where his organizer lays within close reach, beginning the story of how he came to Bucknell—a matter of chance and convenience, he claims—and why he has devoted his precious little free time to arranging poetry readings, hosting the Prisoner Request show at WVBU, interning as a graduate assistant at the Multicultural Center and much more.

Far from the typical Bucknellian, Clark graduated from Slippery Rock in 1977 with a major in communications. The Pittsburgh native floated around for 10 years before settling down in central Pennsylvania. After taking a part-time job in the area, Clark began auditing classes and, with a little encouragement from his professors, Clark enrolled as a part-time graduate student.

A sense of survival, Clark says, is what compels him to juggle the many tasks of being a student, an activist, a writer, a role model and, with the help of poet-in-residence Bruce Smith, a budding poet.

"I've been very fortunate," says Clark, a graduate student in English. "I've had several career directions, starts and restarts, and misfirings. Times weren't so good at times. I feel like a survivor sometimes, and survival counts."

Clark's survival story is what draws and connects him to the people he works with on a day-to-day basis. People who are struggling with their freedoms, their identity or their differences are kindred spirits because of his own struggles, Clark said, and he feels compelled to give back what he

has learned as a survivor. "I think I've become more confident in my ability to survive, adjust and adapt," Clark said. "I think I've gone through a lot of changes here at Bucknell—all healthy. I guess what I've learned is that I'm not done learning yet. I don't think I ever will be."

As the graduate intern at the Multicultural Center, Clark humbly admits that his job requires structures to link the past and the present.

"You can take a place that has some significance to its history and translate that into a current experience," Clark said. He was also involved in organizing the Halloween poetry reading at Woodward Cave last semester that drew about 40 people from Lewisburg and Bucknell.

He outlined a list of ideas-in-

"I think I'd just like to live simply and simply write."

doing "whatever I'm asked to do." Though Alem Asres, the former director of the Center, left last semester, it appears that the day-to-day operation of the Center and its many responsibilities remain untroubled by the change. Refusing any credit for assisting in smoothing out the rough edges during a transitional period for the Center, Clark attributes the continuity to Cindy Fawcett, secretary at the Center, to the students who are initiating changes on their own and suggesting new ideas, and to "the course of events that was chartered by Alem" during his time on campus.

Claiming that he was merely helping to maintain the standard level of service previously set at the center, Clark said it was just a matter of repeating the schedule of events from last year. But a quick mention of the slave narrative reading at the historic Underground Railroad in the McClure family home, and a sheepish look passes over his face.

"Well, I guess that's one thing I can lay claim to," Clark says. "But that's only one example. I don't want to draw all this attention to myself."

Clark says the inspiration to do the reading at McClure's stems from his idea of using historic

progress, including a reading on the Millers Ferry, the oldest operating ferry system in America, to celebrate the Susquehanna River and a benefit literary event for prisoners' rights and prison reform at the Old Jail Center in Williamsport are two working ideas that he is investigating. "I'll run these ideas up the flagpole and see if anyone salutes," Clark said.

His reputation as a man committed to making a difference and easing the struggle for tolerance and freedom extends beyond campus and through the thick, guarded walls of the Lewisburg Penitentiary. Clark receives a stack of mail each week for his radio show from prisoners requesting a favorite song, or thanking him for the effort to reach prisoners.

"For the little bit we do, like playing a record, there is a tremendous human and warm response. We're reaching out to those who have lost their freedom, but I wish we could do more," Clark said. "I know they've been convicted of crimes and that they've made mistakes, but they're still here and they're part of our community."

Clark seems particularly proud of his effort to reach out to prisoners, quickly sharing a story about a prisoner who waited seven weeks

to speak to him personally.

"He arranged seven weeks in advance to make this phone call and he had to bill it through a relative somewhere in Milwaukee. All that, just for two minutes on the phone to let me know that he was being transferred, and to say thanks for playing the requests," Clark said.

Clark also works with Metamorphosis Performing Company, a professional theatre group in Lewisburg. Using performance art as a way to educate college and other audiences about tolerance, the company travels in a five-state radius to bring social justice issues like racism, sexism and homophobia to light. Clark said that working as a moderator with the group helped him to build sensitivities in the area of culture, race and sexual orientation. It also paved the way for his current position as Resident Director for the Special Interest houses on campus.

To satisfy his appetite for poetry, the newborn poet organizes the monthly poetry reading at Cafe Latté.

"Every third Wednesday of the month," he says, succumbing to the temptation to plug at least one of his involvements.

And as if he had time to spare, Clark teaches a course in radio and television announcing at the Pennsylvania College of Technology in Williamsport. Though he took a sabbatical this semester, Clark taught classes the last three years and hopes to continue in the fall.

Age is the one subject Clark admittedly prefers to avoid, though he says he's come to terms with it over the last year. He considers himself a non-traditional student, but said "I can blend in, too."

"I don't think I can hang with the best of them anymore. There are certain limitations," Clark mused. "But I think I can, at least in the classroom, relate to students on the same level."



Colleen Rush—The Bucknellian

And then, "I think I'd just like to live simply and simply write." Clark considers himself a "short-storyist" and creative writer. He plans to write nine or ten short stories for a creative thesis, the culmination of two-and-a-half years of graduate work.

Forgiving the unintentional offense of asking what the epitaph on his gravestone will read, Clark admits he's actually given it some thought. He replies, quoting a Grateful Dead song, "What a long strange trip it's been." No. Wait. It'll be "So". Yea. Peter Gabriel. That's it."

Debate team ends season with high ranks at Johns Hopkins

BY PAULA ZIMMERMAN
Debate Team Correspondent

Representing Bucknell at the 1995 National American Parliamentary Debate Championships, hosted by Johns Hopkins University, Steve Murray '95 and Greg Sawin '95 placed in every category of competition.

In their six rounds of debate, Murray and Sawin acquired a 4-2 record, defeating opponents from Mount Holyoke College, Amherst College, Princeton University, and Wesleyan University, falling to Fordham University and Bates College. Bucknell's performance placed them twelfth out of 72 teams competing at the national championships, the highest a Bucknell team has finished in the last four years.

Murray finished third out of 144 competitors for individual speaker, edged out of first place by Doug Kern of Princeton and Arlo Devin-Brown of Columbia. President of the Bucknell team, Murray ended the year ranked tenth nationally, as compiled by the results of parliamentary debate tournaments throughout the year, not including the national championships. This marked the first time in the eight year history of the Bucknell Debate Team that one of its members has placed nationally among the top twenty individual speakers for the year's performance.

In impromptu speaking, which requires competitors to present both humorous and serious speeches, Murray placed sec-

ond and Sawin fifth out of approximately forty competitors. Both appeared in the final round of five competitors, which featured two competitors from Princeton, one from University of Connecticut, and two from Bucknell.

Murray also placed fourth in impromptu speech at the 1995 World Universities Debating Championships hosted by Princeton University in January. He was the only American to appear in the final round of six competitors.

Murray and Sawin spearheaded a record year for the Bucknell Debate Team. The team won individual or team awards at 12 of the 14 tournaments they attended this year.

Murray and Sawin finish their careers ranked as the second most successful Bucknell team with regards to one year's competition in the last eight years. The most successful team featured Monty Crawford '91 and Kevin MacClay '91. Murray finishes as the highest ranked individual debater in the history of Bucknell's debate team.

Murray commented, "When Greg and I came back to campus in the fall, we considered this, not rebuilding year since we had a comparatively small returning group of fairly young, inexperienced debaters. Neither one of us imagined that the team would accomplish so much growth and success in just one year. This year's classmates are incredibly talented. I really look forward to hearing about the accomplishments of next year's team."

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or around May 15." The Search and Screening committee will include, "four tenured faculty representing each of the academic divisions and elected by their colleagues in those divisions; three members of the faculty appointed by the president, one of whom will represent the College of Engineering, and at least one of whom will be untenured; and one senior administrator appointed by the president."

Adams says in the memo that "the Committee will be strongly encouraged to proceed with sufficient speed to ensure the campus arrival of the new Vice President no later than July 1, 1996," according to the memo.

The initiation of the search process for a new vice president of academic affairs looks to fill the second administrative position left open before Adams arrived on campus this semester. The search for a vice president for university relations began earlier this year, and is already well underway.

Adams stated in an earlier interview that he waited to begin the search for vice president for academic affairs until he could familiarize himself with the academic setting at Bucknell.

According to Judy Becker, associate vice president for academic administration, the search committee has had "excellent response to our advertisements in *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, *The Chronicle of Philanthropy*, and to the contact made with those who have been nominated" for the position of vice president for university relations. Adams estimates that there have been approximately 100 applications submitted already.

Adams said that the job description released described the "key qualities" he and the committee are looking for in candidates, namely, "organizational and leadership potential and experience; strong managerial skills; strong personal traits and qualities appropriate to fundraising; and identification with the academic mission of Bucknell."

Currently the search committee for the University Relations position, composed of three trustees, four administrators, and two faculty members, has begun interviewing semi-finalists who will then interview on campus.

Becker says that the committee "has a strong applicant pool" and that they hope to make a final decision by July.

Adams adds that the search process "is right on target and scheduled" but that the committee "will not make a hurried appointment."

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before the end of the semester.

The search, which began January 25 of this year, has not taken an inordinate amount of time given the size of the applicant pool and the complexities of the screening process, Duke said. "Thoroughness is critical in selecting the right person for this extremely important position on the Bucknell campus," she said.

The 10-person search committee, which consists of four students, four professional staff, and two faculty members are looking for a candidate who can, among other things, provide personal and academic support for the racial and ethnic minority students, supervise the Multicultural Center, and promote an environment which affirms human dignity and cultural pluralism.

Duke and Lewis say the applicants were "highly qualified." Since the December resignation of Alem Asres, the former director of the multicultural center, Cindy Fawcett, secretary of the center, Kevin Clark GR, and others have maintained the center's programs and office functions.

Asres left Bucknell to take a position as assistant dean of the college of engineering at the University of Madison in Madison, Wis.

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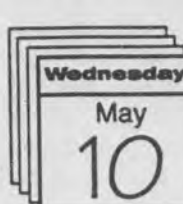
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News Briefs

World News

Russia debates ending deal with Iranians

Russia has agreed to rethink its proposed sale to Iran of gas centrifuge equipment that American officials say could be used in a nuclear weapons program.

The review raises the possibility that President Boris N. Yeltsin of Russia will announce cancellation of the deal when he meets in Moscow with President Clinton next week, the department's spokesman, Nicholas Burns, said.

But there was no indication that Russia was also reconsidering the projected sale of two nuclear reactors as part of a \$1 billion deal to help construct a nuclear power complex near the Persian Gulf.

Foreign Minister Andrei V. Kozyrev of Russia said last week that the deal would not be canceled. He likened it to the American agreement last October with North Korea to help provide nuclear reactors for civilian energy production.

—New York Times

Serbs retaliate after Croatian offensive

The Serb rocket exploded in the heart of the Croatian, capital, killing at least five people and wounding 121. The attack came in response to the army's successful assault on a Serb-held enclave a day earlier. To escape the army's advance, thousands of Croatian Serbs have fled into Bosnia. The fighting in Croatia was the worst since a 1991 war that killed at least 10,000 people. Bosnian Serb leader Karadzic threatened to send help to the rebel Serbs in Croatia.

—Wall Street Journal

National News

F.C.C. rejects effort to curb Murdoch role

Federal regulators have decided against forcing Rupert Murdoch to renege his company to simply with foreign-ownership rules for its American television broadcasting licenses, giving a crucial victory to Mr. Murdoch in what has been a serious legal threat to his media empire.

An agency official said that at least three of the five members of the Federal Communications Commission had rejected a staff recommendation that the News Corporation, Mr. Murdoch's Australia-based conglomerate, be forced to make a drastic reduction in its ownership of eight television stations that form the nucleus of the Fox television network.

Agency officials said that the commission had also rejected accusations by Mr. Murdoch's opponents in the industry that he had intentionally misled the Government in 1985, when he first applied to buy the stations. Several senior regulators have said that they did not realize then that the News Corporation would own virtually all the equity in the television stations.

U.S. agrees to admit Cuban refugees

The Clinton administration abruptly reversed its immigration policy for the Cubans amid signs of a possible softening of relations with Havana, the decision meant that most of the nearly 21,000 Cubans held at the U.S. base at Guantanamo Bay will be allowed migrate to the U.S. However, any future refugees who try to reach the U.S. illegally by boat or raft will be shipped back to Cuba, administration officials said.

—Wall Street Journal

Surgeon general nominee takes offensive

President Clinton's nominee for Surgeon General, Dr. Henry W. Foster Jr. used his long-delayed confirmation hearing to try to neutralize months of criticism about his ethical and medical qualifications and to "set the record straight" about abortions that he has performed.

"There are two issues which have clouded my nomination that I wish to deal with right up front," Dr. Foster told a Republican-controlled Senate panel that treated him deferentially. "The first is the attempt, by some, to say that this nomination is about abortion. It is not. And the second is the issue of my credibility, which has never been questioned before."

In a day long session that lacked the rancor that erupted almost immediately after President Clinton named him in February, Dr. Foster conceded that he had created some of the skepticism about his credibility by underestimating the number of abortions he had performed throughout a 38-year career as an obstetrician-gynecologist. But he said that conflicting accounts were due to an "honest mistake."

He had been speaking from memory when he first said that he had performed fewer than a dozen abortions, he told the committee. But after checking his files, he found that he had been listed as the physician of record on 39 abortion cases.

—New York Times

News Briefs compiled by Mollie Pfeiffer '95

OPINIONS

Bookstore deserves kudos for its decision against pornography

Pornography found in such magazines as *Playboy* and *Penthouse* increases violence against women

BY AMANDA SWARR
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

The recent campus debate about pornography has ignored one crucial fact: the direct violence against women evident in magazines like *Playboy* and *Penthouse*. I believe that personally viewing examples from such magazines informs decisions about pornography. In an effort to illumi-



How one family solved its discipline problem

The first example shown here is an advertisement from *Playboy* magazine for *Oui* magazine entitled "How one family solved its discipline problem." The advertisement portrays a sullen girl, nude except for her stockings, with her hands handcuffed together. The text of the ad reads: "Lately Jane has been very, very naughty. That's why... Jane is pictured in a variety of poses which restrict her movement... So you see, it's for her own good. And not incidentally, your pleasure." Obviously, such a message condones incestuous child abuse. In advocating bondage and sexual parental violence against women and children.

The second example shown here is one of a series of eleven femicide photographs published in *Penthouse* magazine. This series of photographs eroticizes the torture, bondage, hanging and deaths of young Japanese women. The photographs are represented as "art," and the brutal photos contrast accompanying haiku poetry. This particular photograph shows a woman or girl with one ankle bound with the rope held taut, suggesting an unseen captor.

Her public and leg hair has been shaved, contributing to her glamorization and infantilization. Further, her prone position could imply that she is unconscious or dead.

In these representative photos from *Playboy* and *Penthouse*, it is impossible for

the reader of the magazine to determine whether the women were willing models or subjected to actual abuse during this photography. Further, photos like these have been directly connected to increased violence against women. For example, another photo from the "Sakura" series shows a woman bound and hanging from a tree, presumably dead, wearing only socks and a kimono. Two months after the publication of this magazine, an eight-year old girl named Jean Kar-Har Fewel from North Carolina was found raped and murdered, hanging similarly from a tree. Many Feminists feel that this

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particular collection of photos were responsible for her death, as pornography reinforces patriarchal ideas and fosters a context for violence against women.

Pornography shapes misogynist attitudes about women and cannot be considered in a vacuum; understanding patriarchy is essential to understanding violent images and objectifying portrayals of women. To me, the idea of the bookstore selling pornography can be likened to the bookstore selling guns; both are directly linked to violence. The idea that an edu-

cational institution like Bucknell should sell and profit from either of these items is dangerous and anti-educational.

I fully advocate women and men talking and learning about sex, sexuality, and anatomy. However, as evidenced by the two examples here, pornographic magazines provide a totally biased and sexist framework which encourages violence at the expense of women and ethnic minorities. I urge those of you

who advocate pornography to look at these images carefully and analytically. Films such as "Warning: The Media May Be Hazardous to Your Health" and (for those of you who read *Playboy* "for the articles") the text of *Playboy* are available on microfiche in The Bertrand Library. Further, the Women's Resource Center has a collection of videos which includes "Peril or Pleasure: Feminists Produce Pornography" and "Sex with the Unreal Woman" (a discussion with men opposed to pornography).

By ceasing to sell *Playboy* and *Penthouse*, the bookstore has shown that it values the comfort and safety of its customers and staff over profit. I further en-

courage Bucknell to be consistent and fully remove such magazines from the bookstore. Images of pornography which lead to violence are obviously inconsistent



with the University's missions of education and self-respect. Pornography has been proven to have direct correlations to widespread male violence against women and children, and I do not want my tuition monies to support the misogyny evidenced here.

Execution of convicted murderer Keith Zettlemoyer spurs controversy

Lethal injection is just punishment for murder

BY JEREMY MCKOWN

This week Keith Zettlemoyer was executed by lethal injection in the state of Pennsylvania for the murder of an innocent man 15 years ago. He has asked for the lawyers to stop filing appeals for him, he has called it quits. He has finally accepted his punishment. Unfortunately, various others have not accepted this punishment and will use any meager reason to prevent the execution. Opponents use a myriad of excuses suggesting that the penal system mistreats prisoners, harbors racial discrimination and the end result is increased crime rates in states with capital punishment. Fortunately, states like Pennsylvania are moving in the right direction in punishment and moving away from baby-sitting. Murder has no place in society and anyone found guilty of consciously and willfully killing another human being should themselves be subjected to a fair, even and quick punishment. Namely, lethal injection.

The likes of Zettlemoyer, Dahmer, and McVeigh have brutally murdered innocent human beings without regard for life. A common myth is that these cold-blooded killers are victims and need to be rehabilitated. Murderers are not victims, they willfully committed heinous crimes against unsuspecting individuals (many of whom were kids) thereby losing any sense of respect and civility they once were afforded. These murderers have relinquished their place in society.

They shouldn't even retain the right to life imprisonment. Besides keeping the killer off the streets, this sentence has no other benefit to society (remember we are providing for these killers the rest of their lives). The murderer sits in a cell, watches TV (free HBO), receives free healthcare, an education, and three squares a day. Is it better to leave a person in prison for life? What good does it do for this individual?

I have never heard nor seen a more effective deterrent than capital punishment. There has never been a murderer who has repeated the same heinous act after having been executed. Simple. Many say that it isn't a deterrent to would be criminals, therefore we should jettison this sentence. They flower pamphlets with statistics strewn throughout showing how violence has increased in those states that have capital punishment. I'm sorry, but criminals don't flock to these states that have capital punishment. Maybe if we actually executed these criminals with some kind of regularity, we might see some progress. Appealing for 10-20 years on ambiguous issues such as racial discrimination is pathetic. A murderer is a murderer regardless of color or race. Some say that violence breeds violence. This may be true, however, if you have ever put one of your favorite animals to sleep you can see how efficient and painless lethal injection really is.

This country has many problems, with crime being one of the more prevalent. I am in no way suggesting that capital punishment is the answer to end all our problems. However, it is one punishment that fits the despicable act of killing innocent human beings. We need to make a stand against these criminals and let them understand that there is no parole, no privileges, no benefit to killing innocent people. What happened to the old adage "crime doesn't pay?"

If the victim is gone and can never have another chance at anything, how can we give a convicted killer the right to pursue a new life?

Do you have an opinion? Too bad—this is the last issue.

BY ALLISON PRICE
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

I will never forget that the Nittany Mall wanted the cars out by 11 because they were turning their lights off and that as we stood there at the vigil, cars pulled over and, as nonchalantly as they would have asked a tourist bureau official, asked us where the Nittany Mall exactly was as they were en route to go do some shopping. The question occurred to me on the ride up—how do you act at a protest like this? Was it a protest, or were we just a presence, people by the side of the busy highway leading out of State College past the Rockview State Prison, there to possibly give directions? As we walked up the busy highway, cars, tractor trailers and police cruisers tearing past, Amanda Swarr noticed a hearse dart by. The same vehicle passed us again, going the opposite way. And why did it do that? We had our hypotheses. Someone had rented it in protest as a visual attention tool, it had some mission at the prison, or it was a taunt. Whatever it was, it exemplified the high intensity stakes that opponents of the death penalty must ultimately deal with. These stakes transcend politics and add a new dimension to conscience and protest.

Suddenly, we were just there, the flickering lights of cars merging with the flickering lights of the prison. As it was scheduled and as I knew it would come to pass, Keith Zettlemoyer passed away that Tuesday night, May 2, 1995 at exactly 10:25 p.m. Usually when such terms are used they entail a certain dignity in relation to leaving this world and entering whatever one believes lies beyond. However the dignity of raging in one way or another into the good night was eclipsed by the new dignity Governor Ridge has prescribed to cure Pennsylvania's crime problem, which politicians of all stripes have been known to attribute to a breakdown in the respect we have for the sanctity of life and each other's humanity. Keith Zettlemoyer was executed Tuesday night at Rockview, becoming the first Pennsylvanian executed in the state in 33 years. According to the newspapers, Governor Ridge declined company and decided to spend the evening alone at the Governor's mansion, waiting for news of the death of a man he ordered a week ago the way many of us sign for a UPS package. Perhaps this is a little unfair to my governor. After all, he admitted that it was a difficult night, accepting responsibility for his fulfillment of just another campaign promise. Frankly, after all the widespread enthusiasm for the reinstallation of the death penalty in Pennsylvania, I feel a bit disappointed for Tom Ridge.

I was not alone that evening. Among the people gathered along the road across from the prison was our delegation from Bucknell, ministers, priests, a representative from an organization of murder victims' families who stood in protest and relayed the anti-death penalty sentiments of Zettlemoyer's victim's mother and an older man in a trench coat who was there at the last execution. It was an amazing mix of people, from mothers and infants to the eld-

erly—not quite the soft on crime extremists supporters of capital punishment would have you believe turn up at vigils such as these. I decided as the intensity of the time of the actual execution arriving passed through the highly emotional crowd that there ought to be a study done on citizens who oppose the death penalty but cannot stomach the reality of the issue enough to even discuss it as another political poker chip. It simply is not.

I can easily argue the practical points of my opposition to the death penalty. It is obviously not proven to be a deterrent unless my understanding of the word is completely false. It costs more to prosecute capital crimes and ultimately life in prison is more cost effective. The death penalty prolongs the cycle of violence and extends the pain of violence to the executed person's family. The punishment is irreversible, and one error in this realm of punishment is unthinkable. The death penalty blatantly is an issue of elitism in society. It is logical that those who can afford the best lawyers will fare the best in court while those who simply cannot afford the best legal advice ride the winds of chance. Capital punishment degrades society. The button people wore at the vigil is both simple and true—why do we kill people to prove killing is wrong?

Beyond all practical considerations, the death penalty like very few other issues tends to come down to a purely emotions. In the aftermath of the devastation in Oklahoma City, people confronted me with how could I possibly have any pity for the men who have been charged with the crime. Pity is a strong word. In opposing the death penalty, you are called on the carpet to constantly validate the grief and horror you feel towards violent crime. It is as if in opposing the death penalty you are automatically somehow dismissing the victim or the victim's family's pain. This is simply untrue. Oklahoma City was

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an atrocity, as is murder. The agony of these crimes hits you head on—there must be a way to make sense of it, to stop it from ever happening again and therefore gaining some sense of justice. However, the death penalty is a shallow appeal not to justice but to the darkest reaches of the human soul.

In the end, the man who the newspapers referred to as a "life long loner and loser" was executed. The mechanics of execution are all so logically explained in the newspapers, until you realize what is actually happening and what happened as we stood outside the prison and all those cars flew by. If Governor Ridge gets his way, there will be an execution at Rockview every two weeks. Another vigil will most likely be held. In the end, everyone put away their candles and walked back to the Nittany Mall. After all, it was already past 11 and Keith Zettlemoyer was dead. As the candles dripped, we had a guarantee that we would leave something behind. Although, life goes on—violent crime, pain and another guaranteed sin against justice in Pennsylvania.

EDITORIAL

How safe is Bucknell? Not as safe as you think

It is unfortunate when bad things happen on our campus, yet it serves as a reminder that Bucknell is not the crime-free community that many students assume it to be.

Two separate incidents this week show that Bucknell is not invulnerable to instances of crime and violence. First, a student was attacked on Seventh Street by an unknown man who jumped out of a car. The victim's wallet was stolen, even while he was accompanied by friends. Secondly, a female student's room was invaded by a stranger who refused to leave. The intoxicated stranger was later identified by Public Safety as a student.

These stories are not being recalled to panic members of the Bucknell community into believing that we live in an area where crime is the rule rather than the exception. Much to the contrary, Lewisburg has a very low crime rate, and Lewisburg Police Department and Public Safety are to be commended for

making Bucknell as safe they can make it.

Rather, these incidents are harsh reminders that we, as a community, must be aware and be cautious of our safety, even in sleepy Lewisburg. How many times have students opened doors for strangers late at night? Sure, it's courteous, but does it sacrifice our own security?

Students who act irrationally while intoxicated are also a threat to our community. We are just as much a threat to our own safety as any outside.

We can be thankful that our community is such that academic buildings are open late and our doors are free of ID scanner locks. Yet with these freedoms come responsibilities.

The Oklahoma City bombing brought the threat of terrorism on American soil into the light. While we can do nothing to prevent terrorism, we can prevent crimes from occurring on campus. Self-defense classes are offered throughout the year, free of charge,

and other classes are also offered locally. It is becoming more common for people to carry pepper gas or other defensive weapons with them. We can simply, and politely refuse to leave doors open for strangers late at night.

Among any group of students, one would be hard-pressed not to find one that didn't have a story about someone climbing through their window, a stranger wandering their hall late at night, or a burglary that took place nearby. Public Safety is quick to respond to these crimes and effective in its investigations, but the responsibility for making these crimes less frequent on our campus is in our—the students'—hands.

A few weeks ago, posterboards were hung around campus with a question written on them: "How safe do you feel at Bucknell?" In pencil on one poster in Trax Hall, "not as safe as you think" in small print. Sadly, this week's events prove one thing: it's true.

LETTERS

Bucknell's recycling program ineffective

TO THE EDITOR,

In a recent meeting with President Bro Adams, members of the Student Environmental Action Coalition (SEAC) were asked about the quality of Bucknell's recycling program. New evidence suggests that the program is failing. On behalf of SEAC, I would like to submit the results of our Earth Day recycling study to *The Bucknellian*.

Last Saturday, Bucknell's "Earth Day," members of SEAC sorted through approximately twenty-five bags of garbage (202 pounds total) which were collected over the previous week from various buildings on campus (one bag of garbage per building). As we sorted through each bag, we separated all materials which could be recycled, including paper, newspaper, glass, aluminum, plastics (#1 and 2), polystyrene, and corrugated cardboard. After sorting through all of the trash, we weighed the different piles of recyclable materials and the remaining garbage.

Our study found that, by weight, forty percent of the materials in the twenty-five garbage bags could have been recycled

could have been recycled if individuals had properly sorted their waste. Unfortunately, this means that Bucknell must pay to send a significant amount of recyclable material to the landfill rather than recycling.

This conclusion strongly suggests that Bucknell's recycling program is ineffective. Bucknell's recycling system, while imperfect, cannot bear the blame for this statistic. This study indicates the need for more environmental education. The cruel irony of this finding is that recycling is often cited as an example of an action we should all make to reduce material waste. Yet our study indicates that many people are not even taking this simple, obvious step to help reduce the trashing of our planet. If many Bucknellians won't recycle, how many are willing to accept more fundamental life changes which are needed to conserve resources and reduce pollution?

JOEL WAINWRIGHT '95

STUDENT ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION COALITION

A night of poetry

TO THE EDITOR:

On Friday April 28, 1995 at 11 p.m. in the dimly lit 7th Street Cafe the muse of poetry was not only present but was celebrated by poets and captivated listeners whom she had inspired then and many times before that. She was evoked by the poet, student, organizer, Mike Ruggiero '97. He, with the help of others, took initiative and made "Beelive," an evening of poetry recitation, possible with the hope that it might become a quarterly tradition.

Along with the muse, there was also another inspiration present in the room. Professor Alki Barnstone of the English Department was mentioned throughout the evening by most poets as a preface to their poetry. It was amazing to see the influence she had on these poets and the impact she had on the listeners who were given an opportunity to get a glimpse into her classroom, where her love for poetry is obviously contagious. Alki helped Shaun Nanavati '95 and Rich Shaheen '95 recite the first poem "Howl" by Allen Ginsberg as a way of establishing a creative atmosphere for the entire evening.

About 21 poets recited their original works which encompassed all forms of poetry varying both in theme and in style. From the satirical social commentary to the "Idyllic" love poem, to free form streams of consciousness to an epic poem, the energy transferred from poet to poet. Believe it or not, it was a quality Friday evening at Bucknell.

MUKTA DRUMALE '97
DAISY DOMINGUEZ '95

University policies are unjust
An open letter to the Administration

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Last week, someone or some group painted the word Stonecutter by the academic fountain. On the opposite side of the fountain was the word Ego. To the side was the simple instruction Smoke Pot. A number of buildings were similarly defaced. A few days later, another simple instruction, Fire Kachmarik, appeared in two-foot, red and white letters on Roser Hall, by sheer coincidence, is the home of Scott Kachmarik.

I'd like to say a couple words to the parties responsible for this act: Well done. It's good to know the rebellious spark of youth still flickers (though Vaughan Lit. could have been spared; certain buildings should remain sacred). I'd also like to explain to the administration why it happened and how the world works. If you happen to currently hold political office, listen in.

In my case, the RA could have talked to me individually or given at least one warning. The RA, Wendy Esham, chose to retrieve the RD,

student body (future alumni) who pay their salaries and are the substance of the University. And mine, by no means, is an isolated case. The incidents of the past couple months have simply acted as a catalyst to expose the shallowness and low character of those in whose charge our futures lie.

A couple years ago, an organized crackdown on underage drinking brought a fleet of police cars into the Lewisburg community and arrested students by the busload. And what for? Because twenty-year olds decided to have a beer? Is this a true threat to the community or is it the law? The young people had simply gathered for a couple drinks, good conversation and a moment of fellowship. And for this act, unwarranted punishments were administered and fines levied. A law is a rule administered by an authority tied to a principle and have created restraints born of an outdated and absurd puritanical morality the majority of the people do not subscribe. And this is affecting my future.

When those in the administration continually affirm and respect laws over people, act in petty and vindictive ways, and wield power with no consideration of suffering...they lose their mandate to govern

police there is ugly. In addition, the administration chooses to protect, defend, and cradle racials in residential life and public safety while sacrificing quality faculty such as Rabbi Silverman, a Hebrew scholar whose integrity and character the students respect and admire. The startling lack of courage and thought in the halls of power is disturbing. The policies of this University are narrow-minded and fail to understand the consequences of actions. A hundred dollar parking ticket may help make ends meet in the present but this pettiness will cost this institution dearly. You'll get less money from this class's alumni donations than any other in history. And if you are currently a donating member of the community, start to question the manner in which the school allocates your funds. The power-mongering of the authorities has tried dearly to wrench four years of our youth from us—but these last two weeks are ours.

The administration better waken up and realize this is a university, not a police state; that students have come here to gain knowledge, wisdom, and understanding, not criminal records. And unless those in power understand this simple, basic truth, last week's episodes will only be the beginning.

SHAUN NANAVATI '95
MAY 1, 1995

A special thanks from Chi Phi

TO THE EDITOR:

On Sunday April 30, 1995, the brothers of the Chi Phi Fraternity hosted the Central Susquehanna Valley Special Olympics for the 12th consecutive year. As always, this event would not have been possible without the generous support of the Bucknell community and many Lewisburg businesses, restaurants, and stores. Though some inclement weather forced us to change to an indoor location prior to the start of the games, this year's Special Olympics was one of the most successful ever. The reason for this success lies largely with the cooperation, goodwill, and cheerful devotion of all the students, friends of the Special Olympics, Bucknell

Staff and Administration, and faculty who supported us and this year's Special Olympics. On behalf of the athletes and the coordinators of the Special Olympics, the brothers of Chi Phi wish to sincerely and deeply thank all of those who contributed to this year's games. For all of those who supported the Special Olympics by being a "buddy" for a day, or purchasing an advertisement, or supporting our fundraising walkathon, we wish to express our gratitude.

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Letter to the Editor
causes controversy

Student feels his letter was misinterpreted

TO THE EDITOR:

While I appreciate receiving a response to my letter, I feel obligated to respond to the accusations of being the hate monger of Bucknell. For the sake of convenience and my own amusement, I shall refer to my anonymous correspondent as Mrs. Bourgeoisie. However, in all seriousness, I do not appreciate having my views misrepresented by *The Bucknellian*. Nor do I care to have my character publicly maligned and the psyche of my inner child callously psychoanalyzed by Mrs. Bourgeoisie on the basis of a single letter.

Though I was amused by *The Bucknellian's* interpretation of my letter as hateful, I must remind the readers that I never used the word "hate" in my letter. The title of my letter was solely the work of *The Bucknellian*. My original letter which stated, "...I will never have to come back here," was altered and highlighted in a caption box stating, "...I will never come back here." Two subtle but significant distinctions which invariably alter the tone and reading of the whole letter. The members of *The Bucknellian* are entitled to their own interpretations of my letter, I just wish they would not attach them to my name.

As for Mrs. Bourgeoisie, I am overjoyed to hear that your family has had a wonderful time at Bucknell. I hope that my subsequent remarks will not mar your enjoyment of the graduation ceremonies. I also hope that we have the opportunity to chat; I feel we have a lot in common. Your all-encompassing, unconditional love for anyone embossed with the colors of my alma mater is laudable, but naive. You will forgive me if I do not give the secret handshake to every individual I meet wearing a Bucknell sweatshirt.

Mrs. Bourgeoisie, I am perplexed by the source of your anger. Is it because I thumbed my nose at the institution which you hold so dear, or simply because I expressed an opinion contrary to your own? Perhaps the difference in opinions lies within our respective perspectives. You descend from the crystal tower a few times a year to experience the full spectrum of the Bucknell Feel-Good Rainbow, whereas I have merely lived here for four years privy to my peers' lemmingsque scramble up the social ladder. Stop staring at the sun Mrs. Bourgeoisie, you're becoming blind to the world around you.

You also characterize me as a petulant child who refuses to accept responsibility. Unfortunately, you do not realize that I am currently working two jobs to support myself and have refused to let my parents pay for my mistakes. It was my inability to pay the absurd parking fines that incited my bitterness toward the University. Before you spew any more psychoanalytical drivel Mrs. Bourgeoisie, let me assure you that this bitterness is not the latent projection of libidinal energy stemming from my self-induced anguish.

Perhaps my parents' money is hard-earned? I was under the impression that all money is hard-earned. If this is an example of the kind of values that you are teaching your children, then it is no wonder that I find the majority of them "shallow and self-absorbed." It is interesting to note that the only response that this quote elicited came from outside this community. I interpret this as either acceptance or merely apathy on the part of my peers. Take your pick, I believe that both support the veracity of my statement. Mrs. Bourgeoisie, calling me a "bad apple" is one of the nicest things anyone has ever said to me.

I leave this University in good spirits albeit with a lighter wallet. Bucknell could be a great place; someone just needs to remind the administrators with the disproportional small minds and long titles that this is supposed to be an institution of higher learning and not a business. I could solve the calendar problem with three words, "copy Lehigh's calendar." I leave this University with the following advice, "don't bite the hand that feeds you." I hope that you all make more money than me. My work here is done.

SCOTT LEE '95
MAY 4, 1995

Letter from parents
is inappropriate

TO THE EDITOR:

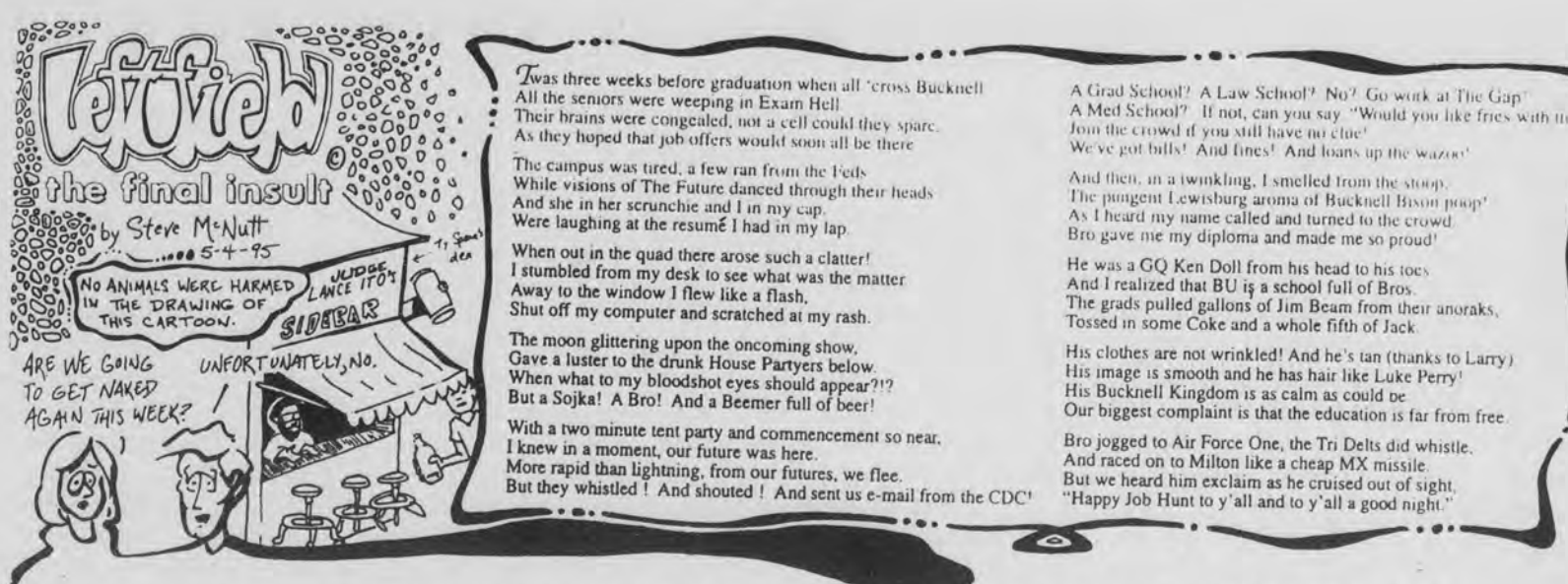
I don't think that I've ever raised much of a fuss over any of the articles or editorials about campus life are pretty amusing. However, recently I have raised an eyebrow over some things that I (as well as many others) consider to be absurd, inappropriate, and down-right unfitting.

A few weeks ago Scott Lee '95 wrote an articulate, witty, contemporary editorial on some absurd University policies regarding parking fines and the Greek system. His complaints were legitimate. He exercised his freedom of opinion and freedom of the press. I think he also tried to convey a message to parents and alumni that his opinions are shared by all who are affected by these policies (i.e. students with cars, and Greeks). My purpose is not to reiterate what he wrote—but that I have a bone to pick with people who brush Scott off as a "bad apple." Firstly to *The Bucknellian*. Why the hell did you refer to his editorial as, "Hate Mail"? If it was so terrible, unwarrantably degrading the University and threatening to take serious measures against it (and I don't consider a Bison boycott serious), why did you publish it in the first place? Did you not even read it before you published it? Or did you find it interesting that a student had the balls to address some things that are on a lot of our minds. In any event, your article published last week is what really did it for me. Parents of a Bucknell student tool it upon themselves to set Scott straight, ya the kid who had the gusto to even sign his name. They call him a "bad apple", and suggest that he is actually what he described the general population of students as "shallow and self-absorbed." Oh I'm sorry Mr. and Mrs. Names Withheld, I wasn't aware that you have spent more time with the students than Scott has, and can now hold an opinion about someone you don't know. I don't want to be rude, disrespectful, or start an argument, but please refrain from writing to our campus newspaper, claiming to be some kinds of experts on student personalities after spending perhaps half a dozen Parent Weekend here, because it is inappropriate.

I'm sorry if I have gotten a little off track. I'm not saying everyone holds Scott's opinions. In fact I've had some amazing times here, I don't mean to make it sound so dim. I will now conclude my thoughts. Bucknellian—you have an obligation to the University and students. Please do not be blind to the articles you publish—Don't hurt your own. And to Mom and Dad, your article may have been good dinner conversation, but it doesn't sit well with me or Scott. Oh, and yes, I'll sign my name.

JEFF WALSH '96
MAY 2, 1995

Write for *The Bucknellian* next semester! Call *The Bucknellian* offices at Extension 1520!



WELL, HERE IT IS, FOLKS: THE LAST "LEFTFIELD" AFTER BOY CARTOONS IT'S OVER. THE U.C. CLOCK IS TICKING AND IT'S TIME TO PACK IT IN. THANKS FOR READING. THANKS ALSO TO CAROLYN FOR THE EXTRA SPACE. THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF PEOPLE WHO WANTED TO BE MENTIONED IN THE LAST CAROON: SARAH, BRAD, TY, NICK, SHANE, THERESA, LAURA, ALEX, MARTA, KAREN, KRISTIN, SPENCER, FRANK, SCOTT, MICHAEL, KAREN, BECKY, SHANA, KRISSEY, CALLEEN, AND UH... WELL, I'M BLANKING SO THAT'S IT. BY THE WAY, WHY ARE THERE SHAWERS IN THE BOON RESTROOM? WOULDN'T YOU FEEL SILLY WALKING INTO A ROBE? OH-- AND SPECIAL THANKS TO SARAH AND KYLEEN FOR BEING SO QUOTABLE... O.K. I HAVE TO GO TO SLEEP-- SLEEP (MAYBE).

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OPINIONS

Senior columnists say good-bye to their alma mater

Sadness and regret form appreciation for Bucknell

BY JOHN STITH
Bucknellian Columnist

I left my Monday morning mathematics exam in a sour mood. The second question had drawn a complete blank. As a sophomore drawing a blank was tolerable. Yet as a senior, after spending four years studying this enigmatic discipline, what did I have to show for my efforts? I had learned to struggle through abstract algebra, but never really get the hang of it.

For most of us who are leaving Bucknell in a few weeks, things are not falling into a graceful cadence. We are struggling through our last papers, still trying to forge new friendships, and perplexed by the whims of employers and graduate schools. Many of us will wake up the morning after our last final only to find that most of our acquaintances have already left town, never to be seen again.

This troubles me, for I have always preferred the formal goodbye. Graduation Day is a flutter of hundreds of caps and gowns. You miss meeting the parents of your best friend and at 3 p.m. the quad is deserted. You drive back "home" with a talkative aunt.

My camera comes out this week, after languishing for months on end. I take the photographs not so much so that I may see them later, but because it

means something to take a picture. It's an expression of appreciation and respect.

I'll take pictures of my daily haunts: the math classrooms and professors, the Kress hallway, the Computer Center lab. I'll catch another academic quad sunset on film. I'll develop some images of the people I've loved.

What will be missing from my pack of photos is what didn't make it onto my four-year Bucknell schedule. I never watched a soccer game. I never saw the Montandon marsh. I never acted on Coleman stage. I never became a friend of a Lewisburg child. I never read my poetry to an audience, for I never wrote any. I apparently never passed my last math test.

Yet isn't there some joy in all this? There was so much I missed, and I insist on having my regrets. But I also have such joy, for we've been through a time of nearly unlimited opportunities. We've learned to understand what's gone wrong in our lives and what to do about it. We've learned of our privileges and our victimization, and tried to set a new course for the future.

I will be sad this month, for there is much I have missed and much I will miss. And I will reveal in my sadness, for there is joy in the act. I appreciate that there was so much at this place that I couldn't come close to doing it all. The world is like that.

University needs to make some improvements

RICH VINNACOMBE
Bucknellian Staff Columnist

Well, it's time for me to say good-bye to Bucknell and not a moment too soon. This whole place has started smoking pot... I mean... gone to pot. So Bucknell, don't expect me to be dropping any money in the Giving Fund anytime soon. No, it will take more than an extra calendar to squeeze money out of this guy. I'd better see some major changes first—so start taking notes Bro.

First, there are simply not enough speed bumps or stop signs on campus, especially around Dana. This traffic hazard has allowed obscenely reckless driving and as a result the squirrel population on campus has dwindled to an all-time low. At last count the North American Gray Squirrel comprised only 16 times the student population at Bucknell. For an environmental and safety conscious school this should be an outrage!

Secondly, I am irate over the sports scholarships here at Bucknell. For a team that only ranked in the top twenty nationally, there are just too many full rides given to the Women's Water Polo Team. Perhaps we should change our priorities Bucknell? Why not give the Football Team at least a couple of those athletic scholarships?

What about this new cafeteria company? There

needs to be a stricter enforcement of the double entree rule. Just yesterday, I saw someone get both rice and mushrooms with their turkey loaf. That's three entrees! Sadly, someone else had to substitute carrots that night.

And what about the entertainment available to students. Why let the fraternities have two parties in the same month! That is just way out of hand. Next thing, they'll want to play loud music past 11 p.m. Why can't we just have more great alternative bands like *The Empties*?

Also, the University should give more consideration to the quality of life at Bucknell. Why can we never seem to get any heat in Trax? Plus, why can't the University install elevators in the dorms...sorry...residence halls? It seems trivial, but it would make getting those keys up to the top floors much easier.

Finally, is anyone else concerned about what our campus looks like anymore? I mean, the other day I saw three leaves and a little crab grass on the academic quad. In addition, the University needs to place more exceptional artistic works around campus like Oldenburg's *Le Grand Penis* in the Vedder Circle. How else can we create an inspirational atmosphere for learning?

Lets get it together Bucknell, because who knows—I might actually have a job someday!

Pro-choice has become pro-abortion in today's society

Female Bucknell Student hopes other women can benefit from her experience

NAME WITHHELD

So many questions were running through my mind the night we found out I was pregnant. How am I going to tell my mom, my dad, my grandmothers, my friends? How will I finish my last year at Bucknell? How will we pay for the prenatal care and delivery? How will we buy diapers and food? Where will we live? Should we get married before the baby is born, or should we wait?

I have always been a very strong person, but at that moment I felt so helpless. I cried, I wept, I screamed, for hours. Once I calmed down, my boyfriend and I discussed our options; abortion never came up. He is not against abortion, but he knew that I would not choose that for myself.

The first person I told was my mother. She wanted me to have an abortion. Then we told her mother. She wanted me to have an abortion. Next, my dad. Abortion. So, I called my boyfriend to find out what his parents had to say. Of course, their first option was abortion too. So, I called my doctor's office to make an appointment. I told the nurse that I thought I was pregnant, but that I wanted to come in to make sure. She asked me how far along I was. When I said that I was only about 4 weeks, she said "Oh, well we don't perform abortions until the fetus is at least 8 weeks along." Abortion! I did not mention abortion at all. Just because of my age and marital status she assumed and expected that I would want to have an abortion. I was appalled. All of the people I told were not pro-pregnant woman's choice. In regards to my situation, they were all pro-abortion. What I needed was someone, anyone, to tell me that things were going to be okay. I needed somebody to care about my baby the way I did. Even though I did not plan this pregnancy as a part of my senior year, I wanted to have the baby. But, how was I going to have this baby when no one else wanted it around?

There was so much pressure to have an abortion. I no longer felt that it was my choice. I decided to tell an old friend of mine. I figured she would listen to what I wanted. I told her that I was pregnant and I was going to keep the baby. I also told her how difficult that decision was to hold on to because of all of the pressures to have an abortion. That night, she was there for me. She was on my side. But the very next day she told me that she too thought I should have an abortion. She told me that I just did not understand how time consuming and how

expensive it would be for me to have a child at this point in my life. (To me, that sounds more like pro-abortion than pro-choice.) Not too long after that conversation did my boyfriend tell me that he wasn't sure if he was ready for parenthood. He also wanted me to think about having an abortion.

I saw my baby on the ultrasound at eight weeks and I knew I wanted to hold her someday. In my heart I knew I wanted my baby, but I could not imagine raising her on my own, with no help from anyone else. It was hard enough just being a pregnant college student. And if abortion wasn't legal, I would not have had so many additional pressures on me. Everyone expected that I would want to have an abortion because I was only twenty years old and still had a year left of school. Well everyone was wrong. I become so angry when I think of how many young women get abortions because that is what other people think and say they should do. Luckily, I found a few people who wanted this to be my decision. If it wasn't for their support, (and if I wasn't so stubborn), I would have been pushed into having an abortion by my parents, my boyfriend's parents, my friends from home, even my boyfriend who started out on my side. Keeping my baby was the hardest decision to make, not for me, but for everyone else.

My boyfriend stayed with me and we planned to begin our family. We worked through things together, as parents. Within a few more weeks, my family finally accepted my decision. My parents began to feel excited for the arrival of their first grandchild. And my grandmother began knitting clothing and blankets. Unfortunately, my boyfriend's parents didn't quite feel the same. To them, this was an embarrassment. I was not welcome in their home. None of their other family members knew that I was pregnant. Our innocent baby was a dark secret. My boyfriend wanted to respect their wishes not to tell anyone. So I spent over two months at Bucknell hiding my pregnancy from almost everyone. (For my own sanity, I told a couple of close friends) I had to make up stories all of the time as to why I did not feel like going to the bar, and why I didn't want to have even one drink on my 21st birthday. I would go to all of my classes and occasionally ran to the bathroom because I had bad morning sickness. I would hide in the bathroom of my apartment so that my other roommates would not hear me vomiting. I felt like I was bulimic because I kept it such a secret. The day my

baby kicked for the first time, at about 16 weeks, I couldn't share my happiness with anyone, except one friend that I told. It was so much fun to be able to share my experiences with a close friend. She would feel my belly to see if the baby was kicking, and just talk to me about how I was doing emotionally and physically. We always used to look in her child development book to see about how big and developed my baby was. As I got further along in the pregnancy, I became very excited. I couldn't hold it in any longer. Finally, at dinner with my housemates one Sunday night, I burst out with the news. It was such a relief to tell them. With other people knowing, I didn't feel quite so dirty anymore. And for the first time, I didn't feel so alone.

As I look back to last semester, one of my biggest regrets is not sharing my pregnancy with anyone. I was made to feel like I was the only upper-middle-class, educated, white woman to ever get pregnant out of wedlock. My boyfriend's mother reminded us over and over of how irresponsible we were to let this happen. She was right. But, we decided to take responsibility for our actions and we were punished for that.

Since this has happened I have learned of many, many women who have become pregnant before marriage and chose to keep their babies. I only wish I had known about them while I was pregnant so that I could have leaned on them for support. And that is the reason I am writing this article. I want everyone to realize that this happens all of the time, across social classes. This is not something that should make a woman feel ashamed. I am not ashamed of my daughter. You may wonder, then, why I have not signed my name to this article. Well, unfortunately, there are many people out there who simply do not respect my choice to have my baby despite the circumstances. I can really sympathize with any woman who might one day have to face the decision I had last summer. I just beg that she follow her heart and find someone who cares about her decision for her sake, not for the sake of "what the neighbors might think." If a woman has reasons to choose abortion, that is fine as long as that is her choice, not her boyfriend's, or her parent's, or his parent's, or her friend's. If you know a woman who has to make this decision, please listen to what she wants. Try not to tell her what you think she should want. It is not your choice.

Ed.—The baby, Sarah Elizabeth, was born prematurely and died two weeks later.

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LIFESTYLES

Survey reveals this year's picks and tosses in music

BY JAMES CHO

This year with the unfortunate absence of the so-called religious cult Nirvana that has been affecting young adults across the nation, the music charts have moved towards a happier note. A recent music survey of Bucknellians via e-mail placed our native Pennsylvanians from

the University bookstore, when she said, "We sold a lot of that."

It is clear that this year Bucknellians have started to wipe some of the grunge from their CDs and tapes and towards lean to cleaner "good old" more folksy and happier Rock and Roll. Artists like Dave Matthews Band, Counting Crows, and Rusted Root are the trendy up and com-

the students part.

While Nirvana's original "cult leaders" are currently inactive, the cult is still well and alive. They have a new leader, Courtney Love, a.k.a. soul mate of Kurt Cobain and front person for Hole. She has captivated audiences and the youth of America. This summer she brought the crowd into a frenzy when she came out as a special guest at Lolapalooza in Philadelphia. So Nirvana never died. It was just reincarnated into a new gender, new name, and new face, but the same music, genre, and fans.

This year was also the year Punk broke, but was it ever broken? The rise of Green Day to superstardom in the charts was unprecedented for a punk band, bringing to some listeners their first look at "punk." Popular music and Punk have never been close, but with Green Day's hit songs "When I come around" and "Longview," they have nonetheless become huge successes on Billboard and were voted best new artist of 1994 by *Rolling Stone*.

Not too surprising was the popularity of the *Pulp Fiction Soundtrack*. Following the success of the movie *Pulp Fiction*, the soundtrack also became a big hit amongst Bucknellians. Of course, the most popular song is track 7, "Son of a Preacher Man." The scene this year ended with new faces, but the old faces remained the same with just a few missing doll parts.

Last year was the year of Dr. Dre and Snoop Doggy Dog, or you could say West Coast Rap. Their beats and samples flooded the airwaves of MTV and the radio. This year there has been a big shift over to

York, Live, at the top of the chart with their hit *LP Throwing Copper*.

For those that don't know, Live played Bucknell's Earth day in 1993 on the Rooke lawn when they were a relatively unknown band. Then in little over a year (1994) they are popular music superstars whose journeys have taken them to places like Woodstock 1994: three days of fun, peace, and music. The popularity of Live is best summed up by Marilyn Book, of

ing superstars for at least this year. Of course, as always, the MTV Prime Time line-up still prevails with bands like Live, Hootie and the Blowfish, Green Day and with Sheryl Crow singing "All I want to do is leave Las Vegas" is present in the top ten.

With the invasion of the new American happy folkies music, the "grunge" scene has not died out. Even though Pearl Jam's new album was one of the worst albums according to Bucknellians, it was nonetheless voted by others into the top ten. The bands that were popular last year, such as Beastie Boys and Stone Temple Pilots, were once again voted in to the best artist list, proving their superstardom is not a temporary lapse of reason on

The Best Rap Albums

1. Notorious B.I.G.—*Ready to Die*
2. Redman—*Dare iz a Darkside*
3. Method Man—*Tical*
4. 2 Pac—*Me Against the World*
5. Craig Mack—*Project: Funk da World*

Senior mixes media for "whole" art piece

BY KATIE DEBONIXE
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The time of year has arrived when those seniors who took on honors projects are frantically finishing their work in preparation for completing their projects and defending their theses. For most honors-bound students, much of this time is spent at the computer, making revisions on the paper that will be handed in to a review committee. For Joanna Fassl '95, most of this time is spent in Tustin Theatre, working with the group of women who will help her present her senior honors project, a performance art piece entitled *Holey, Holy, Wholly*.

Performance art incorporates different types of artistic media into one presentation. "It allows for the use of dance, music, theatre, and poetry in a format that doesn't have to follow a conventional plot," Fassl explained.

Performance artists are generally more interested in developing a concept rather than a specific storyline or character. Fassl's presentation deals with the topic of ecofeminism, a concept to which she was introduced in a class taught by associate professor of religion Mary Evelyn Tucker. "Ecofeminism suited me perfectly because it is so all-encompassing," Fassl stated. "It doesn't divorce the degradation of women from the degradation of the earth."

In planning her honors project, Fassl looked for an area in which she could combine her own music and poetry with ideas about which she is passionate. In focusing on ecofeminism, Fassl has been able to learn a great deal about the environmental crisis which affects the mod-

ern world.

"To me, the environmental crisis is the biggest current issue because we wouldn't be here without the environment; we're a part of it," Fassl said. "If the environment isn't sustainable, then neither is the human species."

Holey, Holy, Wholly is a collaborative performance art piece that includes Bucknell students and women from the surrounding community. Finding community women to participate in her project was not a difficult task for Fassl. "Mary Evelyn Tucker referred me to Lucy Hegginstaller, a social worker from Sugar Valley," Fassl explained. Hegginstaller then referred Fassl to women in the community who were "passionate about women's issues, environmental issues, and creating." The women involved in *Holey, Holy, Wholly* range from fourteen to fifty-five years of age and include Margaret Greaves, wife of Professor of Anthropology Thomas Greaves; Nancy Cleaver, who works in the Center Gallery; and Kara Hartman, a fourteen-year-old dancer from Lewisburg High School.

Fassl purposely looked for women who were not performers to participate in her project. "This project grew out of a curiosity to explore the experiences of women of different ages and find a way to thread those experiences together," Fassl explained. "Choosing non-performers developed from the idea that creativity should be the birthright of everyone."

In preparing for the performance of *Holey, Holy, Wholly*, Fassl conducted workshops with the participants in the project. The title was the brainchild of a sixteen-year-old student taking part in the three-art piece. Fassl stated that each word in

the title deals specifically with one of the acts. "The first act deals with being 'holey' or detached. In the second, there is an awakening from detachment and a reclaiming of sacredness. The third act is concerned with trying to find a balance in life."

As the title suggests, the Christian element is also present in *Holey, Holy, Wholly*. "My piece is a critique of how the Western church neglects women," Fassl said. "*Holey, Holy, Wholly* does not bash the church; rather, it attempts to discover how the church views women and how the church affects growing up female in modern society."

Fassl continued to explain that the work deals with the dualities that exist between mind and body, mind and spirit, and earth and heaven. "The piece tries to break down the dualities that exist and emerge with an understanding that these things are interconnected."

Although her piece relies on the involvement of women who come from outside the Bucknell community, Fassl credits Amy Sass '96, a participant in her project, with being the first Bucknell student to work on collaborations between community members and Bucknellians. Sass has worked on community theatre projects at Wellspring, a community center in Lewisburg.

Fassl's project has convinced her that she would like to continue working with the issue of the environmental crisis in the creative field, perhaps through teaching or with music.

Holey, Holy, Wholly will be presented at 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 11 and Friday, May 12 in Tustin Theatre. The performances are free and open to the public.

A&E Calendar

Thursday, May 4
Film: *Stargate*, 10:30 p.m., Gallery Theatre, Langone Center. \$1 admission.

Friday, May 5
Hilltop Film Series: *Passe Ton Bac D'Aboard*, Maurice Plaisat, director, 4:30 and 8 p.m., Vaughan Literature Auditorium.

Dance Concert: Bucknell Dance Company, Er-Dong Hu, director, 8 p.m., Weis Center. Tickets \$4, \$3 for senior citizens.

Saturday, May 6
Dance Concert: Bucknell Dance Company, Er-Dong Hu, director, 8 p.m., Weis Center.

Sunday, May 7
Concert: Rooke Chapel Choir, William Payn, conductor, 7:30 p.m., Rooke Chapel.

Tuesday, May 9
Outdoor Film: *Rocky Horror Picture Show*, midnight, Rooke Chapel Lawn. Rain location: Vaughan Literature Auditorium.

The Best R&B Albums

1. TLC—*CrazySexyCool*
2. Mary J. Blige—*My Life*
3. Blackstreet—*Blackstreet*
4. Brownstone—*From the Bottom Up*
5. Boyz II Men—*Boyz II Men 2*

the East Coast. With the rise of the Notorious B.I.G., he led the voting and the charts with his smooth style and notoriously phat beats. His hit single "Big Poppa Warning" off of his LP *Ready to Die* has hit number one this year.

Runner up is Redman returning with his sophomore album *Dare Iz a Darkside*. Then comes the successful solo venture of the Method Man from the Wu-tang Clan with his hit single "Release yo self." The long awaited album of 2 Pac, who is the sole representative of the West Coast scene this year, was fourth with the hit single "Dear Momma." Finally, rolling in fifth is Craig Mack with the song "Flava in your ear."

Surprisingly, Bucknellians in the R&B Section did not choose the national favorite Boyz II Men, but chose TLC instead. TLC has put out big hits like "Creep" and "Red Light Special" this year.

Boyz II Men actually came in last in the voting which almost left them out of the top five. Runner-up is Mary J. Blige with her third LP *My Life*. Next is Blackstreet, who is a project of Michael Jackson, who came out huge with the single

top of the Billboard charts. In the survey there were many good bands mentioned that did not get the attention this year that they should have. There are many bands out there which are considered to be the hottest bands in the

The Top Ten Bands

1. Live
2. Dave Matthews
3. Pearl Jam
4. Green Day
5. Beastie Boys
6. Phish
7. Stone Temple Pilots
8. Toad the Wet Sprocket
9. Counting Crows
10. Rusted Root

music scene today. These bands are, as Christian Scofield '96 said, "too small that the average top forty Bucknellian wouldn't know." Among these groups are Sunny Day Real Estate, Luscious Jackson, Fretblanket, Morphine, and Verve.

The following albums were my own picks for groups who had the overall best albums this year: Pizzicato 5, Ride, Velocity Girl, Supersuck, and Redman.

For the disappointments of the year, I chose The Stone Roses and Offspring.

One-man performs Sex, Drugs, Rock & Roll



Nicole Cobban—The Bucknellian

The culmination of his independent study in solo performance, Bernie Zilinskas '95 will present actor/playwright Eric Bogosian's play entitled *Sex, Drugs, Rock & Roll* at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Tustin Studio Theatre.

It's too late for this semester, but don't miss out on the fun next year. Be sure to reserve your place on the staff now! Call the offices at x1520 and find out what you can do for the Lifestyles section next semester.

LIFESTYLES

Dance Company leaps onto stage with mix of shoes

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Earlier this semester, dancer/choreographer Peter Roel, a principal soloist with the Martha Graham Company, set his work *P.M.S.* for the Bucknell dancers. This strenuous dance is even made more difficult by the costumes, which include combat boots, bike shorts, black bustiers, and blond pageboy wigs.

The second half of the program will begin with *Rhythmic Junction*, choreographed by Megan Blamble '95. Blamble spent part of her junior year in Chile; her South American influences can be seen in this Latin jazz piece.

Frangione's *Small Acts of Courage* will be set in Taiwan this summer. According to Frangione, the Transylvanian folk music used in the piece was thought to be forever lost until the fall of communism introduced it to the Western world. "The music includes old gypsy and Jewish folk pieces that were lost during the war," Frangione explained. "The male and female voices sing about living in the midst of enduring war." The principal dancers in this work are Hu and Carla Christy '98.

Frangione is quick to credit Christy's dance abilities. "Carla had never partnered before this dance," she said. "It's been wonderful for her to work with Hu."

Heidi Dawson '95 has had many opportunities to demonstrate her talent and innovative style through dance. Her *A Step on A Stair* is a tap tribute to the grace and style of the late Fred Astaire. The technical work showcases "four excellent, percussive tap dancers," Frangione said.

The program's final work is Hu's *Spirit of Nature*. This dance combines movements common to West-

ern dance with the fluidity and beauty of Chinese techniques, including the long white Chinese sleeves that will connect the dancers throughout the piece.

Frangione enjoys working with Hu and has great things to say about her colleague. "It is amazing for us to have someone who is a specialist in the traditional Chinese style," Frangione stated. "The dancers here have opportunities to learn things from Hu that many dancers in this country do not have."

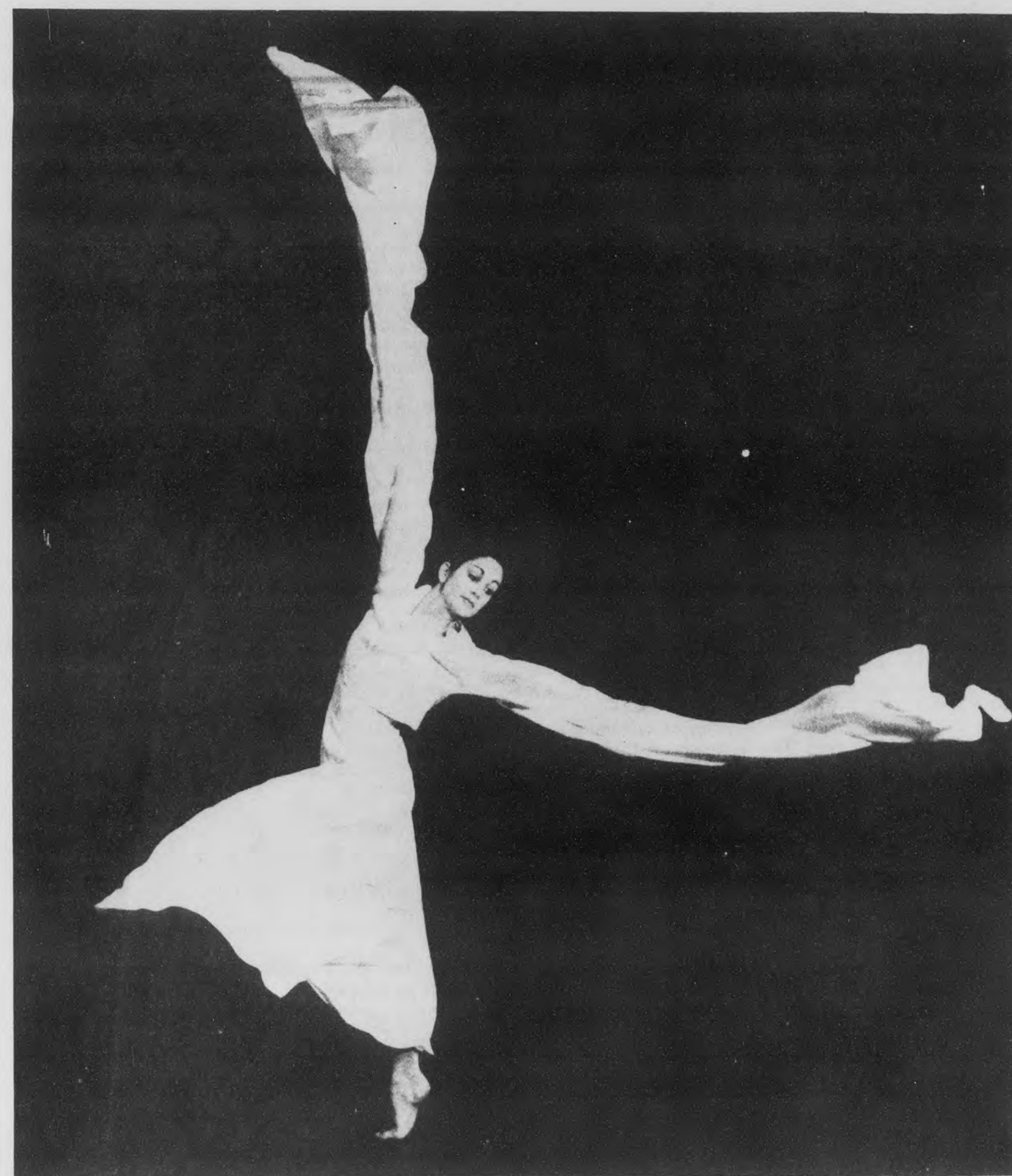
The future of the Bucknell Dance Company looks brighter with each year that passes. The group is a young one that is losing only four seniors: Blamble, Dawson, Terri Cassidy, and Kristen Costello.

The ever-growing program has expanded by leaps and bounds since Frangione came to Bucknell. "When I arrived, I was the only dance faculty member," she said. In the course of eight years the program has gone from being virtually nothing to what Frangione calls a "strong minor." Thanks to support from both administration and the Bucknell Association for the Arts, Bucknell dancers are able to benefit from working with a variety of guest artists.

Frangione stresses the "we" aspect of the company. "We have students who work very seriously in dance," she said. "At Bucknell, our dancers get high-level dance with a good education; the students can get into graduate programs anywhere in the country."

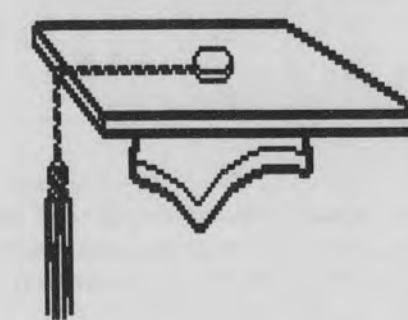
The company will present its spring concert at 8 p.m. on Friday and Saturday night in the Weis Center. Tickets are \$4 and are available through the Weis Center Box Office.

Performing in sophomore Kristin Dite's work "Swept Up in the Moment," Amy Merjeski '97 is one dancer who will be in the Dance Company's spring concert at 8 p.m. tomorrow and Saturday evening in the Weis Center for the Performing Arts. Tickets are available in the Weis Center Box Office and are \$4, \$3 for senior citizens. Photo by Debra Cook.

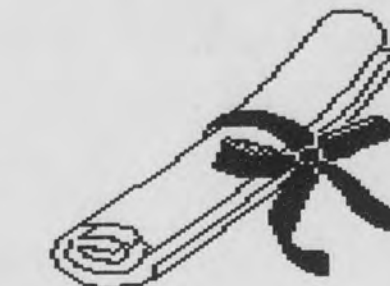


Above left: Heidi Dawson '95 will dance in *P.M.S.*, a piece set by Peter Roel earlier this semester for the Bucknell Dance Company. *P.M.S.* makes use of unique dance costumes of black bustiers, bike shorts, blond pageboy wigs, and black combat boots; Left: Adding a different pace to the program, Johnelle Raggi '98 dances in *blues*, a dance by Er-Dong Hu, assistant professor of dance, that features early jazz music; Above: Raggi will also perform in Hu's *Spirit of Nature*, a piece that combines Western and Chinese dance techniques. The long white sleeves are a traditional part of Chinese dance. Photos by Debra Cook.

LIFESTYLES



The countdown continues...thoughts of graduation inspire five seniors to compare their starts and finishes at Bucknell



What was a fear as you entered into your first year at Bucknell?

"Overall just fitting in, socially and academically...and worrying about matching the caliber of students here. I came in intimidated." —Beth Archer

"Wondering if the school was right for me and wondering if I made the right choice." —Brian Stolarz

What is a fear as you graduate from Bucknell?

"During my four years I've really tried to make this campus a place where a lot of diverse ideas could be addressed and embraced, and a fear is that my efforts may not have had as big an effect as I would like." —Kevin Nicholas

"That I won't find friends like I found here. I just hope the overall happiness that I have here continues." —Beth Archer

What was a big deal during your first year that isn't now?

"Going to parties because I knew I was a lowly freshman." —Tracy Laporte

"I was concerned with the importance of the fraternity system but realized that it wasn't important to me." —Brian Stolarz

What confused you most during your freshman year?

"Whether or not this school was as bad as people made it seem in terms of diversity of ideas and people, and whether I needed to stay or bolt." —Kevin Nicholas

"How everything came together and what things I should or should not be involved in. With so many activities it was hard to decide what to do. Also whether or not to live in the residential colleges and scheduling classes." —Heather Eisenman



What confuses you most now?

"I guess leaving, and looking at how realistic Bucknell actually is, and wondering if I can do this out there too. The library still confuses me." —Beth Archer

"Nothing about Bucknell, I know this place inside out, upside down and all around." —Tracy Laporte

"How I'll be able to adapt to a new lifestyle after being at Bucknell for so long, and how to go from being a student to working full time." —Heather Eisenman

Cartoon graphics by David Barneda



What has been your one of your best experiences at Bucknell?

"The people I've met and come in contact with. Everyone from the custodians to administrative secretaries to the people in my classes. The people have made my experience. Being an R.A. has also been one of my best experiences. All my best experiences relate to the people here." —Beth Archer

"Playing sports because I've met a lot of my closest friends that way." —Tracy Laporte

What has been your worst experience at Bucknell?

"Lab sciences, I didn't like the smell during dissection, I wish they would change that requirement. Also, I wish Bucknell was more than four years and was a little closer to Walt Disney World." —Beth Archer

"Sophomore year I was literally snowed into my mod during the storm of the century. It took us an hour to walk to the library." —Heather Eisenman

What will you miss the most about Bucknell?

"My friends. Everyone says it's our own little world, and it is, but it's comforting to be in this world." —Tracy Laporte

"Being able to do nothing in an entire day and getting away with it. Actually, I'll miss my friends." —Brian Stolarz

What will you miss the least?

"Living in one room, I'm excited for my own apartment." —Beth Archer

LIFESTYLES

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Carey Wiant—The Bucknellian
Eric Nyberg '96 and Brooke Stutzman '95 participate in a self-defense class as instructor Jason Winkle watches their moves.

Choir sings for spring

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BY CHRIS BIRD
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Rooke Chapel Choir, under the direction of Dr. William A. Payn, professor of music, will finish out this music concert season with its Spring Concert.

Even though the choir sings in chapel nearly every Sunday, the ensemble still finds time to put together a spring concert marked with diversity and musicality. The highlight of this concert will be Vivaldi's *Gloria*, a baroque piece that will be performed with a small orchestra and soloists. Jeanne Mellich '95, manager of the Rooke Chapel Choir, said, "although this is a standard repertoire piece, it is unusual in that the three solos are all for women."

Dr. Catherine F. Payn, assistant professor of music, will be the soprano soloist and Susan Beckley, a lecturer in music, will sing the mezzo-soprano solo. The alto solo will be performed by Jennifer Walsh '92, a music major at Bucknell during her undergraduate years and who has continued her musical studies at the University of Minnesota. This is her first performance at Bucknell since she graduated.

Student conductors will also demonstrate their talent on Sunday evening. Matt Mehaffey '97

will conduct "Same Train," a spiritual that Mehaffey chose because "it has a contrasting style to the other pieces and adds dimension to the program." Susan Minsavage '97, who will be conducting "Antiphon," the fifth movement of Vaughn Williams' "Five Mystical Songs," commented on "the wonderful opportunity to work with such a fine ensemble." The Williams piece will feature David Cover, the choir's accompanist, on organ.

Rounding out the concert program is a medieval work entitled "Superflumina" by Palestrina and Sacchini's "Adoro Te Devote," a twentieth century piece based entirely on Gregorian chant.

The Rooke Chapel Choir's final performances of the year will be during the two Baccalaureate services, during which time the ensemble will be saying farewell to ten graduating seniors.

The choir is in the process of planning a reunion for Homecoming Weekend in the fall. Mellich said, "The choir has a reunion every five years. It is a close knit group that remains close way beyond graduation." The performance will be at 7:30 p.m. this Sunday in Rooke Chapel. The concert, which is free and open to the public, will also feature faculty and alumni performances.

Student art decorates Gallery walls

BY JENNIFER DECAAMP
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Have you ever wondered just how similar the human body is to a machine? "They look very similar. It's almost scary," said Krista Smith '95, whose photographs and paintings in this year's student art show illustrate just how close the two actually are.

The student art show opened last week in the Center Gallery. The works on display represent students from all years and involve a variety of media. Jody Blake, assistant professor of art, said there is a great deal to see, with numerous paintings, sculptures, graphic designs, and photographs.

Photography has not been a part of the student art show until the last two years, and students seem eager to use the new art form. Until Lynn Cazabon, assistant professor of art, came on the scene, making photography a part of the art curriculum, this form was not available for use in the shows.

Students like Smith and Mike

Kaczynski '95 have made use of the change, and both have photographs on display. Smith's are a part of her honors thesis, the only one presented this spring, dealing with the study of man and his relationship to the machine. Her paintings and photographs compare "usually a part of the body

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with a part of a machine," said Smith. Her last major work before graduation, Smith must defend her honors thesis and the pieces on display tomorrow. Her post-graduation plans involve returning to Bucknell to work for the art department next year.

Kaczynski, a civil engineer with an art minor, also made use of photography. In addition to his photography, his self-portrait of his fingerprint, an oil on canvas, is on display. His other self-portrait, a facial painting, is on display in a Harrisburg gallery in another student art show.

Another piece which Kaczynski has in the show "Are the characters from Scooby Doo. It's a take off on a Picasso," he said. Although you might need to know a bit about art history to understand the full impact of the piece, Kaczynski said, "It's supposed to be a funny piece. You have to look at [all the art in the show], see it, and draw your own conclusions."

Jonathan Maley '96 also has several of his pieces on display, most of which are sculptures and paintings. The sculptures are wood

and metal combined and deal with human forms. He said that he enjoys working with the human form "because in portraying it, you can glorify and respond to it and understand it."

The show, which is curated by the faculty, is being held in the Center Gallery this year, only the second year it has been there. Blake is very happy to have the change. She explained, "The work is so good it really deserves to be in the Center Gallery. When works are well displayed, they become the accomplished works that they are." She also stated that it is important for the students to see their work on exhibition, because it is part of the creative process. "Students want to see their work in the context of other works," said Blake.

Hoping that many students will turn out for the show, which is open until May 19, Maley said, "It's a great show. I'm really happy with it."

The Center Gallery is open Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Book Review:

Grisham pours out another winner with new novel *The Rainmaker*

BY JOSH HARTMAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It eventually got so bad that John Grisham had to move his family from Oxford, Mississippi to a wooded part of Virginia just outside Charlottesville. The ten foot wall around his house in Oxford was failing to prevent people from invading their privacy. Some readers of his novels have become so fanatical that they track him down and want to meet him. And with over fifty five million books in print, there are a lot of hands to shake.

Fortunately for Mr. Grisham's bank account, but unfortunately for his private life, his situation will only worsen with the release of his latest novel, *The Rainmaker*.

This new book follows the struggle of twenty-something Rudy Baylor as he fights his way into the legal profession after paying his way through three years of law school at Memphis

State. A month before his graduation, he is chased around Memphis by creditors, evicted from his apartment, and sued. Sitting on my bed reading the first pages, I suddenly felt like I had to get out of the dorm or the creditors would find me. Obviously this is an irrational response, but Grisham's writing of the scenes makes the reader feel as one with young Rudy Baylor.

After numerous setbacks only a few months into his career, the case of the decade in Tennessee falls into Rudy's lap while visiting a retirement home to offer free legal advice as part of one of his classes. While attempting to battle it out in the courtroom against one of the best high-powered lawyers in the state, Rudy abruptly learns the seedy side of the business. As the court-room brawl ensues, it becomes nearly impossible to put the book down.

One complaint about Grisham's novels is that they are all about the same thing. While it is

true that all his books center on a legal struggle, they are all sufficiently unique to surprise and grab the reader's attention. His first five books, *A Time to Kill*, *The Firm*, *The Pelican Brief*, *The Client*, and *The Chamber*, while not exhibiting the quality writing of other authors such as P.D. James, do have page turning plots of the calibre offered by no other writer today.

While all his books focus on a young legal eagle, the protagonist in each novel is a person distinctly different from any other character among his works. These characters are so likeable, because in a country where law is designed to be as confusing as possible for the average man, they are able to make it sound brilliantly simple.

While they are similar in profession, the personal war waged by each is always a particular and unexplored effort. In *A Time to Kill*, the young lawyer is defending a father who killed one of the men who raped and murdered his adolescent daughter. In *The Firm*, the

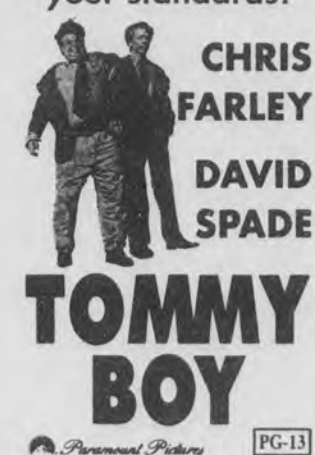
lawyer is trying to escape the law firm where he works after learning they have dangerous ties to the mafia. In *The Pelican Brief*, which really has nothing to do with the law, Darby Shaw, a student at Tulane, stumbles upon a conspiracy to remove certain judges from the Supreme Court. Each story is new and fresh and amazingly entertaining. *The Rainmaker* is no exception. Grisham once again spins a tale that makes turning the pages an automatic and undeniable urge.

I can readily admit that anyone comparing John Grisham to Hemingway had damn well better be referring to Willie Hemingway who played for the Minnesota Twins in the 70's. I would, however, also contend that there is no better storyteller than Mr. Grisham. So for that ten hour ride home from school, just grab a copy of *The Rainmaker* and hit the road. Two final tips: try to avoid the creditors and steer clear of Charlottesville, Virginia.

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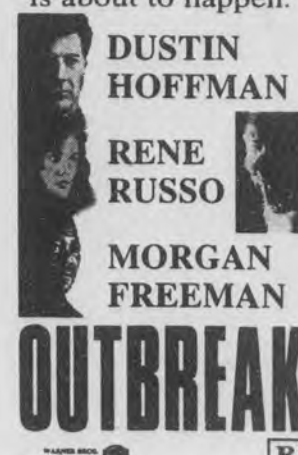
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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"I want to get bigger, stronger, and faster. I'll do anything to improve my game and our team's chances to succeed."

—Rich Lemon '97
commenting on his drive to win for the Bison football team

Flash in the Pan



Payne-ful Finish: Scott Hoch was reduced to a Sunday hacker last weekend when he gave away the Shell Houston Open golf tournament by playing the last seven holes in five-over par and blowing a six shot lead to tie Payne Stewart at 12-under par 276 at the end of regulation play. Stewart then went on to win the title with a par on the first extra hole after Hoch drove his tee shot into the woods and made bogey. It was Stewart's first victory since he won the 1991 U.S. Open, almost four years ago.

Olympic Hopefuls: Tickets requests for the 1996 Summer Olympic Games in Atlanta are now being accepted by the Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games. Sale for the 11 million tickets will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis, although sponsors and media will take almost four million of those tickets. The most expensive ticket — the best seat at the opening and closing ceremonies at \$636 — while you will only have to pay \$7 for a rafters seat at a preliminary baseball game.

The Low-down on Churchill Downs: The early line on the 121st Kentucky Derby is out and oddsmakers list Serena's Song and Timber Country as 5-2 favorites. Serena's Song is riding a five-race winning streak, but there is still question of who will ride the filly.

NBA's Old Man of the Year: Los Angeles Lakers coach Del Harris was named the NBA's Coach of the Year yesterday. Harris presided over the second biggest turnaround in the NBA this year, leading the Lakers to a 48-34 and a current 2-1 lead over the Seattle SuperSonics in the first round of the playoffs. Harris turned around a program that has faded since Magic Johnson retired four years ago after testing positive for HIV virus.

Umps Return to Work: First the players and now the Major League Baseball Umpires have finally returned to work to call balls and strikes after settling for a new five-year deal with the owners. After several grossly mishandled situations by the replacements umpires, baseball owners were forced to come to an agreement with the regular umpires. The minimum salary will rise to \$75,000, up from \$60,000, and the maximum salary for senior umpires will go to \$225,000. Also, the umpires' post-season bonuses will rise.

Sweeps Abound in the NBA Playoffs: Top regular season team San Antonio swept the Denver Nuggets with a 99-95 victory Tuesday in the best three-of-five-game series. The Phoenix Suns and Indiana Pacers also completed sweeps earlier this week, defeating Portland and Atlanta, respectively. However, a couple possible upsets loom for some championship contenders. Los Angeles leads Seattle 2-1. The Lakers can take the series with a win tonight at home. Also, the favored Utah Jazz are tied with the defending champion Houston Rockets 1-1, but the Rockets host the next two games.

Twice the Scholar-Athlete: Bucknell's Chris Priestat was named a Patriot-League Scholar Athlete for the second time this year. Priestat, who carries a 3.50 GPA while majoring in economics and Mathematics, was selected the scholar-athlete for men's indoor track and field for the winter term after receiving the same award for cross-country during the fall term. Priestat was Bucknell's only scholar-athlete for the winter term.

To Keep on Rolling: William Perry, better known as the "Refrigerator," announced his retirement from the NFL earlier this week to become a professional wrestler. Perry is not the only pro football player to make the jump to wrestling. Former New York Giants linebacker Lawrence Taylor has also wrestled professionally.

New NBA Star?: North Carolina basketball star Rasheed Wallace announced he will leave college to enter the NBA draft. Wallace led the Tar Heels to a Final Four appearance last March, and will join Joe Smith from Maryland as the second sophomore to announce his intentions to turn pro. Teammate Jerry Stackhouse is more likely to stay in school for one more year.

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Athletes of the Year

Short Lemon takes football to great heights



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Rich Lemon '97 jets into the open field. He rushed for more than 100 yards in 15 straight games for the Bison.

BY JED MICHAELSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When one takes a look back at Bucknell athletics over the 1994-95 school year, it is impossible to overlook the outstanding achievements of Rich Lemon '97.

Lemon, the starting tailback for the Bison in his first two seasons at Bucknell, has made quite an impact on Patriot League football. Surprisingly, Lemon experienced little difficulty making the move from high school to Division I college football.

"It wasn't that difficult, but then again, it wasn't what I expected," commented Lemon. "I knew that if I kept working hard, my team would do the rest."

Although now Lemon devotes all his athletic energy to football, that wasn't always the case. Rich played several different sports in

Gibbons turns soccer into success

First women's soccer recruit holds nearly every Bison record for new program

BY JEAN TANIMOTO
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When the Bucknellian looked to answer the question of who would be named this year's female athlete of the year, they set a certain criteria. The recipient of this honor would have to hold at least four Patriot League records and a good six or seven Bucknell records. With the standards set, the choice was obvious, Lisa Gibbons '95.

Gibbons, co-captain of the women's soccer team, set seven Bucknell records and four Patriot League records in 1994. She has also been the recipient of several honors including Patriot League Rookie of the Year in 1991, Patriot League Player of the Year in 1993, First

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Lisa Gibbons '95 is this year's Women's Athlete of the Year. She holds more than a dozen women's soccer records.

Bison comeback to take fifth at Easterns

BY AMANDA WOLL
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

This past weekend, the women's water polo team traveled to Brown for the Eastern Water Polo Association Championships.

Water Polo

In its pursuit for a bid to Nationals, the Lady Bison knew it was crucial that they

win their first game of the weekend. After a long six and one half hour drive, the women leaped into the pool to play Harvard, the number four seed of the tournament. The team played well but could not stay ahead, as Harvard (who finished the tournament in second place) pulled into the lead during the end of the fourth quarter to win the game 7-6. Allyson Gillespie '96 played incredible hole defense

throughout the entire game and prevented the hole set from taking any shots on goal.

On Saturday morning the women's water polo team played the number one seed of the weekend, Slippery Rock. Slippery Rock, once again, proved itself to be force not to be reckoned with, as the Bison fell to them in a final score of 20-5.

A few hours later, the women

bounced back into action and defeated Wesleyan, 17-2. The entire team played "heads up offense and defense" throughout the match. Sharon Gashlin '97 led the Bison with six goals. Amy Williams '98 and Jo Klaus '96 contributed three and two goals, respectively.

That same evening the Bison played their third game of the day against Princeton. The Lady Bison had defeated the Tigers in two of their three previous matches against the team, and was ready to win again. Bucknell took advantage of numerous turnovers and countered well against Princeton to win 12-4. Once again, Gillespie played strong hole defense. High scorers for the game were Sharon Gashlin '97, Amy Williams '98 and Kristen Mantione '96. On Sunday morning, the Bucknell women faced Massachusetts in their final game of the weekend. The Bison played with intensity to defeat UMASS, 12-5.

At the end of the weekend, Bucknell finished in fifth place. This place, however, does not reflect the women's season overall. They finished their season with a 9-6 record. Every player on the team improved 100% from the beginning of the season to the end. Improvement individually and improvement as a team was the result not only of each individual's dedication, but to the dedication of three men who coached the team, voluntarily: Carl Weisfelder '95, Geoff Rempel '96 and Jay O'Neil '97. Without these three people, the women's water polo team would not have had such a memorable and successful season.



photo courtesy of Amanda Woll
The women's water polo team: (top) Rachel Herring '98, Sharon Gashlin '97, Cory Feulner '98, (middle) coach Jay O'Neil '97, Kristen Mantione '96, Amy Williams '98, Johanna Klaus '96, (bottom) Amanda Woll '97, Allyson Gillespie '96, Mary Anne Juracz '97, Kim Tierney '97, Monisha de Quadros '98, Jessica Fayer '98, coach Mike Wooster, (front) coach Carl Weisfelder '95

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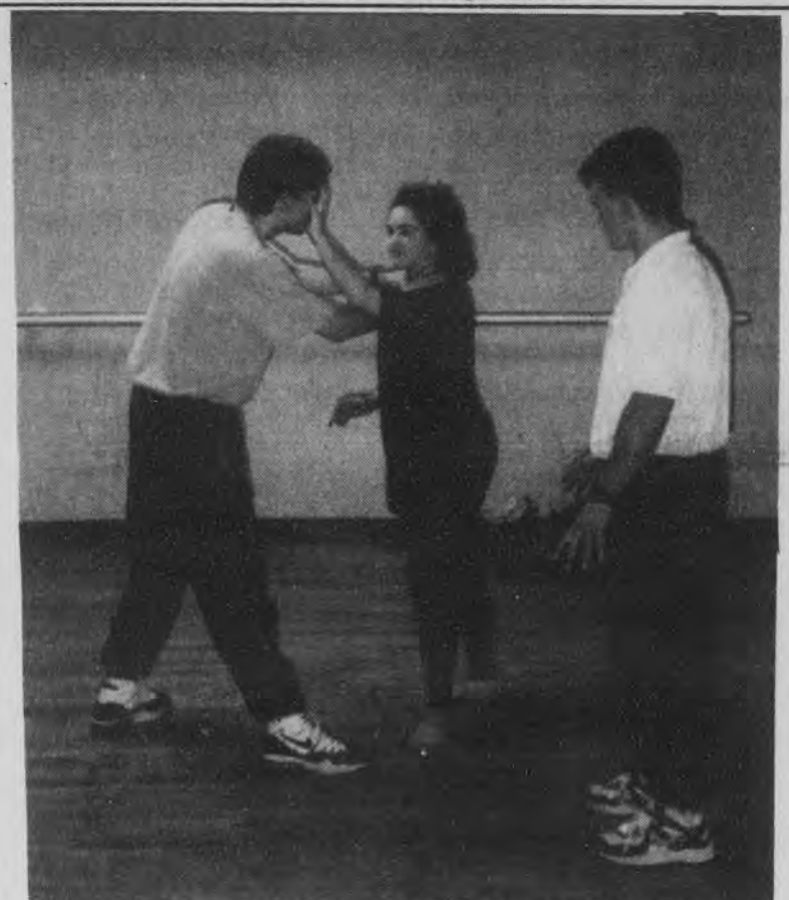
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Choir sings for spring

Concert Choir will perform their spring concert at 7:30 p.m. this Sunday in Rooke Chapel

BY CHRIS BIRD
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The Rooke Chapel Choir, under the direction of Dr. William A. Payn, professor of music, will finish out this music concert season with its Spring Concert.

Even though the choir sings in chapel nearly every Sunday, the ensemble still finds time to put together a spring concert marked with diversity and musicality. The highlight of this concert will be Vivaldi's *Gloria*, a baroque piece that will be performed with a small orchestra and soloists. Jeanne Mellish '95, manager of the Rooke Chapel Choir, said, "although this is a standard repertoire piece, it is unusual in that the three solos are all for women."

Dr. Catherine F. Payn, assistant professor of music, will be the soprano soloist and Susan Beckley, a lecturer in music, will sing the mezzo-soprano solo. The alto solo will be performed by Jennifer Walsh '92, a music major at Bucknell during her undergraduate years and who has continued her musical studies at the University of Minnesota. This is her first performance at Bucknell since she graduated.

Student conductors will also demonstrate their talent on Sunday evening. Matt Mehaffey '97

will conduct "Same Train," a spiritual that Mehaffey chose because "it has a contrasting style to the other pieces and adds dimension to the program." Susan Minsavage '97, who will be conducting "Antiphon," the fifth movement of Vaughn Williams' "Five Mystical Songs," commented on "the wonderful opportunity to work with such a fine ensemble." The Williams piece will feature David Cover, the choir's accompanist, on organ.

Rounding out the concert program is a medieval work entitled "Superflumina" by Palestrina and Cacciatore's "Adoro Te Devote," a twentieth century piece based entirely on Gregorian chant.

The Rooke Chapel Choir's final performance of the year will be during the two Baccalaureate services, during which time the ensemble will be saying farewell to ten graduating seniors.

The choir is in the process of planning a reunion for Homecoming Weekend in the fall. Mellish said, "The choir has a reunion every five years. It is a close knit group that remains close way beyond graduation." The performance will be at 7:30 p.m. this Sunday in Rooke Chapel. The concert, which is free and open to the public, will also feature faculty and alumni performances.

Student art decorates Gallery walls

BY JENNIFER DECAP
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Have you ever wondered just how similar the human body is to a machine? "They look very similar. It's almost scary," said Krista Smith '95, whose photographs and paintings in this year's student art show illustrate just how close the two actually are.

The student art show opened last week in the Center Gallery. The works on display represent students from all years and involve a variety of media. Jody Blake, assistant professor of art, said there is a great deal to see, with numerous paintings, sculptures, graphic designs, and photographs.

Photography has not been a part of the student art show until the last two years, and students seem eager to use the new art form. Until Lynn Cazabon, assistant professor of art, came on the scene, making photography a part of the art curriculum, this form was not available for use in the shows.

Students like Smith and Mike

Kaczynski '95 have made use of the change, and both have photographs on display. Smith's are a part of her honors thesis, the only one presented this spring, dealing with the study of man and his relationship to the machine. Her paintings and photographs compare "usually a part of the body

"The work is so good it really deserves to be in the Center Gallery. When works are well displayed, they become the accomplished works that they are."

—Jody Blake, assistant professor of art

with a part of a machine," said Smith. Her last major work before graduation, Smith must defend her honors thesis, and the pieces on display tomorrow. Her post-graduation plans involve returning to Bucknell to work for the art department next year.

Kaczynski, a civil engineer with an art minor, also made use of photography. In addition to his photography, his self-portrait of his fingerprint, an oil on canvas, is on display. His other self-portrait, a facial painting, is on display in a Harrisburg gallery in another student art show.

Another piece which Kaczynski has in the show "Are the characters from Scooby Doo. It's a take off on a Picasso," he said. Although you might need to know a bit about art history to understand the full impact of the piece, Kaczynski said, "It's supposed to be a funny piece. You have to look at [all the art in the show], see it, and draw your own conclusions."

Jonathan Maley '96 also has several of his pieces on display, most of which are sculptures and paintings. The sculptures are wood

and metal combined and deal with human forms. He said that he enjoys working with the human form "because in portraying it, you can glorify and respond to it and understand it."

The show, which is curated by the faculty, is being held in the Center Gallery this year, only the second year it has been there. Blake is very happy to have the change. She explained, "The work is so good it really deserves to be in the Center Gallery. When works are well displayed, they become the accomplished works that they are." She also stated that it is important for the students to see their work on exhibition, because it is part of the creative process. "Students want to see their work in the context of other works," said Blake.

Hoping that many students will turn out for the show, which is open until May 19, Maley said, "It's a great show. I'm really happy with it."

The Center Gallery is open Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Book Review:

Grisham pours out another winner with new novel *The Rainmaker*

BY JOSH HARTMAN
Bucknellian Staff Writer

It eventually got so bad that John Grisham had to move his family from Oxford, Mississippi to a wooded part of Virginia just outside Charlottesville. The ten foot wall around his house in Oxford was failing to prevent people from invading their privacy. Some readers of his novels have become so fanatical that they track him down and want to meet him. And with over fifty five million books in print, there are a lot of hands to shake.

Fortunately for Mr. Grisham's bank account, but unfortunately for his private life, his situation will only worsen with the release of his latest novel, *The Rainmaker*.

This new book follows the struggle of twenty-something Rudy Baylor as he fights his way into the legal profession after paying his way through three years of law school at Memphis

State. A month before his graduation, he is chased around Memphis by creditors, evicted from his apartment, and sued. Sitting on my bed reading the first pages, I suddenly felt like I had to get out of my bed and read the first pages, I suddenly felt like I had to get out of my bed and read the first pages, I suddenly felt like I had to get out of my bed and read the first pages.

After numerous setbacks only a few months into his career, the case of the decade in Tennessee falls into Rudy's lap while visiting a retirement home to offer free legal advice as part of one of his classes. While attempting to battle it out in the courtroom against one of the best high-powered lawyers in the state, Rudy abruptly learns the seedy side of the business. As the court-room brawl ensues, it becomes nearly impossible to put the book down.

One complaint about Grisham's novels is that they are all about the same thing. While it is

true that all his books center on a legal struggle, they are all sufficiently unique to surprise and grab the reader's attention. His first five books, *A Time to Kill*, *The Firm*, *The Pelican Brief*, *The Client*, and *The Chamber*, while not exhibiting the quality writing of other authors such as P.D. James, do have page turning plots of the calibre offered by no other writer today.

While all his books focus on a young legal eagle, the protagonist in each novel is a person distinctly different from any other character among his works. These characters are so likeable, because in a country where law is designed to be as confusing as possible for the average man, they are able to make it sound brilliantly simple.

While they are similar in profession, the personal war waged by each is always a particular and unexplored effort. In *A Time to Kill*, the young lawyer is defending a father who killed one of the men who raped and murdered his adolescent daughter. In *The Firm*, the

lawyer is trying to escape the law firm where he works after learning they have dangerous ties to the mafia. In *The Pelican Brief*, which really has nothing to do with the law, Darby Shaw, a student at Tulane, stumbles upon a conspiracy to remove certain judges from the Supreme Court. Each story is new and fresh and amazingly entertaining. *The Rainmaker* is no exception. Grisham once again spins a tale that makes turning the pages an automatic and undeniable urge.

I can readily admit that anyone comparing John Grisham to Hemingway had darn well better be referring to Willie Heming, way who played for the Minnesota Twins in the 70's. I would, however, also contend that there is no better storyteller than Mr. Grisham. So for that ten hour ride home from school, just grab a copy of *The Rainmaker* and hit the road. Two final tips: try to avoid the creditors and steer clear of Charlottesville, Virginia.

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SPORTS THURSDAY

Quote of the Week:

"I want to get bigger, stronger, and faster. I'll do anything to improve my game and our team's chances to succeed."

—Rich Lemon '97
commenting on his drive to win for the Bison football team

Flash in the Pan



Payne-ful Finish: Scott Hoch was reduced to a Sunday hacker last weekend when he gave away the Shell Houston Open golf tournament by playing the last seven holes in five-over par and blowing a six shot lead to the Payne Stewart at 12-under par 276 at the end of regulation play. Stewart then went on to win the title with a par on the first extra hole after Hoch drove his tee shot into the woods and made bogey. It was Stewart's first victory since he won the 1991 U.S. Open, almost four years ago.

Olympic Hopefuls: Tickets requests for the 1996 Summer Olympic Games in Atlanta are now being accepted by the Atlanta Committee for the Olympic Games. Sale for the 11 million tickets will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis, although sponsors and media will take almost four million of those tickets. The most expensive ticket — the best seat at the opening and closing ceremonies at \$636 — while you will only have to pay \$7 for a rafters seat at a preliminary baseball game.

The Low-down on Churchill Downs: The early line on the 121st Kentucky Derby is out and oddsmakers list Serena's Song and Timber Country as 5-2 favorites. Serena's Song is riding a five-race winning streak, but there is still question of who will ride the filly.

NBA's Old Man of the Year: Los Angeles Lakers coach Del Harris was named the NBA's Coach of the Year yesterday. Harris presided over the second biggest turnaround in the NBA this year, leading the Lakers to a 48-34 and a current 2-1 lead over the Seattle SuperSonics in the first round of the playoffs. Harris turned around a program that has faded since Magic Johnson retired four years ago after testing positive for HIV virus.

Umps Return to Work: First the players and now the Major League Baseball Umpires have finally returned to work to call balls and strikes after settling for a new five-year deal with the owners. After several grossly mishandled situations by the replacements umpires, baseball owners were forced to come to an agreement with the regular umpires. The minimum salary will rise to \$75,000, up from \$60,000, and the maximum salary for senior umpires will go to \$225,000. Also, the umpires' post-season bonuses will rise.

Sweeps Abound in the NBA Playoffs: Top regular season team San Antonio swept the Denver Nuggets with a 99-95 victory Tuesday in the best three-of-five-game series. The Phoenix Suns and Indiana Pacers also completed sweeps earlier this week, defeating Portland and Atlanta, respectively. However, a couple possible upsets loom for some championship contenders. Los Angeles leads Seattle 2-1. The Lakers can take the series with a win tonight at home. Also, the favored Utah Jazz are tied with the defending champion Houston Rockets 1-1, but the Rockets host the next two games.

Twice the Scholar-Athlete: Bucknell's Chris Priestaf was named a Patriot-League Scholar Athlete for the second time this year. Priestaf, who carries a 3.50 GPA while majoring in economics and Mathematics, was selected the scholar-athlete for men's indoor track and field for the winter term after receiving the same award for cross-country during the fall term. Priestaf was Bucknell's only scholar-athlete for the winter term.

To Keep on Rolling: William Perry, better known as the "Refrigerator," announced his retirement from the NFL earlier this week to become a professional wrestler. Perry is not the only pro football player to make the jump to wrestling. Former New York Giants linebacker Lawrence Taylor has also wrestled professionally.

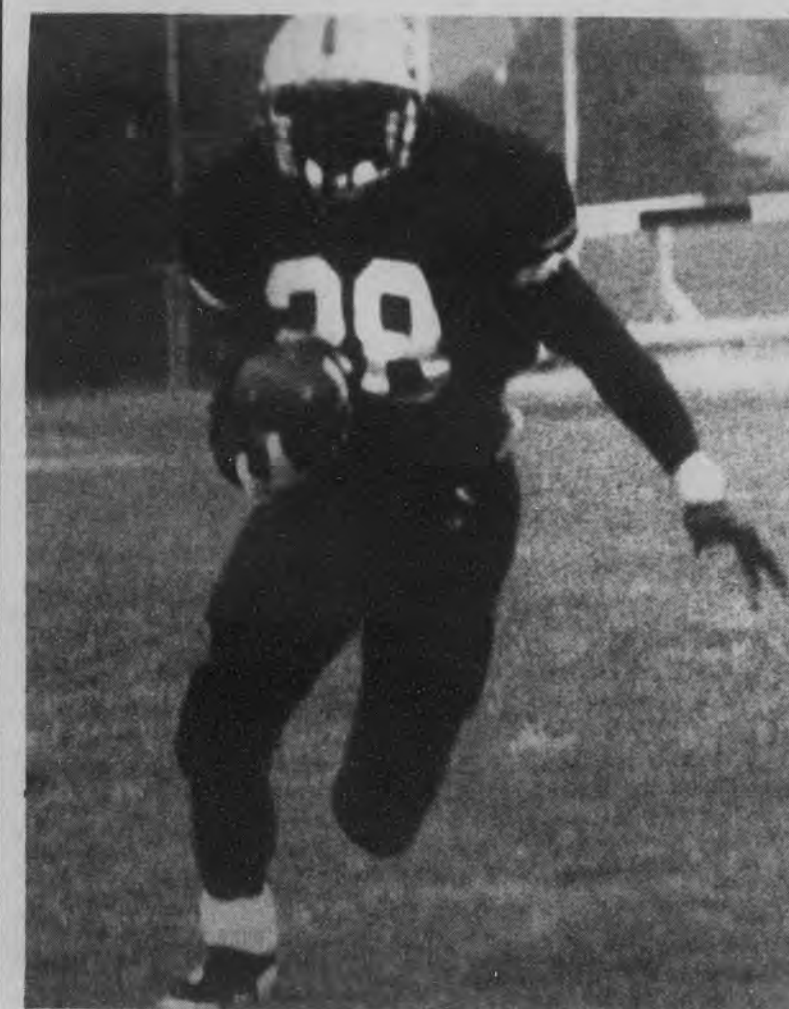
New NBA Star?: North Carolina basketball star Rasheed Wallace announced he will leave college to enter the NBA draft. Wallace led the Tar Heels to a Final Four appearance last March, and will join Joe Smith from Maryland as the second sophomore to announce his intentions to turn pro. Teammate Jerry Stackhouse is more likely to stay in school for one more year.

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Athletes of the Year

Short Lemon takes football to great heights



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Rich Lemon '97 jets into the open field. He rushed for more than 100 yards in 15 straight games for the Bison.

BY JED MICHAELSON
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When one takes a look back at Bucknell athletics over the 1994-95 school year, it is impossible to overlook the outstanding achievements of Rich Lemon '97.

Lemon, the starting tailback for the Bison in his first two seasons at Bucknell, has made quite an impact on Patriot League football. Surprisingly, Lemon experienced little difficulty making the move from high school to Division I college football.

"It wasn't that difficult, but then again, it wasn't what I expected," commented Lemon. "I knew that if I kept working hard, my team would do the rest."

Although now Lemon devotes all his athletic energy to football, that wasn't always the case. Rich played several different sports in

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Gibbons turns soccer into success

First women's soccer recruit holds nearly every Bison record for new program

BY JEAN TANIMOTO
Bucknellian Staff Writer

When the Bucknellian looked to answer the question of who would be named this year's female athlete of the year, they set a certain criteria. The recipient of this honor would have to hold at least four Patriot League records and a good six or seven Bucknell records. With the standards set, the choice was obvious, Lisa Gibbons '95.

Gibbons, co-captain of the women's soccer team, set seven Bucknell records and four Patriot League records in 1994. She has also been the recipient of several honors including Patriot League Rookie of the Year in 1991, Patriot League Player of the Year in 1993, First

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Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Lisa Gibbons '95 is this year's Women's Athlete of the Year. She holds more than a dozen women's soccer records.

Bison comeback to take fifth at Easterns

BY AMANDA WOLL
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

This past weekend, the women's water polo team traveled to Brown for the Eastern Water Polo Association Championships.

Water Polo

In its pursuit for a bid to Nationals, the Lady Bison knew it was crucial that they

win their first game of the weekend.

After a long six and one half hour drive, the women leaped into the pool to play Harvard, the number four seed of the tournament. The team played well but could not stay ahead, as Harvard (who finished the tournament in second place) pulled into the lead during the end of the fourth quarter to win the game 7-6. Allyson Gillespie '96 played incredible hole defense

throughout the entire game and prevented the hole set from taking any shots on goal.

On Saturday morning the women's water polo team played the number one seed of the weekend, Slippery Rock. Slippery Rock, once again, proved itself to be force not to be reckoned with, as the Bison fell to them in a final score of 20-5.

A few hours later, the women

bounced back into action and defeated Wesleyan, 17-2. The entire team played "heads up offense and defense" throughout the match. Sharon Gashlin '97 led the Bison with six goals. Amy Williams '98 and Jo Klaus '96 contributed three and two goals, respectively.

That same evening the Bison played their third game of the day against Princeton. The Lady Bison had defeated the Tigers in two of their three previous matches against the team, and was ready to win again. Bucknell took advantage of numerous turnovers and countered well against Princeton to win 12-4. Once again, Gillespie played strong hole defense. High scores for the game were Sharon Gashlin '97, Amy Williams '98 and Kristen Mantione '96. On Sunday morning, the Bucknell women faced Massachusetts in their final game of the weekend. The Bison played with intensity to defeat UMASS, 12-5.

At the end of the weekend, Bucknell finished in fifth place. This place, however, does not reflect the women's season overall. They finished their season with a 9-6 record. Every player on the team improved 100% from the beginning of the season to the end. Improvement individually and improvement as a team was the result not only of each individual's dedication, but to the dedication of three men who coached the team, voluntarily: Carl Weisfelder '95, Geoff Rempel '96 and Jay O'Neill '97. Without these three people, the women's water polo team would not have had such a memorable and successful season.



photo courtesy of Amanda Woll
The women's water polo team: (top) Rachel Herring '98, Sharon Gashlin '97, Cory Feulner '98, (middle) coach Jay O'Neill '97, Kristen Mantione '96, Amy Williams '98, Johanna Klaus '96, (bottom) Amanda Woll '97, Allyson Gillespie '96, Mary Anne Jurczuk '97, Ktm Tierney '97, Monisha de Quadros '98, Jessica Fayer '98, coach Mike Wooster, (front) coach Carl Weisfelder '95

BISON SCOREBOARD

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April 29, 1995 (away)

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April 27, 1995 (home)

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Mendelbaum, McInvin, Cox

ASSISTS-Cox

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SPORTS

Silverman's hot bat leads Bison to five game winning streak

Three-run double in final inning by "Player-of-the-Week" Silverman secures first ever four-game sweep in Bison history

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Kevin Silverman '96 has had quite a Patriot League season in a Bison baseball uniform.

After being named the Patriot League "Player-of-the-Week" last week, Silverman broke the school record for a hitting streak in a season with a single in the first game of a four game series against Lafayette last Saturday.

Silverman's hitting streak was in jeopardy — he had yet to get a hit in his first three at-bats — when he stepped to the plate in the bottom of the seventh inning in the final game of the series on Monday.

With Lafayette clinging to a 2-0 lead and the bases loaded for the Bison, Silverman belted a bases-clearing double to the gap in right

field that gave the Bison a 3-2 victory, completed a sweep of the Leopards — the first four-game series sweep in the history of Bison baseball — and extended the third baseman's hitting streak to 23 games.

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Love then held off Army in the bottom of the inning with two strike outs and the way to a one-hitter. Banister went two for three with an RBI and run.

In game two, the Bison found themselves in much the same predicament as the first — down two runs going into their last at bat. However, the outcome of this game would be different. Banister did come through with an RBI hit like the first game, but that was all the squad could come up with.

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SPORTS

Cycling qualifies for national race

BY CHRIS NEUMANN
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Last weekend the cycling

capped its regular season with an outstanding performance at the Eastern Conference Cycling Championships at West Point. In addition to qualifying for the National Championships, the team also earned an award for the second best small school in the conference, which extends from Pittsburgh to Maine. The men's A team placed third in the team time trial, a race against the clock. Individually, Chris Neumann '95 won the Criterium, a lap race, and Nikki Yajko '95 placed third in the road race.

The action started Saturday afternoon with the women's A road race. The 15 mile course contained a grueling two mile climb, which served to separate the weak from the strong. After the er rode away from the women's field, Yajko had been caught and her energy drained. She sprinted for fifth place, earning the team needed points toward national qualifications.

In the men's A race, the Bucknell team had Neumann, Adam Wright '96, George Bicking '95, Kuhn and Gernitis. The A racers did 27 laps on this grueling circuit under a light drizzle.

"The roads were a bit slick but there were no accidents to speak of. There were four or five attacks, but they were mostly reeled in within a lap or two," Art Clay '93 said, who now races for MIT. "The speeds, however, were amazing."

With three laps to go and the Bucknell team is all together, everyone had a shot at winning. On the bell lap, Wright was in the lead

with Neumann on his wheel. Neumann sprung from the pack after disappearing into a tunnel. He cruised in for the victory as the chasers fought for a top 20 position. Neumann closed the Collegiate season with probably the biggest win of his career - I mean this was really incredible to see, and to think just a year ago he had crashed before the finish and wound up in the hospital.

"I never saw [Neumann] look so happy after winning a race - he had a really big smile and everyone starts crowding around him," Clay said.

"With ten to go, I saw Adam

and said 'If you could find it in your legs to lead me out on the final lap, I would be eternally grateful.' Sure enough there he was. I couldn't have done it without him," Neumann commented after the race.

At the awards ceremony following the races, the Bucknell team was awarded one of the five team spots for the National Championships in Reno, NV. Two years ago, this would have been an unheard of feat for such a small school in the face of competition from schools with much larger talent pools such as Penn State.

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Chris Neumann '95 raises his hands in victory after winning the men's A criterium. The team qualified for nationals.

Women first, men fourth at Millersville

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Last weekend at the Millersville Metrics Track & Field Meet, the Bison finished first in the women's competition and fourth in the men's.

In the long jump, the women's competition, Kate Deicas '98 finished second in the long jump with 17-6. Tanya Barnes '95 finished sixth with 16-5. In the shot put, Lisa Allen '97 finished second with 38-11, and Joylyn Brown '98 finished fourth with 37-11.

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In the shot put, Dave Marko '97 finished first with 48-7 1/2 feet, and Darryl Vopicelli '98 finished sixth with 44-7 1/2. In the pole vault, Eric Wertz '96 finished fourth with a vault of 14-0 feet, Jim Watson '97 finished fifth with 13-6, and J.P. McFadden '98 finished sixth, also at 13-6.

In the triple jump, Dennis Hare '97 finished fifth with a hop, skip and jump of 41-6 1/2 feet. In the 1,600-meter relay, Bucknell finished second with 3:25.80.

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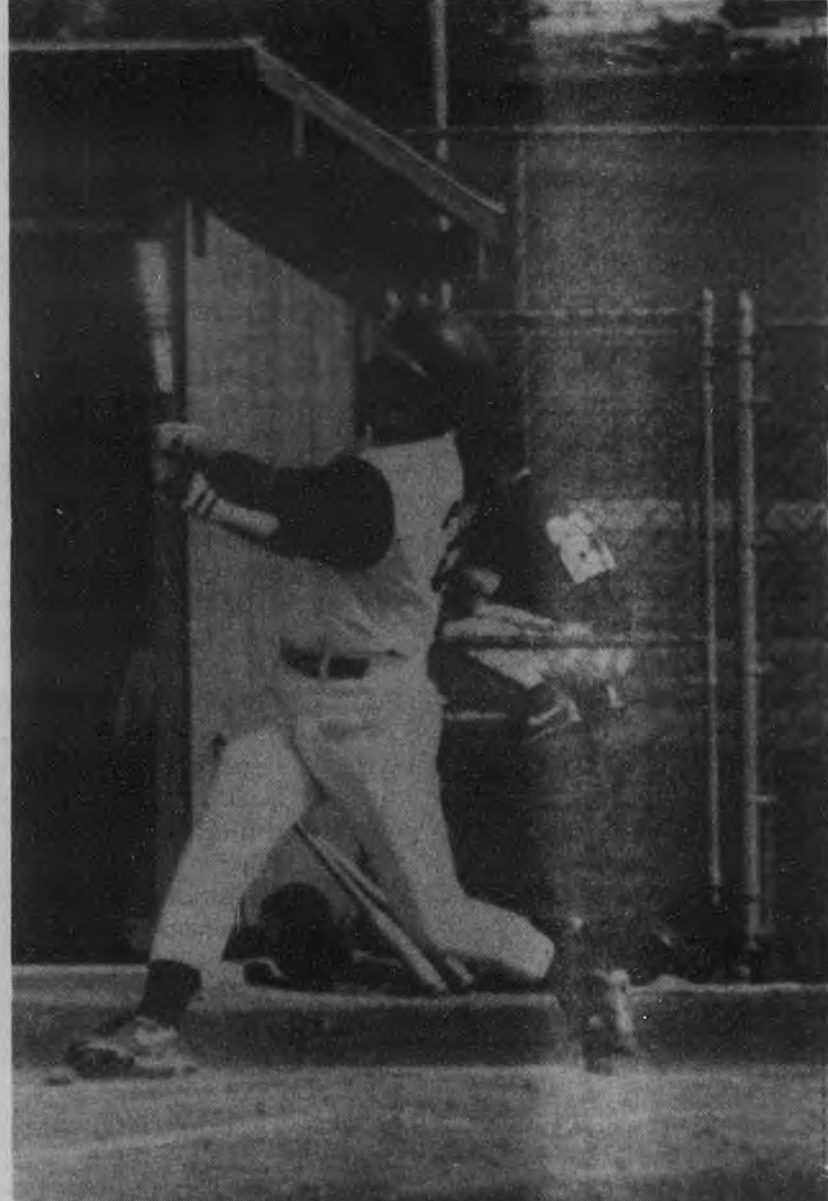
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Love then held off Army in the bottom of the inning with two strike outs and the way to a one-hitter. Bannister went two for three with an RBI and run.

In game two, the Bison found themselves in much the same predicament as the first — down two runs going into their last at bat. However, the outcome of this game would be different. Bannister did come through with an RBI hit like the first game, but that was all the squad could come up with.

Dawson pitched another strong complete game, but the two unearned runs the team gave in the fourth inning left her reeling with a loss.

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SPORTS

Cycling qualifies for national race

BY CHRIS NEUMANN
Bucknellian Team Correspondent

Last weekend the cycling

capped its regular season with an outstanding performance at the Eastern Conference Cycling Championships at West Point. In addition to qualifying for the National Championships, the team also earned an award for the second best small school in the conference, which extends from Pittsburgh to Maine. The men's A team placed third in the team time trial, a race against the clock. Individually, Chris Neumann '95 won the Criterion, a lap race, and Nikki Kuhn '95 placed third in the road race.

The action started Saturday afternoon with the women's A road race. The 15 mile course contained a grueling two mile climb, which served to separate the weak from the strong. After two laps, a New Hampshire rider rode away from the women's field, opening a minute gap which she held to the end. At the sprint for the finish line after the third climb, Yajko found strength to sprint by all but a Princeton rider, claiming second place.

Run concurrent with the women's race, the men's B race held less promising results for Bucknell. Neither Marc Ducharme '98 nor Dorian Ayande '98 were able to finish the race due to riders who had been racing in the A category all season moving down to B for the championships, forcing the pace artificially higher.

In the men's A race, Bucknell's attrition rate was high, with only half the starters finishing. Neumann slipped in for

13th place, with Tim Gernits '98 following in 18th, a great performance by Gernits for his first year in collegiate racing.

Sunday morning was the Team Time Trial, a race where teams start at staggered times and ride a fixed distance; the shortest time determines the winner. The men's A team had been practicing all season for this event, and showed a lot of promise going in. After overcoming initial difficulties, the team rode strongly, powered by Mike Kuhn '96 and Gernits to finish a respectable third.

Sunday afternoon was the final event of the championships, the criterium. The 1.1 mile course on the campus of West Point is known for the 100 vertical foot hill it contains. In the 18 lap women's A race, Yajko again rode strongly. When the bell rung signifying the final lap, Yajko attacked the group of women she was riding with, flying down the hill and opening a gap. Before the final climb up the hill to the Finish, Yajko had been caught and her energy drained. She sprinted for fifth place, earning the team needed points toward national qualifications.

In the men's A race, the Bucknell team had Neumann, Adam Wright '96, George Bicking '95, Kuhn and Gernits. The A racers did 27 laps on this grueling circuit under a light drizzle.

"The roads were a bit slick but there were no accidents to speak of. There were four or five attacks, but they were mostly reeled in within a lap or two," Art Clay '93 said, who now races for MIT. "The speeds, however, were amazing."

With three laps to go and the Bucknell team in all together, everyone had a shot at winning. On the bell lap, Wright was in the lead

with Neumann on his wheel.

Neumann sprung from the pack after disappearing into a tunnel. He cruised in for the victory as the chasers fought for a top 20 position. Neumann closed the Collegiate season with probably the biggest win of his career - 11 mean this was really incredible to see, and to think just a year ago he had crashed before the finish and wound up in the hospital.

"I never saw [Neumann] look so happy after winning a race - he had a really big smile and everyone starts crowding around him," Clay said.

"With ten to go, I saw Adam

and said 'If you could find it in your legs to lead me out on the final lap, I would be eternally grateful.' Sure enough there he was. I couldn't have done it without him," Neumann commented after the race.

At the awards ceremony following the races, the Bucknell team was awarded one of the five team spots for the National Championships in Reno, NV. Two years ago, this would have been an unheard of feat for such a small school in the face of competition from schools with much larger talent pools such as Penn State.



Photo courtesy of Chris Neumann
Chris Neumann '95 raises his hands in victory after winning the men's A criterium. The team qualified for nationals.

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Team All-Patriot League in 1992 and 1994. Along with that Gibbons finished 10th in the nation in scoring in her junior year, following that up in her senior year, finishing third in the nation and second in the Central Region in scoring.

Just what is it that makes Gibbons such a success on the soccer field? The fact that she's been playing the game since she was six years old. Gibbons says of her athletic success at Bucknell, "It helps that I played on a lot of competitive teams before college." Gibbons played on the boys' team in high school because her high school didn't have a girls team.

"She knew what she had to do in order for the team to be successful. I had a lot of confidence in her ability. She was consistently good," head coach Toby Lovocchio said.

Gibbons, along with co-captain Joanne Crane '95, was one of

the two first players to be recruited by the women's soccer program. In her four years at Bucknell she has helped set the program on track to what appears to be a bright future. Because Gibbons is such a high caliber player it has helped to attract other players of her level to the program. Bucknell turned in its first winning season in its short five year history.

"She's been an integral part of paving the road for success of the Bucknell's women's soccer program," said Lovocchio.

There is so much to be said of the talents possessed by Gibbons on the soccer field. Her statistics say it all. In her Bucknell career she has scored a total of 66 goals, scored 167 points, and had 35 assists. Gibbons is also known to be "scrappy" on defense when she wants to be.

Lovocchio said of Gibbons' athletic talents "she is a pure goal scorer. Most people who are pure



goal scorers tend to focus just that. Lisa was able to do that but also had the ability to get the assist. She is an excellent passer, she has great touch on the ball. She's a natural athlete when it comes to soccer."

Soccer was always part of the plan while thinking about college for Gibbons. "I definitely wanted to play in college." The tough decision was where to play though.

She could have easily gone to a bigger school with a more established program instead of coming to Bucknell where the program was, at the time, just a year old. Fortunately she chose Bucknell, "I wanted to get a good education and play."

Now that her days of college competition are over Gibbons is playing on a semi-pro team out of Philadelphia, that should last through the summer. After that she isn't sure what the future holds for her as far as soccer is concerned. "There are lots of leagues around here that I can play on."

What ever is in store for Lisa Gibbons in the future, she will always be able to look back on her days at Bucknell and know that she contributed not only to the women's soccer program, but also to the school.

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Women first, men fourth at Millersville

BY BRYAN KELLY
Bucknellian Staff Writer

Last weekend at the Millersville Metrics Track & Field Meet, the Bison finished first in the women's competition and fourth in the men's.

In the men's competition, Bucknell finished fourth overall with 45 points. In the 110-meter hurdles, Jim Martin '98 placed sixth with 15.37. In the long jump, the women's

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SPORTS

Commentary

Crew: The best non-scholarship lightweight eight?

The Situation

Last weekend's second place finish to Holy Cross was a surprise for the Orange and Blue. They had a undefeated season and vied to defeat their Patriot League foes.

Within the first 100 yards of the competition, Bucknell pulled out to a significant lead according to members of the team. Holy Cross, rowing in lane two, quickly closed the Bison gap and edged Bucknell's squad by inches by the finish line.

What made this race interesting is the course change during the middle of the event. Because of bad winds, the course was changed to a different part of the lake. Holy Cross was scheduled to start in lane two—helping to brave the crosswind. Bucknell was slotted in lane four, further out in the center of the lake and having to deal with greater wind.

Regardless of the conditions, Bucknell was defeated and will be looking for revenge this weekend at the CICR tournament.

The Importance

Bucknell's crew team has a chance at becoming the best non-scholarship lightweight eight squad. They will face the tough Crusaders once again and Boston College who is still recovering from a close Georgetown defeat.

It is impressive that the Orange and Blue have a chance to become the best team in the nation and is going to the Intercollegiate Rowing Association Championship (IRAs) to compete against team that give scholarships and have been around a lot longer than Bucknell's young five-year career. Schools such as Dartmouth, Temple, and Villanova. The Ivies have something to fear this year in the form of two Patriot League boats.

The Boat

Finally, there has been a great deal of talk about the new \$17,600 *Vespoli* boat that was recently donated to the crew team. This boat is the "best in the business" (Holy Cross beat Bucknell last weekend in this same craft!) and is 20-30 pounds lighter than the Orange and Blue's lightweight boat.

The team put together the vessel on Wednesday, but some technical difficulties prevented testing the boat later that day. It will be interesting to see how the Orange and Blue take to this fine donation in the next competition.

The Bison are only losing two senior to this year's strong lightweight squad, Marc Ortland and Matt Kersting. This will give ample time to break in the boat and become faster as a unit.

With this generous gift, the Bucknell crew team will surprise many competitors, both scholarship and non, for many years.

Keith Nigro
Keith Nigro, Sports Editor

Coach of the Year

Despite double duties, Kachmarik churns out wins

BY SCOTT WOODWORTH
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The greatest thrill for an athlete is winning. Coming in first place or winning the big game is a result of hard work and dedication. Many times, though, the coach of these great athletes and teams goes unrecognized.

The coach of a swim team is one of the most important parts of the team. The coach provides the motivation needed to survive practice, and to be more dedicated to the sport than the swimmers themselves. When it comes to the Bucknell swim team, she is the heart of the team.

Lynn Kachmarik has been around a pool for most of her life, and around Bucknell's pool for the past 13 years. With the retirement of the men's coach at the end of last season, Kachmarik assumed the coaching duties of the men's team to go along with her coaching duties of the women's team.

When Kachmarik became head coach of the men's team, she became the first head coach of both Bison swimming teams. Kachmarik knew she could handle the job, and suppressed

all doubts by leading both Bison teams to stellar records.

The men (9-0) went undefeated, something that had not happened in decades, and the women (10-1) were again very strong. Both teams did very well at the Patriot League Championships, with both teams having one of their best tapers ever.

"Lynn came in and took over the men's program quite well and was an excellent motivator throughout the season," Elo Comfort '98 said.

All of this success reflects directly on Kachmarik. For her achievements and hard work, and the success she breeds in her team, The Bucknellian has chosen Lynn Kachmarik as its coach of the year. Kachmarik is one of the hardest working coaches at Bucknell. She runs up to three practices a day, quite a few of which involve getting up before the crack of dawn. Her day does not end when practice is over. Kachmarik spends a lot of time recruiting, so the Bucknell swim teams will be among the best.

One of the reasons swimmers come to Bucknell is Lynn Kachmarik. Recruits look at the pool and are skeptical, but after they meet and talk with Kachmarik, the pool isn't so im-

portant. Kachmarik also organizes many activities that keep the team close. Team unity was greatly stressed this past season, and she helped make the team a real team.

Kachmarik's day is always filled with things to do. From crying children (she raises two children along with husband Scott Kachmarik, Assistant Director of Housing and Residential Life) to ringing phones, she has little free time. You would think someone working as hard as she does would be cranky. But Kachmarik always comes to practice with an upbeat attitude which rubs off on the team.

"She is not only a terrific coach, but she is also a great role model. She has a great personality which makes it easy to swim for her," Colleen Brooks '95 said, who swam with Kachmarik for four years.

Much of Bucknell's swimming success can be attributed to Kachmarik, but she is very modest about her role.

"I am honored to receive this award, but so much a coach does relies on the leadership of the team. A coach can only do so much," she said. "This award is a great accomplishment, but it is also a reflection of the people on the team."



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian

Lynn Kachmarik is the Coach of the Year after leading the men's and women's swim teams to a combined 19-1 record.



Susan Naughton—The Bucknellian
Rich Lemon '97 was named the Patriot League's Offensive Player of the Year last season.

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high school. "I thought about trying out for the hoops team last year, but a lot of people thought that it would be a better idea to concentrate on playing football," Lemon said.

At five-feet, seven-inches tall, Lemon has overcome more than just linebackers and defensive linemen.

His size, however, has not stopped Lemon from running for more than 100 yards in fifteen consecutive games, which is both a Patriot League and Bucknell team record. Even with the success that Lemon has experienced through his first two years at Bucknell, the sophomore sensation has not lost his intense work ethic.

"I work on every aspect of my game," added the Bucknell tailback. "I want to get bigger, stronger, and faster. I'll do anything to improve my game and our team's chances to succeed."

Although it may seem quite demanding, Lemon also finds time for his studies. As an accounting major, schoolwork takes up a great deal of time.

"We practice a lot, but the coaching staff always allots time for us to hit the books," commented Lemon.

In addition to rushing for 100+ yards in 15 consecutive games, Lemon is also just two yards shy of the career rushing record at Bucknell.

Barring any freak occurrence, Lemon will break the Bucknell career record in next season's opening game.

No stranger to awards, he has received his fair share of recognition for the 1994-95 season. Lemon was named both CO-MVP and Offensive Player of the Year in the Patriot League.

The sophomore tailback has also received national recognition for his achievements this season. In rushing for more than 1000 yards for his second straight season, Lemon earned himself nominations for the East Coast Athletic Conference Player of the Year and wound up being an All-American candidate.

With two more years of eligibility left at Bucknell, Lemon is filled with optimism about his junior and senior seasons.

"My teammates and I are all very positive about next year," harked Lemon. "Our goals are very simple: we want to bring a championship season to Bucknell."

If you were to list keys to success for Bucknell football, the name Rich Lemon would be at the very top. If the Bison can continue to get Lemon the ball 20+ times per game, Bucknell will put a lot of points on the board. As long as Lemon is here, Bucknell football will be exciting to watch: that's a promise.

Bison Calendar

May 4-10

Softball

Fri. 5 at Patriot League Championship

Baseball

Sat. 6 at Holy Cross 12 noon

Sun. 7 at Holy Cross 12 noon

Track and Field

Fri. 5 Patriot League Tournament at Lafayette

Crew

Sun. 7 at Mid-Atlantic Championships

Close games mark lax finales

Men downed by Penn, 9-8; women defeat UMBC, 13-12

BY ERIC SHORTZ
Bucknellian Staff Writer

The men's lacrosse team finished the season in disappointing fashion after being edged 9-8 by the University of Pennsylvania

Tuesday night.

However, the Bison will finish above the .500 mark after posting consecutive victories earlier this week, including an 11-5 victory over Lafayette.

Bucknell concluded the season 7-6 overall, 2-3 in Patriot League.

Mark Stirpe '98 came up big for the Bison with 13 saves against the Leopards. Allan Donnelly '96 continued his team-leading play with four goals in the game boosting his point total for the season to 38. Steven Lewis '95 ended his career with a bang with a pair of goals and assists.

The women's team has struggled this season, 2-8 against non-

league opponents, but finished the season on a high note with a 13-12 overtime defeat of UMBC last Thursday.

The Lady Bison were down much of the game, but came back in the second half to tie the game, and then close out UMBC in the extra period.

The squad finished 6-10 overall, 2-2 in Patriot League.

Jen Kangas '95 and Leigh Owens '95 will finish their careers as this season's top two scorers.



Keith Nigro—The Bucknellian

Goalie Mark Stirpe '98 stops the ball in front of the net near the close of the first half in the 11-5 victory over Lafayette. Stirpe led the Bison with 13 saves. Bucknell finished at 7-6.

Sports Trivia Quiz

1. Who won Canadian Football's Grey Cup in 1993?
2. Who won the first Rose Bowl?
3. What school has the winningest Division I football program?
4. What golfer has won the most Masters titles?
5. Who won the World Cup in 1994?

Answers

1. Edmonton; 2. Michigan; 3. Notre Dame; 4. Jack Nicklaus; 5. Brazil